

Ephesians

Ephesians 3:19 AMP 19 [That you may really come] to know [practically, through experience for yourselves] the love of Christ, which far surpasses mere knowledge...

God's love

Psalm 130:7 TPT O Israel, keep hoping, keep trusting, and keep waiting on the Lord; for he is tenderhearted, kind, and forgiving. <u>He</u> has a thousand ways to set you free.

Condemnation

Ephesians 3:12 AMP 12 In Whom, because of our faith in Him, we **dare to have the boldness** (courage and confidence) of free access (an unreserved approach to God with freedom and without fear).

Condemnation

- Disconnected from God
- Self-focused
- Bad fruit

Condemnation

1 John 3:20&21 (AMP)

Whenever our <u>hearts</u> in [tormenting] self-accusation make us feel guilty and condemn us, He is above and greater than our consciences (our hearts), and He knows (perceives and understands) everything [nothing is hidden from Him].

Condemnation

And, beloved, if our consciences (our hearts) do not accuse us [*if they do not make us feel guilty and condemn us*], <u>we have confidence</u> (**complete assurance and boldness**) before God...

Condemnation

Condemnation breaks down a love relationship. The moment we feel condemned, we want to start working for love. We want to perform for love. We want to earn love.

Condemnation

How do we practically deal with condemnation? 1. We take **authority.**

- 2. We bring it into the light.
- 3. We expose the lies by
- focussing on the truth.

Covenant

Ephesians 3:17 AMP 17 May Christ through your faith **dwell** (settle down, abide, make His **permanent home)** in your hearts!

The power within us

Ephesians 3:20 AMP

20 Now to Him Who, by the **power** that is at work **within us**, is able to [carry out His purpose and] do superabundantly, far over *and* above all that we [dare] ask or think [infinitely beyond our highest prayers, desires, thoughts, hopes, or dreams] be the glory...

