

**January 23<sup>rd</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>**

## **7 Ways to Win this Year**

In this lesson you will learn multiple ways to win this year.

**Intro:** What are people facing right now? They're facing; confusion, anger, and questioning where God is in their current situation. How do we live in victory when the world is filling up with more and more sin? God can bless you with a democrat or a republican in the presidential office. God can take care of you no matter who is running the government. No matter who is in charge, God is still on the throne. Instead of focusing your energy on the election and political issues, switch that focus and energy onto God and His kingdom. Focus on the many ways you can win in life this year.

### **I. Surrender**

A. Success starts in the secret place of surrendering to God's will. Seeking God requires surrender on your part. It requires seeking after God's heart and finding out what He wants you to do and obeying Him. Are you submitted to God's will, and to where He wants to guide you this year? Surrender your plans, your thoughts, and your ways to God this year. He will lead you if you allow Him to do so (John 16:13).

### **II. See what God sees**

A. See the potential. See the vision. See the victory that God has planned for you this year. You have to see it with your eyes of faith before you seize it. Write your vision down (Hab 2:2). You cannot take ground on what you have not written down. You must visualize the promised land that God has for you this year. Without a vision the people perish, but with God all things are possible.

### **III. Start Moving**

A. The difference between a dream and a goal is a date. Stop procrastinating. Our potential is our gift from God. Our possibilities are God's gift to us. What we do with that potential is our gift back to God. If you want a life of significance, obey God and live for his glory. Start moving in the direction of your goals today. Breakthroughs are not a result of random chance, but of action and faith.

### **IV. Stick to It**

A. Consistency brings the breakthrough. Keep circling Jericho until the walls come down. Stay in the Word. Stay in church. Stay serving in God's house. Most people don't see the breakthrough because they give up on their soil too soon. They give up on the process. Stay through the good, the bad, and the ugly to see the breakthrough. It's those who are planted that prosper (Psa 92:13).

## **Discussion Questions**

1. In what way are you surrendering to God's plan for your life?
2. Have you written the vision down that you have for 2021?
3. What action steps are you taking now to fulfill your vision?