

HOW TO IDENTIFY WHEN YOUR **INTELLECT** IS ROBBING YOU

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(John 20:24-29)

Your intellect is a gift from God. You need your intellect. God told you to use your intellect in Proverbs 4:7. He said, "*In all thy getting, get an understanding.*" However, He never told you to depend on your intellect. Proverbs 3:5 says, "***DO NOT** lean on your own understanding.*"

If you do not understand the difference between utilization and dependency you will always be **VICTIMIZE** by your intellect. Your intellect is a resource for information. It is **NOT** the source for revelation.

When you are comprehending natural issues your intellect is your best friend. However, when you are

comprehending spiritual issues your intellect is your worst enemy. Your intellect robs you of everything supernatural.

GOD IS NOT MEANT TO BE
UNDERSTOOD

(Isaiah 55:8)

Isaiah 55:8 says, "*God's ways are not our ways and His thoughts are not our thoughts.*" The purpose of your intelligence is to comprehend your surroundings. Your intelligence is an asset to the world. However, it is a liability to the Kingdom of God.

God is **NOT** meant to be understood. He is meant to be **TRUSTED**. Your intelligence will rob you of everything divine. You cannot receive revelation, miracles, wisdom, favor and blessings with your intellect. The gifts of God can only be attained by **FAITH**.

ARE YOU BEING ROBBED BY DOUBTING THOMAS?

(John 20:24-29)

Doubting Thomas is **SYMBOLIC** of a person who refuses to believe something **WITHOUT** evidence. A person who has the spirit of doubting Thomas **DEPENDS** on their intellect. This **PREVENTS** them from receiving supernatural blessings and miracles.

Unfortunately, many people have this spirit resting on them. The doubting Thomas spirit **ENABLES** people to read the Bible while questioning the content. This spirit allows people to receive God's Prophets while rejecting the Lord's prophecies.

People who have a doubting Thomas spirit will always be **ABLE** to **BELIEVE** what they **SEE**. However, they are **UNABLE** to **BELIEVE** without seeing! In John 20:29 Thomas refuse to believe the other disciples when they told him they saw Jesus.

Thomas emphatically told the disciples, *"I will not believe it until I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were and put my hand into his side."* Thomas allowed his intellect to **KILL** his faith. Thomas satisfied the craving of his intellect while denying the richness of his faith.

ARE YOU KILLING YOUR FAITH TO FEED YOUR INTELLECT?

RECOGNIZE THE SIGN!

When **DOUBT DOMINATES YOUR MIND** your intellect is robbing you. Relying on your intelligence prevents you from receiving supernatural provision and Kingdom opportunities. Intelligence will always fuel the spirit of doubt within you.

The enemy **STEALS** your supernatural blessings by **INFLUENCING** you to walk in logic rather than faith. God

told you to walk by faith, not by sight. When God gives you an instruction to follow you **DO NOT** need to know **HOW** it is going to happen. Just **BELIEVE** it will happen.

When God tells you to do something you **DO NOT** need to know **HOW** it will work in your favor. Just **BELIEVE** it will be favorable for you.

When you concern yourself with **HOW** things are going to happen you will **PREVENT** things from happening. God is not meant to be understood. His Word is meant to be understood.

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INTELLECT!**

HERE ARE FIVE WAYS TO IDENTIFY WHEN YOUR INTELLECT IS ROBBING YOU

- When you **DOUBT** God your intellect is robbing you.
- When you **PROCRASTINATE** to fulfill a Godly instruction your intellect is robbing you.
- When you are **TRYING TO INTELLECTUALIZE** what God told you, your intellect is robbing you.
- When you **HESITATE** to move on God's instruction your intellect is robbing you.
- When you are **RELUCTANT TO RELY** on God's voice your intellect is robbing you.

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