

Affections

phroneo – the hidden place within, characterized by the diaphragm/core in ancient Greek literature. From this place of divine/spiritual interaction comes inspiration, artistic expression, things beyond the natural. Also, the insane....

Colossians 3:1,2 If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. Set your affection (*phroneo*) on things above, not on things on the earth. For ye are dead, and your life is hid (*krypto*) with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, shall appear, then shall ye also appear with him in glory.

Jesus did this

Philippians 2:5-7 -- Let this **mind** be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men:

For the mature walk

I Corinthians 13:11 When I was a child, I spake as a child, I **understood** as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.

phren – only once

I Corinthians 14:20-22 Brethren, be not children in **understanding**: howbeit in malice be ye children, but in **understanding** be men. In the law it is written, With men of other tongues and other lips will I speak unto this people; and yet for all that will they not hear me, saith the Lord. Wherefore tongues are for a sign, not to them that believe, but to them that believe not: but prophesying serveth not for them that believe not, but for them which believe.

Paul in Rome divine appointment and fulfillment

Acts 28: 16 – 24 And when we came to Rome, the centurion delivered the prisoners to the captain of the guard: but Paul was suffered to dwell by himself with a soldier that kept him. And it came to pass, that after three days Paul called the chief of the Jews together: and when they were come together, he said unto them, Men and brethren, though I have committed nothing against the people, or customs of our fathers, yet was I delivered prisoner from Jerusalem into the hands of the Romans. Who, when they had examined me, would have let me go, because there was no cause of death in me. But when the Jews spake against it, I was constrained to appeal unto Caesar; not that I had ought to accuse my nation of. For this cause therefore have I

called for you, to see you, and to speak with you: because that for the hope of Israel I am bound with this chain. And they said unto him, We neither received letters out of Judaea concerning thee, neither any of the brethren that came shewed or spake any harm of thee. But we desire to hear of thee what thou **thinkest**: for as concerning this sect, we know that every where it is spoken against. And when they had appointed him a day, there came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening. And some believed the things which were spoken, and some believed not.

Likeminded

Philippians 3:15-16 Let us therefore, as many as be perfect, be thus **minded**: and if in any thing ye be otherwise **minded**, God shall reveal (apokalypto) even this unto you. Nevertheless, whereto we have already attained, let us walk by the same rule, let us **mind** the same thing.

Flesh versus spirit

Romans 8:5 For they that are after the flesh do **mind** the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit.

Enemy Access

Matthew 16:23 But he turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan: thou art an offence unto me: for thou **savourest** not the things that be of God, but those that be of men.

Foolishness

aphron – fools Luke 11:40, 12:20; Romans 2:20

aphrosyne –

Mark 7:22-23 Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, **foolishness**: All these evil things come from within, and defile the man.

Ministry of Elijah/ friends of the bridegroom

phronesis (Gabriel to Zacharias)

Luke 1:17 And he shall go before him in the spirit and power of Elias, to turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the disobedient to the **wisdom** of the just; to make ready a people prepared for the Lord.