

FACING THE SIN THAT WINS
1 CORINTHIANS 15:57 / 2-5-17 / AM

I. HOW DOES SIN WORK?

- A. First, sin begins in the mind--Gen. 3:6a.
- B. Second, sin is addictive--Romans 6:12.
- C. Third, deception permeates the whole sin process--Jer. 17:9, Rom. 7:21-24.

II. SO HOW CAN WE SLAY THE SIN THAT WINS?

- A. First, confess your sin addiction.
- B. Second, believe there is a way out--2 Cor. 10:4.
- C. Third, recognize the "triggers" that precede your sin.
- D. Fourth, you must want to stop it.
- E. Fifth, pray for God's help--Matt. 26:41.
- F. Sixth, promise God you'll quit--Job 31:1.
- G. Seventh, find an accountability partner.
- H. Eighth, grow in God's Word--Psa. 119:11.
- I. Ninth, ask for God's forgiveness immediately when you fail--1 John 1:9.
- J. Tenth, don't give up and stop giving in--1 Cor. 15:57.