

**WHEN “I
THOUGHT”
OUTWEIGHS
“GOD SAYS”**



“Behold, I Thought”

2 Kings 5:9-14

Doesn't he know who I am?

I was expecting something much more
exciting

I was expecting to be personally served

This seems so simple and lowly

I can come up with a better way



“Behold, I Thought”

Despite God’s Promise

Genesis 20:11 – Abraham

Genesis 26:9 – Isaac

Genesis 31:31 – Jacob

Job 29:18, 30:1 – Job



“I Know What God Said About”

The fruit of the tree of knowledge
of good and evil – **Genesis 3**

About the way sacrifices were
to be made – **Leviticus 10:1-3**

About destroying everything
in Jericho – **Joshua 7:20-21**



“I Know What God Said About”

Temptation – **James 1:13-15**

Baptism – **Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38**

My Neighbor – **Luke 10:36-37**

Marriage – **Matthew 19:4-9**

The Church – **Matthew 16:18**

Worship – **John 4:24**

Brevity of Life – **James 4:13-17**



**Don't Let "I Think" Outweigh
"God Says"**

**"I Don't Really Know
What God Says..."**

1 Corinthians 10:12



**Don't Let "I Think" Outweigh
"God Says"**

**"I Know What God Says
But I Think I Have A
Better Way"**

1 Corinthians 3:18



**Don't Let "I Think" Outweigh
"God Says"**

**"I Know What God
Says, I've Tried That, It
Doesn't Work"**

Galatians 6:3




**Don't Let "I Think" Outweigh
"God Says"**

**"Well It's Just The Way
I Think"**

James 1:26



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“Repay no one evil for evil, but **give thought** to do what is honorable in the sight of all.”

(Rom 12:17 ESV)