

Taking Thoughts Captive

*We take captive every thought
to make it obedient to Christ. (2 Corinthians 10:5, NIV)*

As she spoke,
I felt the obligations piling onto me.
I started to tighten up as I saw
my time and freedom
slipping away.

Jesus, You quickly reminded me to
commit every task to You.
I did, and
peace returned.

Lord, teach me to take every thought captive and
consciously turn it to You:
every temptation to pride
every sense of responsibility
every dream
every concern
every uncertainty

By Your Spirit, turn me
more and more toward You.
Not just my thoughts, Lord.
Turn *me* toward You.

That is my greatest need.
That is the prayer of my heart, Lord Jesus:
turn me toward You.

*Father, consume more and more of
my thought, time, energy, and resources with
the things that matter most to You.*

Hymn: [I Fix My Thoughts on You](#)