



## Understand How Your Emotions Work: A Heart Built to Make Good Choices

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### **A Heart Built to Make Good Choices: You can make decisions from your heart**

#### **2 Corinthians 9:7 New Living Translation**

**You must each decide in your heart** how much to give. And don't give reluctantly or in response to pressure. "For God loves a person who gives cheerfully."

### **A Heart Built to Make Good Choices: The difference between the Mind and Heart**

- The Mind is a processor
- The Heart is a foundational center, storage center, information center

### **A Heart Built to Make Good Choices: A Holy Spirit filled heart changes everything!**

#### **Romans 5:5 New Living Translation**

**And this hope will not lead to disappointment. For we know how dearly God loves us, because he has given us the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with his love.**

#### **2 Corinthians 1:22 New Living Translation**

and he has identified us as his own by placing the Holy Spirit in our hearts as the first installment that guarantees everything he has promised us.

### **A Heart Built to Make Good Choices: My heart can encourage/corrupt my mind; my mind can encourage/corrupt my heart**

#### **Titus 1:15 New Living Translation**

Everything is pure to those whose hearts are pure. But nothing is pure to those who are corrupt and unbelieving, because their minds and consciences are corrupted.

#### **Romans 2:15 New Living Translation**

They demonstrate that God's law is written in their hearts, for their own conscience and thoughts either accuse them or tell them they are doing right.