

Like Jesus, we can overcome the stronghold of doubting God's Word through, *"It is written..."* This simple phrase remains a powerful weapon available to us today whenever we engage the stronghold of enemy deception. When we encounter direct demonic resistance related to men and women partnering in the Gospel, we should respond with *"It is written..."* then speak the truth of God's Word. We must be sure our understanding of any individual passage lines up to God's character as revealed in all of Scripture and with his ideal design he created in Genesis 1-2 – male and female as *ezer k'negedu* (equal/compatible strengths). *"It is written..."* clarifies God's character and mission and lights the path forward for men and women living under a cloud of deception.

Pray believers will recognize and pluck out any seeds of doubt sown by the enemy and walk boldly in the light of God's Word, trusting in God's character, God's design of women and men, and God's strategy of men and women running fast and far together. May the mountains of DECEPTION and DOUBT be moved, in Jesus' name!