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For out of it spring the issues of life.*

*Proverbs 4:23 (New King James Version)*



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**(1) the mind;**

**(2) the will;**

**(3) the conscience;**

**(4) the affections of life.**



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**(1) the mind = Intelligence Department**

**As a man thinks in his heart, so is he. Proverbs 23:7**

**To be spiritually minded is life and peace. Romans 8:6**

**To be carnally minded is death. Romans 8:7**



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### (2) the will = Gate Keeping Department

For the weapons of our warfare *are* not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ...

**2 Corinthians 10:5**



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**(3) the conscience = Judicial Department**

I myself always strive to have a conscience without  
offense toward God and men

**Acts 24:16**



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**(4) the affections of life = Feelings Department**

For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. **Matthew 6:21**

Seek first the Kingdom of God. **Matthew 6:33**

Nevertheless I have somewhat against you, because you have left your first love. **Revelation 2:4**





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