

All Things Are Twice Created

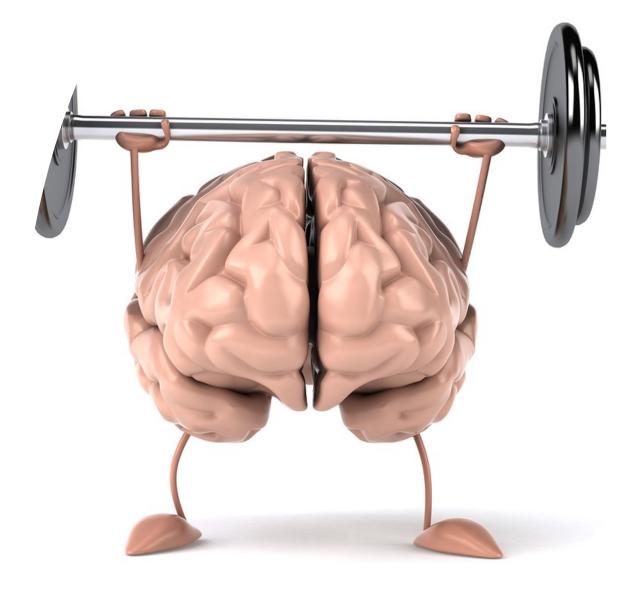
- Everything ever created was
- We formed an image on the
- Imagination is preceded by THINKING / CONSIDERATION
- Thinking is preceded by

Genesis 1:2

- INPUT / OBSERVATION
 - "The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was on the face of the deep."
- THINKING / CONSIDERATION
 - "And the Spirit of God was hovering (moved) over the face of the waters."
 - HOVERING: Rāḥap̄ = to hover, stir, vibrate, energize.
- Rāḥap̄ is the energizing movement <u>BEFORE</u> creation takes shape.
- Rāḥap̄ describes the dynamic, creative motion that precedes and activates imagination.

THINKING & CONSIDERATION PHASE

- Use your brain... Question: Implications, Applications (Moses Q)
- "if you call out for insight and raise your voice for understanding,..." Proverbs 2:3
- "cry out for (bina) the ability to think strategically and analytically with the capacity to see the WHY behind things, so you can discern between options or nuances... and lift up your voice asking for (tabun) the ability to analyze and reason with a mind skilled at processing complex or layered issues."
- Be intensely and intently curious.



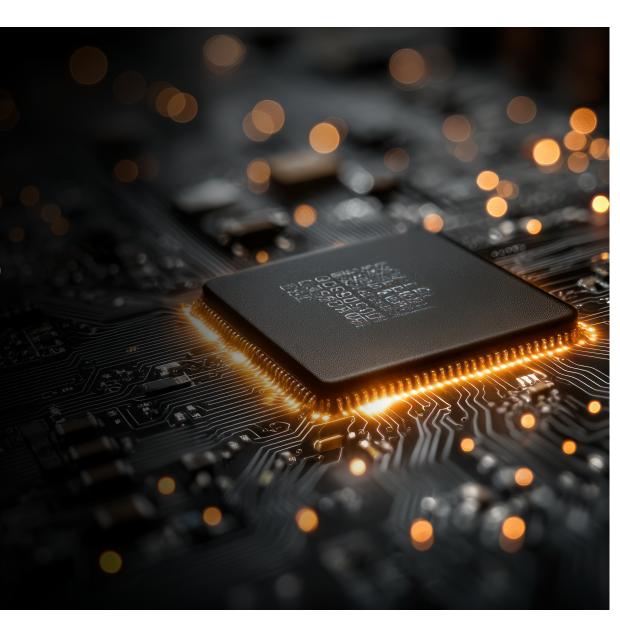
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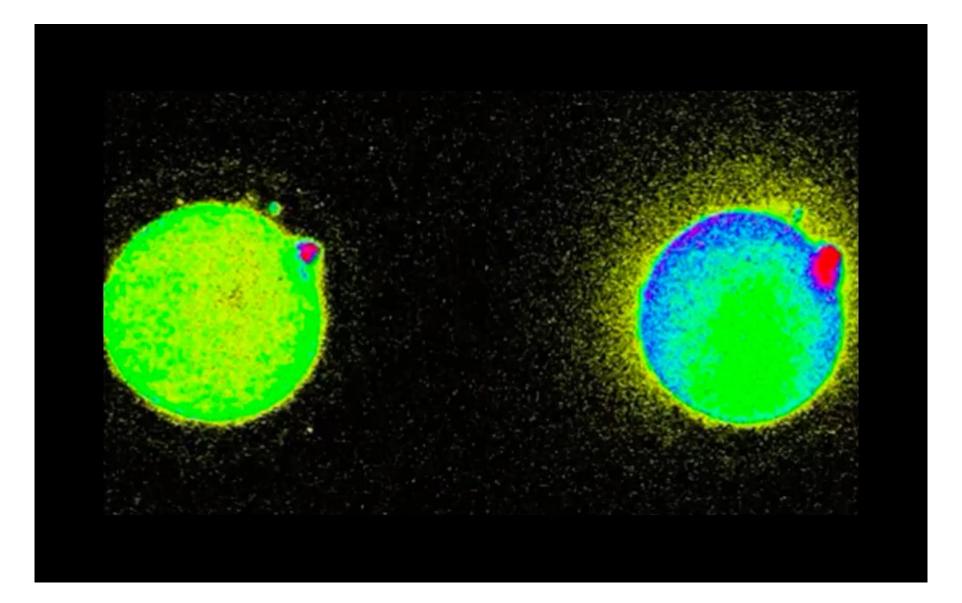
- IMAGINATION (SEEING) FOLLOWS CONSIDERATION / THINKING
- "...while we do not look at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen..." (2 Corinthians 4:18)
- "You keep him in perfect peace whose mind (yeser (noun) = imagination, formed intention, conception) is stayed on you..." (Isaiah 26:3)
- "O Lord God of Abraham, Isaac, and of Israel, our fathers, keep this for ever in the imagination (yeser) of the thoughts of the heart of thy people..." (1 Chronicles 29:18)



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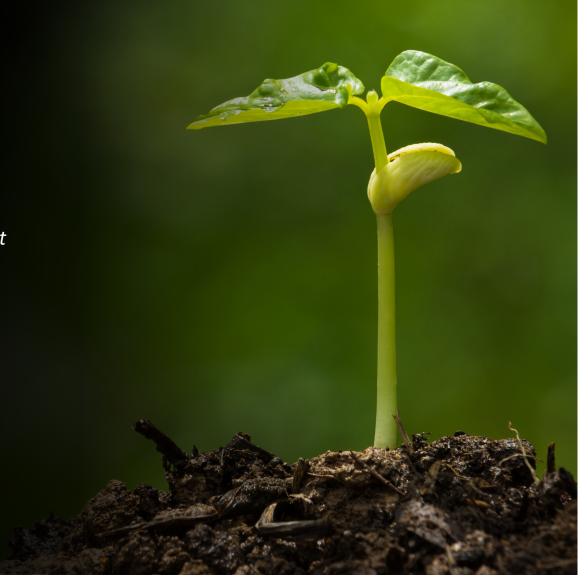
- Your mind is the computer (processor) where information is stored and managed for easy retrieval, but your heart is the incubator, where information goes from stored up knowledge to heartfelt realities.
- "Wise people store up knowledge." (Proverbs 10:14)
- Your heart is the birthplace of faith. That moment when facts in your mind become faith in your heart.
- It's what I call the moment of CONCEPTION.





CONCEPTION

- "Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which lives and abides for ever." (1 Peter 1:23)
- Seed = spora / sperma: As in "Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made." Galatians 3:16
- The word of God is a living seed and when planted in the heart, if received, leads to salvation.
- "For with the heart one believes unto righteousness..." Romans 10:10
- Conception takes place in the heart.





- Every thing has two births. The idea is first birthed in the heart. We call that conception.
- Manifestation is the second birth, when it's introduced to the world.
- "And the Lord said, Behold, the people is one, and they have all one language; and this they begin to do: and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined (zaman) to do." (Genesis 11:6)





strength and my Redeemer." (Psalm 19:14)

Meditation Leads To Conception (Combustion)

- Meditating is not emptying your mind, it is the idea of rehearsing something such as the Word of God.
- One of the purposes of meditation is so you can see it. Rehearse it mentally.
- Once you "see" it, (lights up, epiphany, aha, eureka) it transfers from the act of rehearsing to belief.



IMAGINATION UNLOCKED

- "And the Lord God formed (yasar) man of the dust of the ground," (Gen 2:7) (verb)
- Just as God "formed" (yāṣar) man from the dust, we "form" (yāṣar) inner realities in our hearts and minds.
- Our imagination in the Hebrew sense

 is a creative faculty given by God to
 shape the unseen <u>BEFORE</u> it becomes
 visible.



SEEING IS BELIEVING

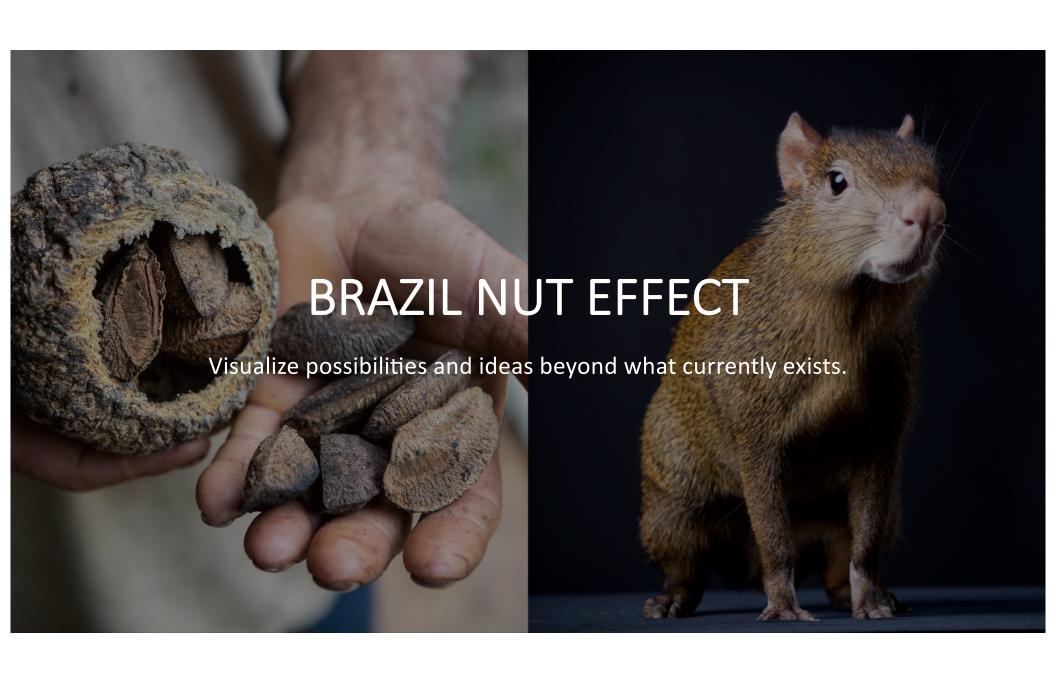
- I can imagine me walking on water, but that's not conception (because I don't believe yet).
- Imagination is the introduction of an outcome I may want (or not want – i.e. Downs)
- Imagining an outcome is a necessary step, without which you won't believe.
- If you don't see it, you won't conceive it, or believe it.

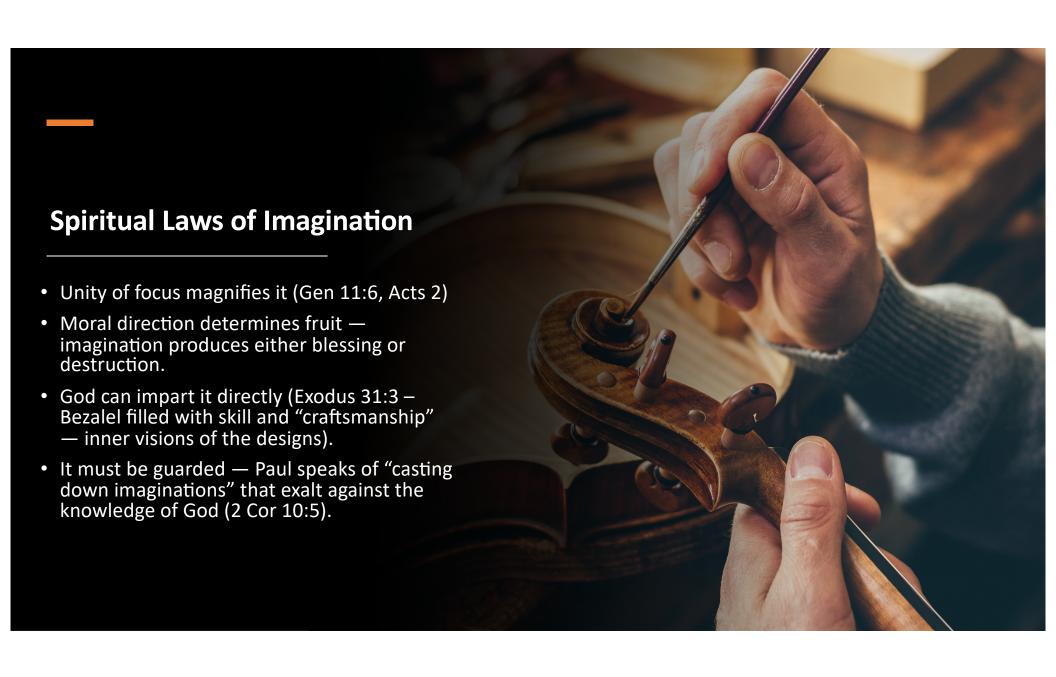


How Einstein Famously Harnessed Imagination

- Einstein asked himself: "What would it look like if I could chase a beam of light?"
- If he caught up to the light, would it appear frozen in space?
- That imaginative question became the seed for his theory of special relativity (1905), where the speed of light is constant for all observers.



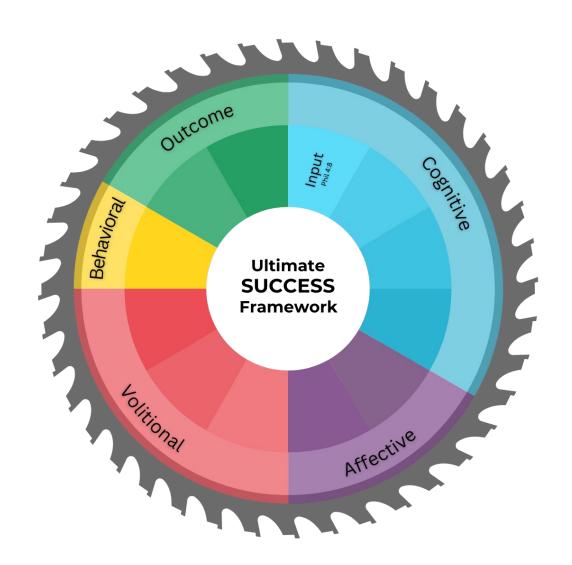


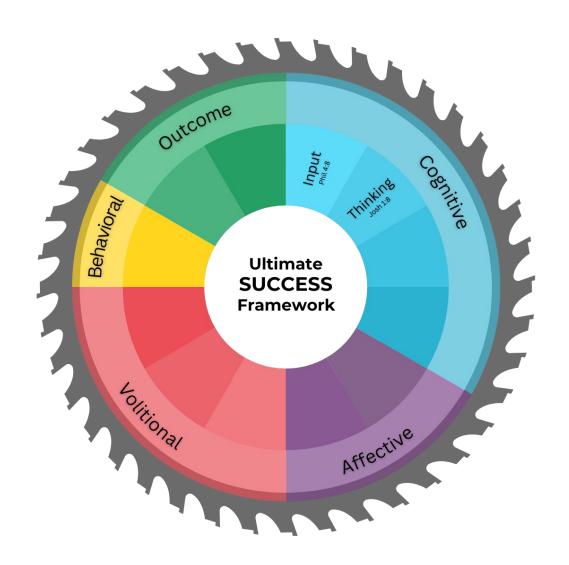


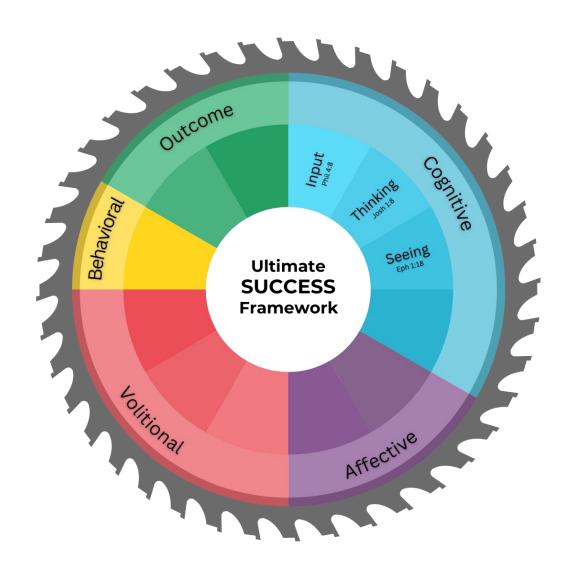
Imagination: Inner Craftsmanship

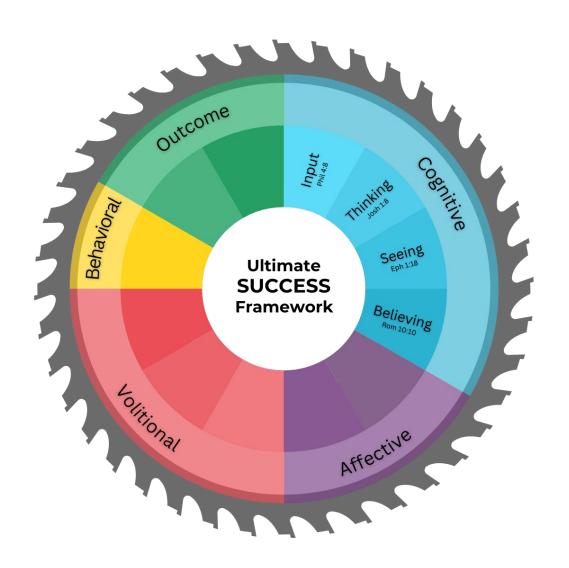
- A potter's wheel for the soul shaping ideas, visions, and plans.
- A seedbed of faith or fear whatever is formed inside will seek to emerge in reality.
 - "For the thing I greatly feared has come upon me, And what I dreaded has happened to me." (Job 3:25)
- A power so strong God will either bless it or confront it, depending on its alignment with Him.













Jesus School of Business "...a greater than Solomon is here" -Matthew 12:42