

Not ‘Less of Me and More of You’

[Transcript of Tien sharing a conversation with God]¹

He said to me about false humility, “You’ve been taught the way to pray is less of me and more of you. In the Kingdom it doesn’t work like that, don’t you think, because you are made sons. So that means I want all of you – we together. Because if you always think that you have to be less, then I do all the work. But I can’t do all the work, I want my sons to do the work. So you have to know what I have put in you and you go full-on. Go out there and do it for me. Don’t just say, ‘Less of me and more of you’.”

I think this is very much in line with your article on temptation². It’s not about being tempted, but it’s so much about, OK we’ll always get tempted, but we just say “No” to it rather than feeling inadequate, thinking that we don’t have what it takes to say “No”. So God said, “When I ask you to do something, I’ll prepare you. So I want all of you out there. And I will go with you, together, because you are in me and I’m in you. So there’s no such thing as continuing to say, ‘More of me and less of you’. Because then you won’t do anything.”

When he gave me that I just thought, wow. He’s probably seen me being so hesitant, and thinking, ‘People won’t think I can do it, so I better not do it’.³

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1 – Recorded and transcribed with permission (23-10-2017)

2 – “Escape from Temptation” (22-10-2017)

(canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/03/Escape-from-Temptation.pdf)

3 – Some minor grammatical editing was done for this transcript so that it reads more easily.