

# BOOK DEVIN FOR YOUR CONFERENCE OR RETREAT



**"THE BEST RETREAT WE'VE HAD IN 19 YEARS."**

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**"WE'RE HAVING HIM BACK!"**

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**"WE DIDN'T THINK IT WAS POSSIBLE. HIS SECOND  
RETREAT WAS BETTER THAN THE FIRST."**



# IDENTITY AND MISSION: SONSHIP TO SACRIFICE

## FOUR PART MEN'S RETREAT

### TALK 1: YOUR GREATEST BATTLE

Your identity leads to and determines your destiny. Who you are will determine who you are becoming and will become. In this first of four talks, *Your Greatest Battle*, we will discuss the essential attribute of the true son of God, the three areas of his identity that the evil one will attack, and three basic ways to become victorious in this battle for our essential identity as trusting sons of God the Father.

### TALK 2: YOUR GREATEST WEAPON

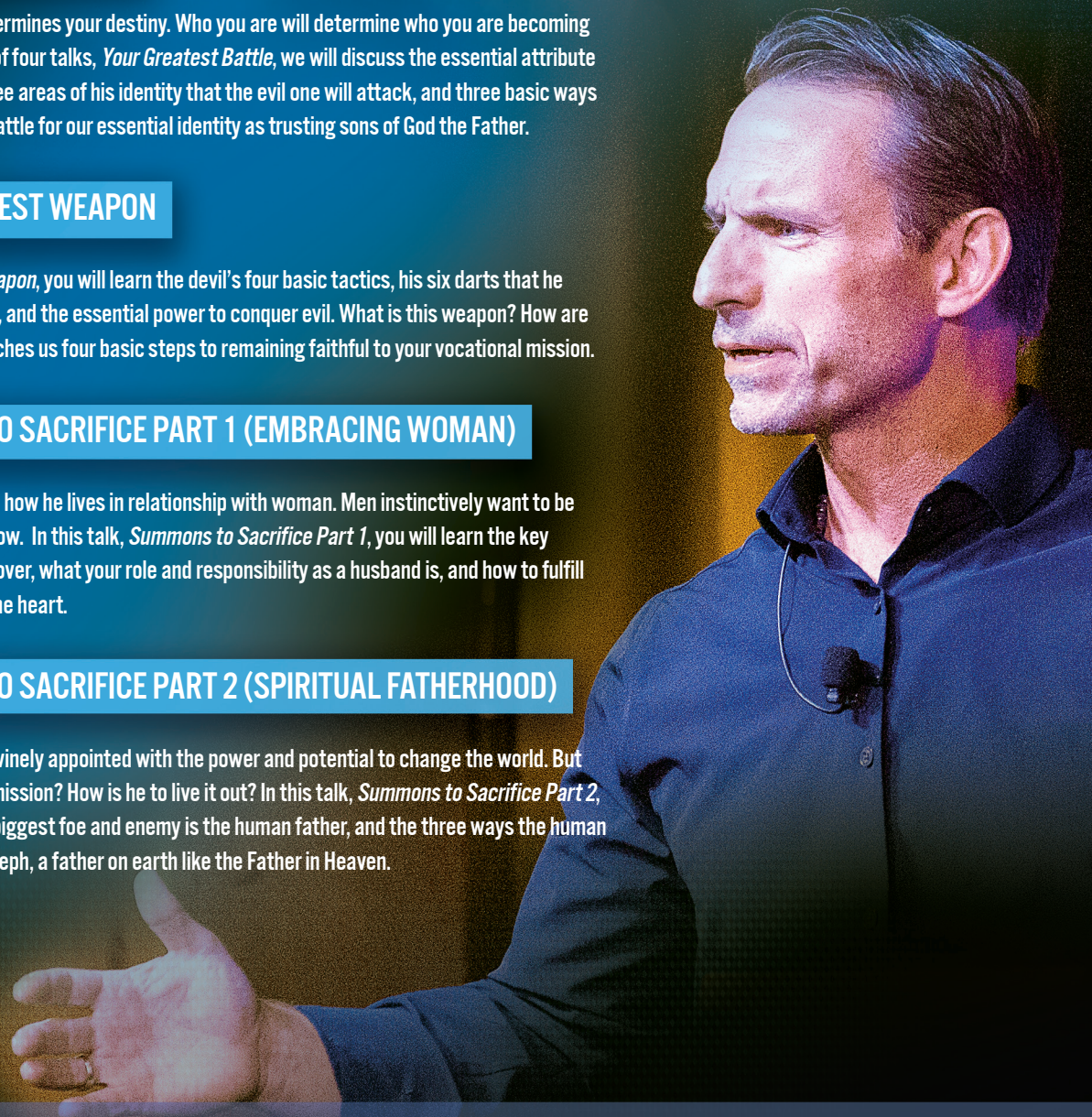
In this talk, *Your Greatest Weapon*, you will learn the devil's four basic tactics, his six darts that he intends to use to take you out, and the essential power to conquer evil. What is this weapon? How are we to use it? St. Joseph's teaches us four basic steps to remaining faithful to your vocational mission.

### TALK 3: SUMMONS TO SACRIFICE PART 1 (EMBRACING WOMAN)

The real man is determined by how he lives in relationship with woman. Men instinctively want to be warriors; but few men know how. In this talk, *Summons to Sacrifice Part 1*, you will learn the key characteristic of the warrior-lover, what your role and responsibility as a husband is, and how to fulfill this role by defeating lust in the heart.

### TALK 4: SUMMONS TO SACRIFICE PART 2 (SPIRITUAL FATHERHOOD)

The human father has been divinely appointed with the power and potential to change the world. But what is a father? What is his mission? How is he to live it out? In this talk, *Summons to Sacrifice Part 2*, you will learn that the devil's biggest foe and enemy is the human father, and the three ways the human father can become like St. Joseph, a father on earth like the Father in Heaven.



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# GET YOUR HOUSE IN ORDER: TESTED AND PERFECTED

## FOUR PART MEN'S RETREAT

### TALK 1: DAY OF BATTLE

We are amidst, perhaps the greatest spiritual battle. What does that have to do with you or me? In *Day of Battle*, Devin outlines the macro vision of the perennial battle between good and evil and why you are pivotal in God's strategy for victory.

### TALK 2: CONVICTION AND CONVERSION

We want a better future. We want to be the best we can be but often our past precludes us from proceeding with our future. In this presentation, we discover how to heal from our insecurities, conquer shame and sin, and follow Jesus unreservedly.

### TALK 3: TESTED AND PERFECTED

Why does God allow suffering? More importantly, how am I to respond under such dire circumstances? Learn how to become a man of resilience and with Jesus' help convert our trials into triumph and become a son in whom the Father is well-pleased.

### TALK 4: WHERE ARE YOU?

Every man has his mission but often we fail at our post. In this presentation, you will be given practical tools to reclaim and man your post and to become the priest, protector, and provider that God has called and destined you to be.



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# MAN'S IDENTITY AND MISSION

## 2-PART CONFERENCE

All of us have a mission to fulfill, but many of us struggle to know what that mission is because we fail to know who we really are. In the first of the two talks, *Who Are You?* Devin Schadt helps you understand the importance of your identity, why the evil one is intent on keeping you from living that identity, his strategy to destroy that identity and practical steps to becoming who you really are in Christ. In the second talk, *Where Are You?* Devin outlines every man's role and mission in God's plan, how that mission is unique from the woman, and practical ways to live and become the saint, God has destined you to be.

## CONFERENCE TALKS

### THE POWER OF ST. JOSEPH – TERROR OF DEMONS (50-55 MINUTES)

Have you ever wondered why you feel powerless over evil or why evil has power over you? St. Joseph is called Terror of Demons because the devil and his minions had no power over him. In *The Power of St. Joseph*, Devin Schadt digs deep into the Sacred Scripture and outlines the major characteristics that gave this great saint the power to conquer evil; and how you, by God's grace, can embody these attributes in your pursuit of conquering evil and becoming a living saint. *The Power of St. Joseph* will give you the tools to become a terror of demons.

### ST. JOSEPH, THE HIDDEN SECRET OF FATIMA (50-55 MINUTES)

Numerous books, movies, and documentaries on the topic of Our Lady of Fatima exist, but few highlight St. Joseph's presence during the last of the six apparitions. Why has this essential element of the Fatima visions been eclipsed over the last one hundred years? In *The Hidden Secret of Fatima*, Devin Schadt will take you on a historical scriptural tour that highlights the thread of the 13th day as the day of battle between good and evil, and how this scriptural thread points to St. Joseph as the key to God's decisive victory over evil, and how we today can participate in obtaining that victory.

### LEAD: THE FOUR MARKS OF FATHERLY GREATNESS (50-55 MINUTES)

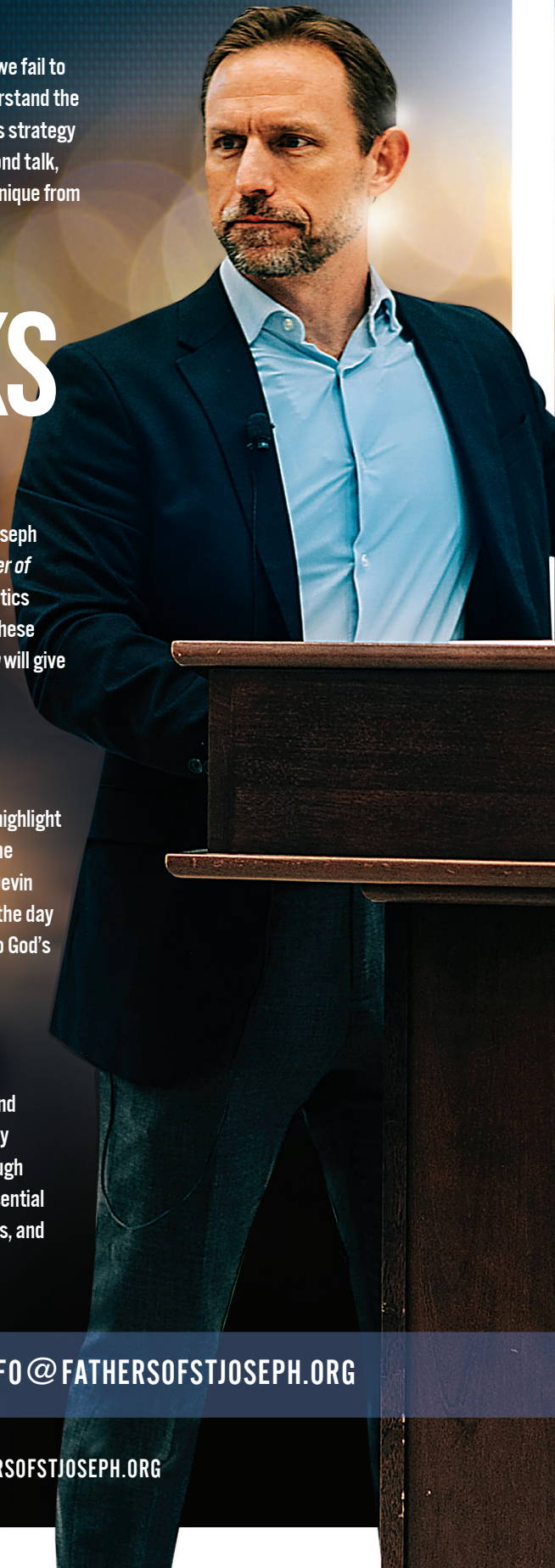
Without a vision, the people perish. If men are to become the sons, the husbands, the fathers, and the leaders that God has called and destined them to be, they need a roadmap that compellingly outlines their purpose, the plan to fulfill that purpose, and a practical way to live that plan. Through the example of St. Joseph, men will discover that their vocation, as husbands and fathers, is essential for the redemption and salvation of mankind. They will learn the four pillars of fatherly greatness, and practical ways to begin living St. Joseph's spirituality today.

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