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**Fellowship of Companies for Christ
Greater Hartford Chapter
Mitchell's Coffee House
April 6, 2011**

- Opening prayer
- Introductions
- Praise reports
- Today's Topic: **Is it Strategy or Spirit-led?**



"...Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, left the Jordan and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness." Luke 4:1

As leaders, we tend to be planners and thinkers. We develop strategies and tactics to survive and thrive in the marketplace. While God gave us a brain and He wants us to use it, strategy will never compare with the leading of the Holy Spirit. His ways are not your ways, and are far beyond your capacity to "think" for yourself.

There will be times when the Spirit will lead you in ways that are contrary to your "strategy."

Sometimes the Spirit will lead you into the wilderness—the last place "we" plan to go.

Sometimes the Spirit will lead you into a season of trials—the last place "we" plan to go.

Can you recall times when you were strategy-led and experienced defeat?

Can you recall times when you were Spirit-led and enjoyed supernatural victory?

How do you discern the voice of the Lord? How can you tell it's the Spirit leading you?

- Next meeting: Wednesday, April 20 @ 7:30 am here
- Upcoming events/news
- Closing prayer