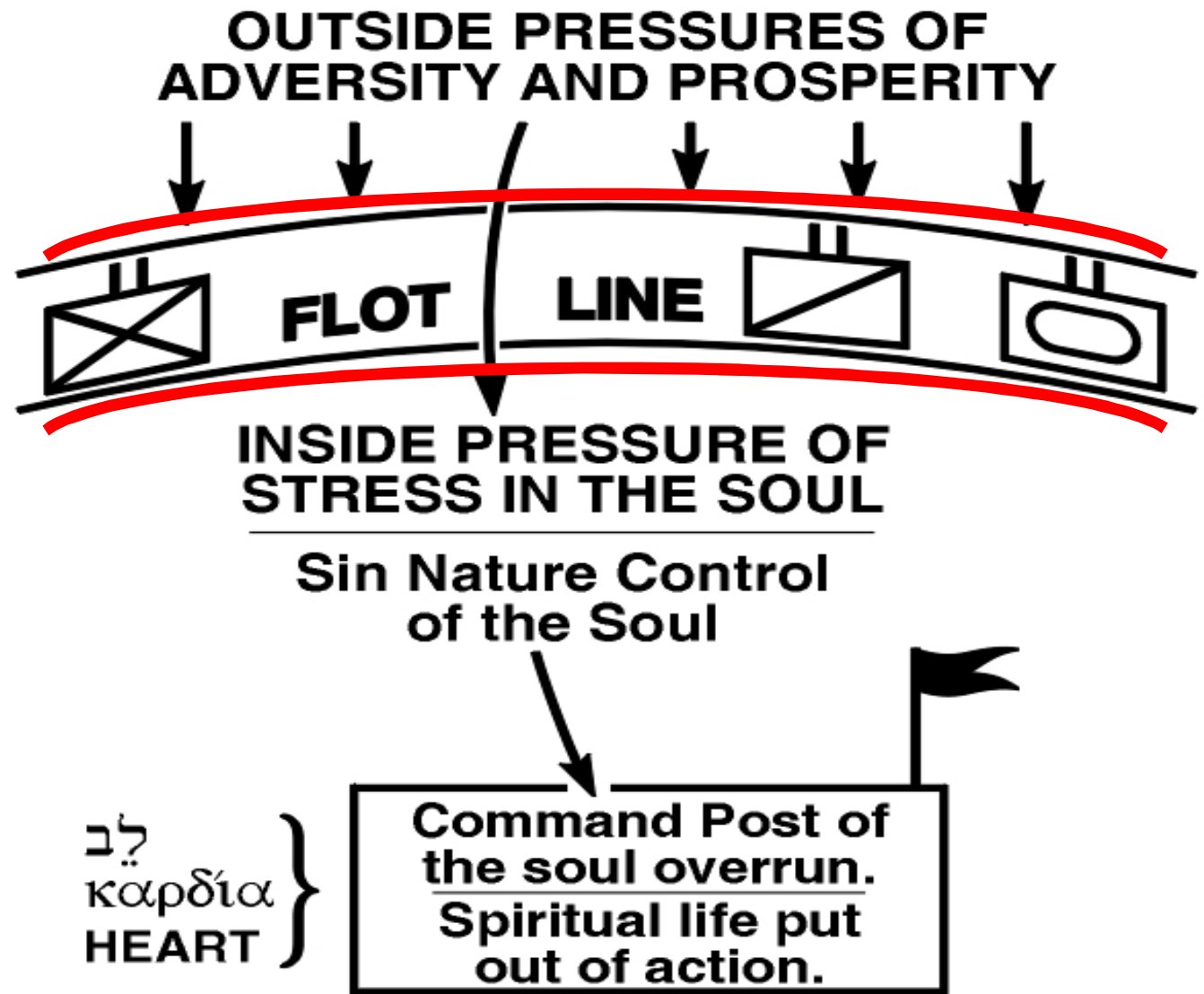




### Roman *Scutum*

The traditional shield of the legionary was the curved, oval *scutum*. A 1st-century BC example measured 50" long by 25" wide and made of strips of planed wood laminated in three alternate layers. It was faced with felt and calf skin and weighed 22 lb.

Ross Cowan, *Roman Legionary: 58 BC–AD 69* (Oxford, UK: Publishing, 2003), 27.



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