



WINNING THE BATTLE WITH FAITH AND LOVE

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DAY 1 – DO IT LOVE'S WAY

Jesus' love delivered a demon-possessed man. Jesus fulfilled what was spoken by Isaiah the prophet—He took our infirmities and bore our sicknesses. Jesus cast out fear with love and compassion.

STUDY IT

- I. Jesus' love delivered a demon-possessed man (see Mark 5:2-10).
 - One demonic spirit possessed this man, made him strong and forced him to cut himself.
 - If any of you have a desire to cut yourself, you can be delivered today just like this man.
 - When the man saw Jesus far off, he ran toward Jesus and worshipped Him.
 - Jesus said, "Come out of the man, you unclean spirit."
 - When Jesus said that, that devil answered and said his name was Legion and there were many other demons.
 - A legion is 3,000-6,000 men.
 - One demon possessed the man; the legion, the 3,000-6,000 demons were controlling the whole area of the Gadarenes, making it a dangerous place.
 - The unclean spirits didn't want to go to the dry places. They needed a body, and they would accept the bodies of the hogs (see Mark 5:12-13).
 - Unclean spirits cannot adequately express themselves without a body.
 - The demons went into the pigs, and they drowned in the sea.
 - The hogs were being raised for food for the Roman army.
- II. Jesus fulfilled what was spoken by Isaiah the prophet saying, "He took our infirmities and bore our sicknesses" (see Matthew 8:17; Isaiah 53:4)
 - Jesus came to Peter's house for supper (Mark 1:30-31).
 - Peter's mother-in-law was sick with a fever.
 - Jesus rebuked the fever and touched her hand, and she was healed.
 - Jesus was manifested in the flesh (born physically), and made alive in the spirit as He came up out of hell with the keys of death and hell (see Revelation 1:18).



- Jesus broke the devil and his power in hell itself.
 - Many people who were possessed with demons were brought to Jesus (see Mark 1:34).
 - He cast out the evil spirits with His WORD and healed all who were sick.
- III. Jesus cast out fear with love and compassion (see Mark 5:19).
- Faith prepares with corresponding action.
 - Jesus called the man who had been demon-possessed to preach, so He brought nice clothes for him (see Mark 5:15).
 - Later, Jesus went right back to that same place, and the same people clamored to hear what He had to say because of the witness of this man He had called, clothed and sent to preach (see Mark 6:53-56).
- IV. Jesus stepped into Peter's boat to preach (see Luke 5:3-6).
- When He finished preaching, Jesus told Peter to cast his nets—plural. Peter threw out one net.
 - Peter was willfully disobedient. He got one old, rotten net that he wouldn't have to rewash, and caught so many fish that the net broke.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

The love of God that flows through Jesus is available to you today. His love is strong and powerful. His love can and will deliver you from every problem. He will take you into His family and call you to work with Him to tell others what God has done for you.

If you will receive His love, pray with us.

"Heavenly Father, I receive Your offer of love. I realize Your love is powerful enough to get me out of my problems and clear my mind of worry and fear. I repent because I have not received Your love, and right now I open my heart to You. You love me, and I love You. Thank You, loving Father; thank You, loving Jesus! I pray in Jesus' Name. Amen."



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DAY 2 – THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES—PART 1

The founding scripture that is the basis for our Constitution is Isaiah 33:22, “For the Lord is our judge, the Lord is our lawgiver, the Lord is our king; he will save us.” The military has the responsibility to enforce the laws of our country and protect the citizens as provided by the Constitution. The Constitution is the world’s longest-surviving written charter of government. The Declaration of Independence from England, and the Constitution contain language describing what this new nation of liberty would look like. Sin is still the greatest enemy of any people. God holds us responsible to protect and use the gifts He has given us.

STUDY IT

- I. The founding scripture that is the basis for our Constitution is, “For the Lord is our judge, the Lord is our lawgiver, the Lord is our king; he will save us” (Isaiah 33:22).
 - We don’t want any other king but God Himself.
 - God expresses Himself in threes, and there are three branches of government—judicial, legislative and executive.
 - In our government, we the people determine what each one of those branches looks like.
- II. The military has the responsibility to enforce the laws of our country and protect the citizens as provided by the Constitution.
 - The military makes an oath of enlistment: “I solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic. I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same.”
 - It’s an allegiance to the Constitution, not to a person.
 - The Constitution bears allegiance to The LORD God and His WORD. Its very essence comes from the Creator and His WORD.
 - The oath addresses allegiance to the order of command.
 - The code of justice is to be in line with the Constitution and its connection to The WORD of God.





- III. The Constitution is the world's longest-surviving written charter of government.
- It was written in 1787, ratified in 1788 and put into effect in 1789.
 - We are approaching 250 years as a nation, and it still stands because it has an eternal quality about it. It has been amended 27 times.
- IV. The Declaration of Independence from England, and the Constitution contain language describing what this new nation of liberty would look like.
- The Declaration of Independence states: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed."
 - The opening preamble of the Constitution states: "We the People of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, ensure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."
 - It's "We the People." God said, "If My people" (2 Chronicles 7:14).
 - What you need is in the system. God and His system are one. You have to put a demand on the system for it to work for you.
- V. Sin is still the greatest enemy of any people. It still produces death.
- Corporately, when sin is present, it becomes indiscriminate in its action.
 - For example: Joshua and the army of the children of Israel won a great victory at Jericho. Then they went to the small city of Ai expecting to conquer it with no problem.
 - They were defeated because there was sin in the camp.
 - They found out who had sinned. It was Achan and according to Jewish history, he had disobeyed again and again.
 - The people knew about his disobedience. He was doing something they were all familiar with.
 - They didn't sin themselves, but they were tolerant.
 - The people didn't give enough value to obedience and holiness.
 - Sin tolerated erodes the moral conscience of a person or a nation.
- VI. God holds us responsible to protect and use the gifts He has given us.
- The Constitution begins with: "We the People"—not "we the servants."
 - This is God's way. He gave Adam this Kingdom principle: *Do as you see Me do, say what you hear Me say, and be as you see that I am.* But Adam didn't.



- The responsibility of the success of this nation rests solely on the shoulders of “we the people”—that means you.
- God says, *What did you do with My salvation, with the Holy Spirit, and with The WORD in the nation I gave you to see to it that it was successful?*
 - He continues, *I gave you the most precious gift I can give a nation—Liberty. What did you do, how did you handle it, how did you own it?*
- The Constitution is what drives the nation. It is the steering wheel. It is how we change things.
- One person can have an impact on the nation. Your vote is huge.
 - First of all, you’re responsible to pray about your vote and be educated by what the Bible says. Then look at other information such as the party platforms.
 - Remember: Your impact is effective before God’s throne (see Hebrews 4:16).

MAKE IT PERSONAL

The Constitution of the United States is our guarantee of a protected life of opportunity. It should be guarded, protected and adhered to in all governmental processes.

It’s up to us to pray that God will continue to protect our nation and our leaders, and give wisdom to our decision-makers as they follow the dictates of the Constitution. We are responsible to submit to God and to resist the devil, not only in our personal lives, but also in the governmental arena.

We have the victory through Jesus Christ!



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DAY 3 – THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES—PART 2

The Constitution of the United States is a product of faith in God's WORD and unity. It has been the guide for this nation for almost 250 years and is still the guide for the success of our country.

STUDY IT

- I. The Constitution reads: "We the People of the United States...."
 - We are individuals who make up "the people."
 - In America, you are first a part of a state. From the state's perspective, you are part of your state's city or district.
 - From a constitutional standpoint, it's about the states.
 - The Civil War was fought over states' rights versus federal intervention.
 - Throughout the war, there was a great move of God.
 - People came to a higher level, an awakening to God.
 - The war became about the equality of people that far superseded the rights of any state.
 - It was elevated to a spiritual battle.
- II. Economics will always respond to life.
 - If you get life and support of Israel wrong, you've got the curse working on you.
 - The success of this nation is dependent on the unity of the states.
 - True unity only comes from God.
 - The devil's idea of unity produces division, disharmony, strife (see James 3:16).
 - During the signing of the Constitution, Benjamin Franklin said there's no way we could have won the Revolutionary War if it had not been for divine providence and intervention. Therefore, how can we form this nation without asking for His help?
 - They sought God, prayed and came into unity that resulted in a living document—the Constitution.



- Unity is the product of the Holy Spirit, and of faith in The LORD and His WORD.
 - We have different denominations but as long as Jesus is LORD, He can bring us together.
 - The Constitution is the result of a miracle of unification among the states.
- III. The Constitution continues: "In Order to form a more perfect Union."
- *Perfect* means "corresponding to an ideal standard, faithfully reproducing the original."
 - The Constitution faithfully holds to the truths of God's WORD.
 - *Perfect* means "complete, legally valid and proficient."
 - *Justice* is righteousness.
 - The Constitution is to establish righteousness—the Judge who has given His WORD (see Isaiah 33:22).
 - Righteousness is a characteristic of God Himself.
 - *Tranquility* is "calmness and peacefulness."
 - National defense belongs to the nation. State defense belongs to the state. Local defense belongs to local government. Personal defense belongs to you.
 - The purpose of defense is to secure the benefits of liberty.
 - With God's BLESSING comes responsibility.
 - The purpose of the Constitution, and our responsibility, is to secure and see to it that our liberty is preserved for ourselves and our posterity.
 - "In order to ordain and establish," an organization, a set of rules on a permanent basis, is the purpose of "this Constitution of the United States of America."

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The Constitution of the United States is a valuable gift the Founding Fathers gave us.

Write how you benefit from this document.



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DAY 4 – SOLDIERS IN THE ARMY OF THE LORD

We are in the midst of a spiritual war. 2021 is the Year of the Local Church. Put on God's whole armor and don't be moved by anything but God's WORD.

STUDY IT

- I. We are in the midst of a spiritual war.
 - What do we do in the face of a barrage of attacks? We fight back. We don't war after the flesh, but we do war (see 2 Corinthians 4:3).
 - We fight the good fight of faith (1 Timothy 6:12). We get aggressive with the devil, and have "bulldog" faith.
 - We have several relationships with God. We are: sons and daughters, servants, ambassadors, and soldiers in the army of The LORD.
 - Declare: "I am a soldier of God in the army of The LORD."
 - The Church is an occupying army.
- II. The LORD told Brother Copeland that "2021 is the Year of the Local Church."
 - The devil is trying to sift us, discourage us and shut down the Church.
 - The Church has been placed on the earth as military posts of the kingdom of heaven.
 - We do not allow the devil to invade our territory.
 - Don't quit; don't give up; keep going.
 - Declare: "I am strong in The LORD and in the power of His might" (see Ephesians 6:10).
 - We are called to be the soldiers of The LORD. Draw your strength from Him.
 - "The strong spirit of a man sustains him in bodily pain or trouble" (Proverbs 18:14, *AMPC*).
 - We're not going down; we are going up.
- III. Put on God's whole armor.
 - We are heavily armed, we have the Name and the blood of Jesus, The WORD of God and angels around us.



- You can stand against the wiles of the devil's methods, schemes, plans and strategies.
 - "To keep satan from getting the advantage over us; for we are not ignorant of his wiles and intentions" (2 Corinthians 2:11, *AMPC*).
 - The devil tries to steal The WORD immediately after it is planted.
- IV. No matter what is going on in our nation, Afghanistan, at home or anywhere else, we will not be moved.
- "He will not be moved forever" (Psalm 112:6, *AMPC*).
 - The Apostle Paul wrote, "None of these things move me" (Acts 20:24).
 - The devil is the root of all sickness and disease.
 - We put on God's armor to resist the attacks of satan.
 - The devil's attack against people is turning around. We will not be moved, shaken, stopped or thwarted by the enemy.
 - The law of war: Don't be afraid. Pastors will encourage you, reminding you that The LORD is with you (see Deuteronomy 20:1-4).
 - "Therefore, put on every piece of God's armor so you will be able to resist the enemy in the time of evil. Then after the battle you will still be standing firm" (Ephesians 6:13, *NLT*).
 - When the dust of spiritual battle settles, we are still standing.
 - Be sober, vigilant and on guard (see 1 Peter 5:8).

MAKE IT PERSONAL

You may not see yourself as a soldier, yet you do fight the fight of faith.

You're in God's army, and you have strong armor as found in Ephesians 6:10-18.

Your enemy is the devil and all of his devices.

Write how this information changes how you see yourself and your circumstances.



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DAY 5 – PERSISTENT FAITH WEARS DOWN THE ENEMY'S RESISTANCE

The Body of Christ has to be strong for ourselves and to be able to help others. Learn how to cast down every imagination and high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God. Your persistence in faith will wear down the devil's resistance.

STUDY IT

- I. The Body of Christ has to be strong for ourselves and to be able to help others.
 - The devil is fighting battles on different fronts at the same time—things going on in Washington, D.C., Afghanistan, Korea, Beijing—we are nearing the coming of The LORD Jesus.
 - The devil has strategies to discourage you and get you off course (see Ephesians 6:11, *AMPC*).
 - When you sleep, he attacks with thoughts of fear and lack.
 - You have to take authority over your thoughts and dreams.
 - Sleep is supposed to be a time of rest and recovery.
- II. We have to learn how to cast down every imagination and high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God (see 2 Corinthians 10:4).
 - Any failure, doubt and unbelief—you cast that down. That's hand-to-hand combat.
 - Meditate and focus on who you are in Christ.
 - The devil's strategy is designed to wear down our resolve and resistance to stand and fight.
 - The enemy is persistent to push his will onto us.
 - Goliath's strategy was to use the power of persistence (see 1 Samuel 17:8-11).
 - For 40 days, Goliath's persistence was wearing down the Israelites' resistance.
 - Samson faced the same persistent attack.
 - Delilah pushed him and pushed him and pushed him until finally he told her the secret to his strength (see Judges 16:6-17).
 - We have images pounding on us every day on the news.



- The work of our military in Afghanistan has not been in vain! There is going to be a restoration. Jesus is going to show up,
- The USA is a godly nation, a righteous nation. There is an awakening taking place. You are going to see the change.
- We have to be more persistent than the devil. Keep speaking The WORD.

III. Your persistence in faith will wear down the devil's resistance.

- Faith is an action word; it is an aggressive word (see Luke 18:8).
- We need to be aggressive toward the devil.
- Persistent faith keeps declaring what it believes.
- Use the time between the "amen" of your prayer and the "there it is" to build your faith.
- The Greek meaning of *receive* is "to take, to seize with a grip."
- Press by faith, say by faith, believe by faith and receive by faith. That's what we do.
- Resist the devil and he will flee from you in stark terror (see James 4:7).

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