

SUPERNATURAL

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II Tim 2:3 You therefore must endure hardship as a good soldier of Jesus Christ.

I Tim 1:18 This charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare,

II Tim 4:7 I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

Eph 6:12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.

I. WHAT IS IT THAT SATAN IS DOING TO WAGE WAR AGAINST US?

A. Blind the _____ of unbelievers

II Cor 4:4 whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.

B. He loves to _____ God's Word from you.

C. Satan loves to set _____ to mess you up.

D. Satan fights to stop the _____ of God in your life.

E. Satan plans to _____ you.

I Peter 5:8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.

II. HOW DO WE ENGAGE SUCH A POWERFUL ENEMY?

A. Helmet of Salvation vs 17

B. Breast plate of righteousness vs 14

Jer 17:9 The heart *is* deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked; Who can know it?

C. Shield of Faith vs 16

Purpose of this shield – “_____ this fiery darts of the wicked one”

Faith is the _____ confidence in God’s ability to sustain you.

D. Belt of truth

John 8:32 And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

E. Battle shoes vs 15

F. The Sword of the Spirit

G. Prayer vs 18

III. CONCLUSION

War produces _____ and _____.