

The Battle is the Lord's But His Army on Earth Must Fight Too

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Exodus 14:13, **Moses said**, “Fear not, stand still and see the salvation of the Lord, which He will show unto you today:”

Verse 14, “The Lord shall fight for you, and you shall hold your peace.”

The battle was the Lord's, but that was not all!

Exodus 14:15, **THE LORD said to Moses**, “Why are you crying out to Me? Tell the children of Israel to GO FORWARD .

Lift up your ROD over the sea and divide it and the children of Israel shall go forward on dry ground through the sea.”

Joshua 5:13, Joshua was close to Jericho and he saw a Man standing close by with His sword drawn. Joshua went to Him and said,

“Are You for us or for our adversaries?” The Man said to Joshua, “No! I am the Captain of the host, (army), of the Lord.”

And Joshua fell on his face before Him and worshipped. Joshua said, “What is it that You want to say to Your servant?”

And He said to Joshua, “Take your shoes off because this ground is holy ground.”

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Joshua 6:1-5, The Lord gave instructions to Joshua how the children of Israel were to conquer and destroy Jericho, except for Rahab and her family.

1Samuel 17:45, David stood before Goliath and said, “You come against me with a sword and a spear and a shield, but I come against you in the Name of the Lord of Hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied.”

This day the Lord will deliver you into my hand and I will strike you and behead you... that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel. And all this assembly shall know that the Lord saves not with sword and spear, FOR THE BATTLE IS THE LORD'S and He will give you into our hands.”

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David ran towards Goliath, put his hand in his bag, took out a stone, put the stone in his sling and slang it at Goliath. The stone hit Goliath in the forehead and he fell down dead before David, who beheaded him.

God has two armies: the heavenly army and the earthly army. Genesis 32:1, 2, 2Kings 6:16, 17.

The battle is the Lord's but both armies must fight to win the victory. 1Corinthians 15:57, 58, Ephesians 6: 10-18.

The Lord is guiding and leading us and filling us with His Holy Spirit and His boldness.

The angels of God are with us to support us.

We must witness to the unsaved as witnesses to them of the need to repent and believe on the Lord Jesus Christ.

And the Lord gives us the victory. 1Corinthians 15:57.

And our labour is not in vain in the Lord. 1Corinthians 15:58.