

At the end of the day,
we will stand and praise



Gideon and Shammah

- Both were used of God to win great victories
- Both were willing to stand and fight
- Both trusted God to do what He said He would





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- Gideon and Shammah knew their enemy





Who do we fight?


- Gideon and Shammah knew their enemy
- Do we know ours?
 - Is it a person?
 - Is it a situation?
 - Is it ourselves?
 - Is it demonic?





Who do we fight?

“O Lord, shouldn’t I hate those who hate you?
Shouldn’t I despise those who oppose you?
Yes, I hate them with total hatred, for your
enemies are my enemies. Search me, O God,
and know my heart; test me and know my
anxious thoughts. Point out anything in me
that offends you, and lead me along the path of
everlasting life.” *Psalm 139: 21-23*





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How do we fight?

- Armor of God
 - Belt of Truth
 - Breastplate of Righteousness
 - Shoes for preparation of Gospel of peace
 - Shield of faith
 - Helmet of Salvation
 - Sword of the Spirit
 - *Ephesians 6:10 - 18*





How do we fight?

“We are human, but we don’t wage war as humans do. We use God’s mighty weapons, not worldly weapons, to knock down the strongholds of human reasoning and to destroy false arguments. We destroy every proud obstacle that keeps people from knowing God. We capture their rebellious thoughts and teach them to obey Christ.

2 Corinthians 10: 3-5






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 - “So be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid and do not panic before them. For the Lord your God will personally go ahead of you. He will neither fail you nor abandon you.” *Deuteronomy 31:6*
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- The LORD inhabits the praises of His people
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- We praise Him and He is right there in the fight
 - “Greater is He who is in me than he who is in the world...” *1 John 4: 4*





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 - “Rejoice in the LORD always, again I say rejoice!” *Philippians 4:4*
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