

## 40. The Battle is the Lord's

Worship the Lord your God, and his blessing will be on your food and water. I will take away sickness from among you, and I will none will miscarry or be barren in your land. I will give you a full life span.

I will send terror ahead of you and throw into confusion every nation you encounter. I will make all your enemies turn their backs and run. I will send the hornet ahead of you and drive the Hivites, Canaanites and Hittites out of your way.

Little by little I will drive them out before you, until you have increased enough to take possession of the land. (Exodus 23:25-28, 30 NIV)

[T]he children of Moab, and the children of Ammon...came against Jehoshaphat to battle...Jehoshaphat feared, and set himself to seek the Lord, and proclaimed a fast throughout all Judah. And Judah gathered themselves together, to ask help of the Lord even out of all the cities of Judah they came to seek the Lord.

Thus saith the Lord...Be not afraid nor dismayed by reason of this great multitude; for the battle is not yours, but God's...Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not ...

And when they began to sign and to praise, the Lord set ambushments against the children of Ammon, Moab, and mount Seir which were come against Judah; and they were smitten.

Thou preparest a table in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. (Psalm 23:5-6 KJV)

You armed me with strength for battle; you made my adversaries bow at my feet. You made my enemies turn their backs in flight and I destroyed my foes. (Psalm 18:39-40 NIV)

But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Corinthians 15:57 KJV)



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AMBUSH	ENCOUNTER	PRESENCE
ARMED	ENOUGH	REASON
BARREN	EVEN	SICKNESS
BATTLE	FLIGHT	SMITTEN
CONFUSION	GOODNESS	SPAN
CUP	HORNET	TABLE
DESTROYED	MISCARRY	TERROR
DISMAYED	MULTITUDE	VICTORY
DRIVE	OIL	WORSHIP