

# UNDER ATTACK!

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It's evident the adversary is ROARING; and he's roaring with a mighty vengeance; against God, His Christ and the saints; those that would be heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ. Rom.8:17.

The adversary is trying his level best to shake those strong in faith. Reports are coming in from every camp. The Saints are UNDER ATTACK! The battles are so fierce the saints are becoming weary, even tempted. Christ's return must be awfully close; for Satan to ramp up and intensify his attacks on God's people.

Where are the watchmen on the walls? Why hasn't the alarm been sounded? Brethren, SOUND THE ALARM!!! We're under attack! A constant pounding by the evil one; seeking to destroy us. The blood of his vengeance is dripping from his teeth in an uncontrolled frenzy for more blood and death.

We are not fighting a physical army; we are fighting against the rulers of darkness. We wrestle not with flesh and blood; but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. Eph.6:12.

Each of us are being besieged by the one who leads the army of death and hell. Whether the battle is large or small, the potential for death and destruction is **ever present**.

After each battle, we must take time for self inspection. It's time for each of us to walk about Zion; tour the city to inspect and assess the damage. Making sure our walls of defense are still secure; intact and strong.

Our Great Commander is out in front. We are not on the walls alone, we are **all** there fighting side by side, in the same battle; with the enemy charging us at every turn.

Each of us must inspect our individual section of wall; and if there's a breach in anyone of us; Satan is sure to get in and destroy; not only those who are in a vulnerable state; but he also has the potential of destroying the whole camp. This is very ALARMING to the soul.

This is what the scriptures tell us to do: Walk about Zion, go round about her: tell or number the towers thereof. Mark ye well her bulwarks, consider her palaces; that ye may tell it to the generations. Ps.48:12-13.

**Why would God tell us to do this?** Because God is demonstrating to His church of the great things He has done; and is doing. These words tell us of the beauty of God's church, its strength, and its safety; which have been founded on Christ our Solid Rock, and fortified by God's divine power; and guarded by Him who never sleeps or slumbers. The precious ordinances of its palaces, and the precious promises of its bulwarks is what encourages us to fight on.

Let our minds hold these things dear and keep them in remembrance, to comfort one another in battle; That God is the keeper of His church and loves it and will care for those that have joined themselves to it. And He will lead and keep them even unto death.

This is **NOT** the time for taking our hands off the plows or laying down our swords.

**YOU KEEP THAT SWORD IN YOUR HAND! STAY ON THAT WALL AND FIGHT!**

**KEEPING YOUR TROWEL IN THE OTHER; AND KEEP BUILDING ON THAT SURE FOUNDATION!**

**This is NOT the time for fainting;** but rather to press ever closer toward the mark for the prize of the High calling of God in Christ Jesus.

It's essential and imperative that we abide in Christ, and He in us. That the Word of God dwells in us (in you) richly; in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms, hymns and spiritual songs. Col.3:16. Preaching Christ and Him crucified. Lifting one another up in prayer. Encouraging one another and helping one another to Hold fast.

All of us, must pray for one another, For the effectual fervent prayers of a righteous man availeth much. To give a word of encouragement that would be fitly spoken; To lift up the hands that hang down and the feeble knees. Heb.12:12

In doing so, we are bearing one anothers burdens; **but** in that, *there's a caution here*: we must guard our own souls; that we do not allow our selves to get caught up in the burden itself, and be drug down with it.

But rather, stay strong in faith, giving what comfort and encouragement we can; but **we have got to remember** only God can give the increase, take away the burden, or give grace to get you through it; and grace to hold fast.

**Jesus said:** Blessed are they that believe; and yet have not seen. He didn't just say that; and leave it.

He has sent us the Comforter, the Holy Spirit and brethren to sojourn with. These are tangible things, real things that our faith can see and hear and take a hold of. And we thank God for it.

Let me remind you: We **ARE** the circumcision which worship God in the spirit and rejoice in Christ Jesus...Phil3:3.

By Faith, we have been given permission (now) to enter into the Great walled City of our God: Mount Zion; where we are strengthened to build up our walls of defense and find refuge and rest for our souls. To regain our focus and set our hearts as a flint toward home.

Yes, we are still in the battle; But let your faith get a hold of this: **Christ has overcome the world!**

He is fighting beside us, in front of us, and is our rearward; and His mighty angels are being sent to minister to us; of His word, His strength, His comfort, His peace, His promises and of His Great Power. All of which, will sustain us and preserve us until that day.

Our Victory Is **Sure!** **BUT ONLY if** we are In Christ.

And It will be worth it **ALL** when we see Jesus; and He presents us faultless before the throne, of our Father.

So take courage my beloved brethren; and stand fast; For Our Great Captains' blood stained banner is still over us; the battles are still raging on; but some glorious day, war will be no more. We'll be able to take off the armor and lay it aside; and beat our swords into plow shares. Isa.2:4.

But until then: I exhort you: I implore you: **keep your sword in your hand; if it hangs down, you pick it up! If you need help to do that you cry out to OUR GREAT KING; and He will send reinforcements. But you keep FIGHTING!!!, keep fighting the good fight of faith.** And when the battles over, we will cast our crowns at His feet. The ONE in whom our victories were fought and won.  
**Amen.**