

I AM A CHILD OF GOD + ROMANS 8:16 // I AM SAVED BY GRACE THROUGH FAITH + EPHESIANS 2:8 // I AM FORGIVEN + EPHESIANS 1:7 // I AM A NEW CREATION + 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17 // I AM STRONG IN THE LORD AND IN HIS MIGHTY POWER + EPHESIANS 6:10 // I AM JUSTIFIED + ROMANS 3:1 // I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD + MATTHEW 5:14 // I AM BEING TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF MY MIND + ROMANS 12:2 // I CAN DO ALL THINGS THROUGH CHRIST WHO STRENGTHENS ME + PHILIPPIANS 4:13 // I AM MORE THAN A CONQUEROR + ROMANS 8:37 // CHRIST, HIMSELF, IS IN ME + COLOSSIANS 1:27 // I AM FIRMLY ROOTED IN JESUS AND I AM BEING BUILT UP IN HIM + COLOSSIANS 2:17 // I HAVE BEEN MADE COMPLETE IN JESUS + COLOSSIANS 2:10 // I AM CHOSEN OF GOD, HOLY AND DEARLY LOVED + COLOSSIANS 3:1 // I HAVE BEEN GIVEN A SPIRIT OF POWER, LOVE, AND SELF-DISCIPLINE + 2 TIMOTHY 1:7 // I HAVE THE RIGHT TO

You are not Defeated

September 15, 2024 - Week Two

Victorious vs Defeated

What is your reaction when the enemy tries to cause destruction in your life?

>> God doesn't want you to ignore the enemy or survive the enemy, but he has given you power over the enemy.

1. There is an enemy
2. He does want to cause destruction
3. We have power over him
4. And we should exercise it

Ephesians 6:10-12

Finally, be strong in **the Lord** and in the strength of **his might**. Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to **stand against the schemes of the devil**. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the cosmic powers over this present darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

>> There is a difference between seeing people as your enemy and seeing people as individuals who need help overcoming the enemy.

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>> You have the power of God to live out the plan of God for your life.

>> God will never call you to do something that he will not also empower you to do.

Inclusio:

The beginning and the end explains what comes in between.

Ephesians 1:19-22

...what is the **immeasurable greatness of his power toward us who believe**, according to the working of his great might that he worked in Christ when he raised him from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly places, far above all rule and authority and power and dominion, and above every name that is named, not only in this age but also in the one to come.

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What is your reaction when the enemy tries to cause destruction in your life?

1. Stop being passive and engage in the fight.
2. Don't feel like you can't use any tool of God because you don't know all the tools of God.
3. Look for the work of the enemy behind a situation.
4. Stop fighting for a victory and start exercising God's victory.