

The Faith That Fights

Introduction: Faith is a Battle

Hello. Let me start off with a truth bomb. Our walk with God can sometimes be very challenging as life can be more of a battleground than a playground. We are not meant to be passive in our faith but warriors. Kingdom warriors. We should always be always prepared for battle.

- **Fighting Faith: Built for Battle** 1 Timothy 6:12 – “Fight the good fight of faith.”

Fighting faith is neither weak nor passive. It's not your polite church pew posture. Faith is a fighter, ready for battle.

- **Faith Fights Even When It's Beat Up**

2 Corinthians 4: 8-9 – “*We are hard pressed on every side but not crushed.*” Because we have fighting faith doesn't mean we are never going to battle. Doesn't ensure that we will never get hit or how many times. What does matter is when we get hit, we keep moving forward and if we by chance get knocked down, we get back up. Fighting faith always gets back up even if we are cut and bleeding.

Look at your battles like this sometime. Your battles are proof that the enemy still wants what's inside of you. You still have purpose for the kingdom. The devil doesn't want us pursuing our purpose.

Look at David for example. To me, he showed off in fighting faith with Goliath. He didn't flinch, He would not back down, and he did not negotiate the terms of the battle. He not only was victorious in the battle, but he also took the battle to the front lines, right to Goliath.

- **Truth Bomb – “You can't conquer what you run from.”**
- **Faith Fights for the Promise**

Deuteronomy 2:24 – “*I have given you the land now go and **take** possession of it and **engage in battle.**”*

Yes, God did give the promise, but faith must still fight for it. So don't get stuck waiting for something you should be warring for. Whatever the gift may be that you have, I encourage you to advance it for the kingdom. You've got the word, you know the word, use the word. Don't sit it on it like a prophecy, treat it like a sword and swing it.

The enemy is not going to just hand it over to you. You got to get in the fight and **take** it. Believe it or not, the enemy is after your faith. Because if he can steal your faith, he can steal your fight.

- **Faith That Fights Has Weapons**

Ephesians 6:16 – *“Take up the shield of faith.”*

Ephesians 6:17 – *“Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the spirit, which is the word of God.”*

- The word of God = Your sword
- Prayer = Your war room
- Praise = Your battle cry

Faith is not passive; it requires action, perseverance, and a readiness to confront challenges head-on. When you step into the battle, you must remember that your strength is not solely your own—it is fortified by the power of God. Every battle fought in faith is a testament to His promises, and though the path may be arduous, victory is assured for those who keep their eyes fixed on the Creator.

The tools for this fight are not carnal but spiritual, and they are readily available to those who seek them. Equip yourself with the shield of faith, the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, sharpening your understanding of God’s word with diligent study and prayer. These are your defenses and offenses in the war for the promise. Praise, too, becomes an act of warfare, shaking the foundations of doubt and despair and inviting the presence of God to dwell in your midst.

Though the enemy may attempt to sow seeds of fatigue and fear, remember that faith is your anchor. When you wield it with steadfast commitment, even the most daunting obstacles will crumble before you. Be relentless in your pursuit of the promise, and trust that the fruits of your labor will manifest in due season.

I’ll be honest with you, if we learn how to fight the proper way, how to get into the spirit and go to war, some of us wouldn’t need therapy.

- **Faith Fights Until It’s Finished**

Galatians 6:9 – *“Let us not grow weary in well doing: for in due season, we shall reap, if we faint not.”*

Rest when necessary but do not retreat. Pray through your tears and worship through your wounds

1 John 1 5:4 – *“This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith.”*

We need to understand that we fight from victory, not for victory. If we change the view of our battles we will begin to fight like a victor instead of a victim.

- We are not trying to win the battle; we are just reinforcing what Jesus has already secured. Victory.
- **Mic Drop: The cross wasn't just Jesus dying, it was hell losing.**

Challenge: Get your fight back and sharpen those fighting skills. Get your roar back because you were not created to be passive, pitiful, or panicked in any way. You were created to fight the good fight and finish strong. When you do get tired remember that you are not alone in your battle.

Do this for me and declare this outload: I am not backing down for anything. I will never bow out. I will always stand in my faith and throw hay makers with the truth. I'm winning this fight. No matter what.

I pray today that God reload your spirit with some fresh fire and give your faith a complete recharge or rebuild.

Final Thought: Faith isn't just a belief it's a battle stance. Because real faith fights. I hope you have an amazing day.

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