

"GOING DEEPER IN WARSHIP"





The Anatomy of Spiritual Battle

Ps Imelda Mesa / Ephesians 6:12



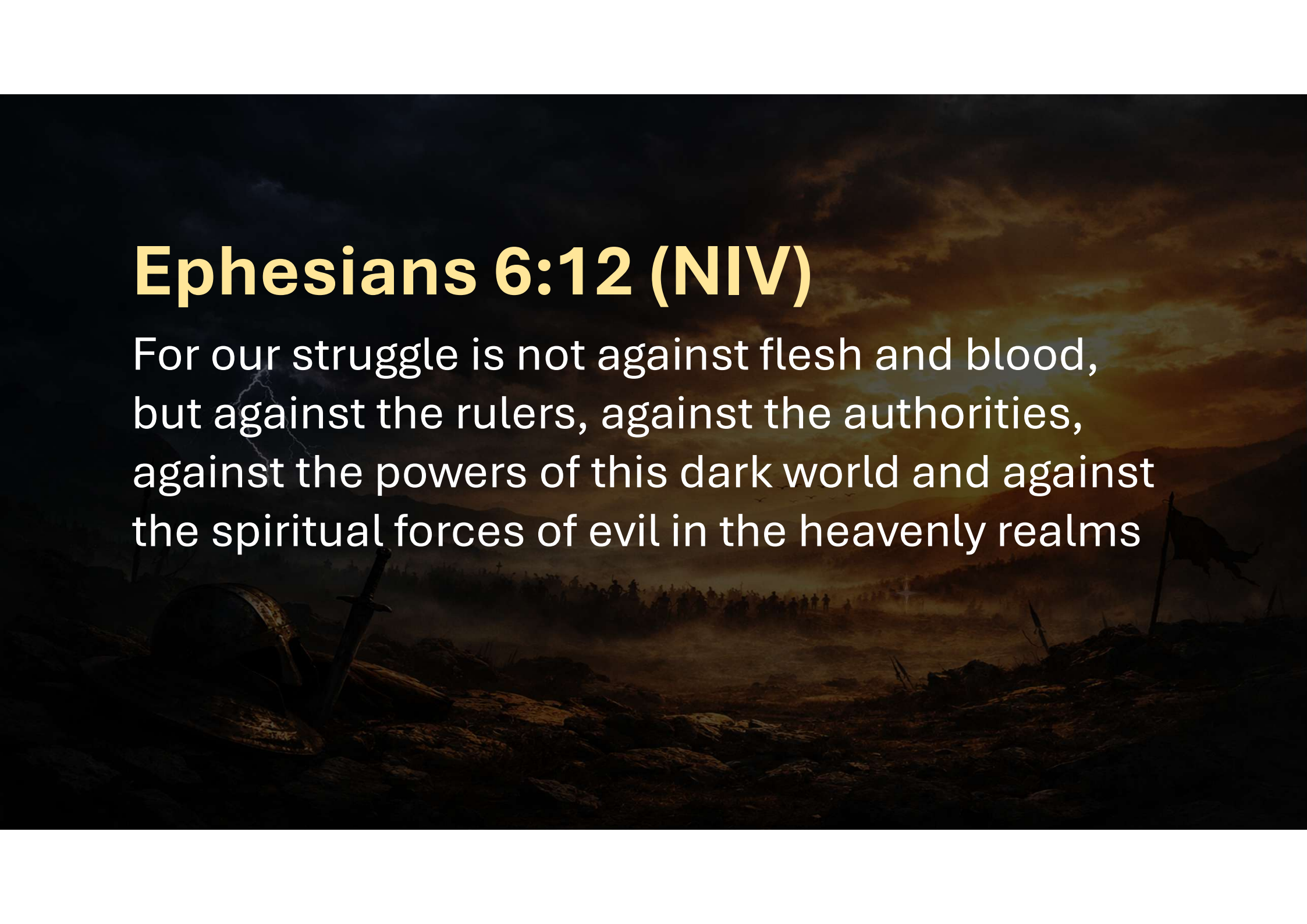
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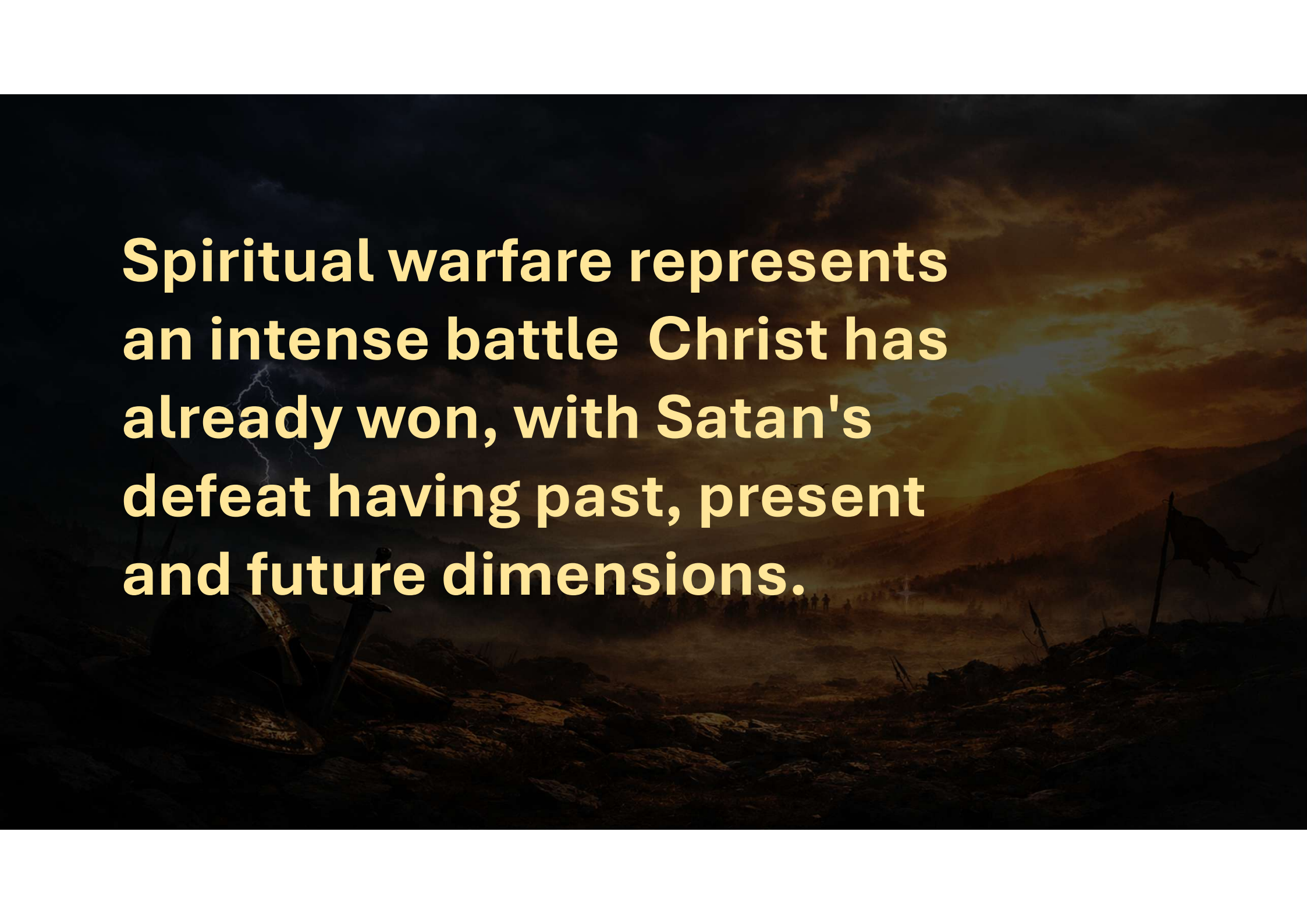
This is my Bible. I hold the Word of God that wins. I pledge to build my life upon it. I promise to meditate on what is written in it day and night, that I may know how to follow Christ. Through the help of the Holy Spirit, the Word will be my bread from heaven, my light in the dark, and shining armour in the day. I will store them in my heart. I pledge this to Jesus Christ, my Lord, the Word Incarnate, Immanuel from above. Amen!



Ephesians 6:12 (NIV)

For our struggle is not against flesh and blood,
but against the rulers, against the authorities,
against the powers of this dark world and against
the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms

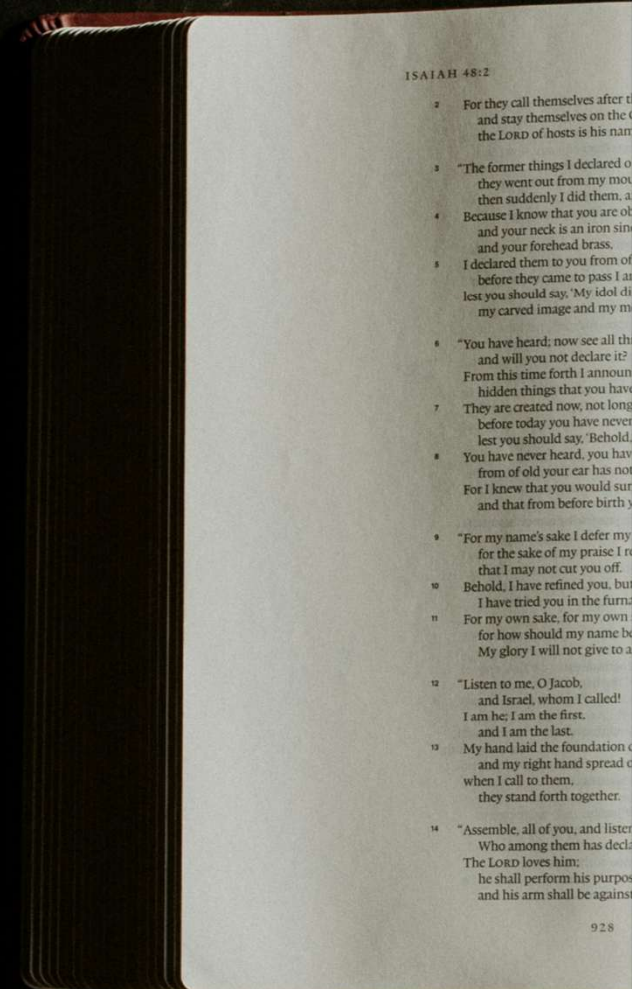


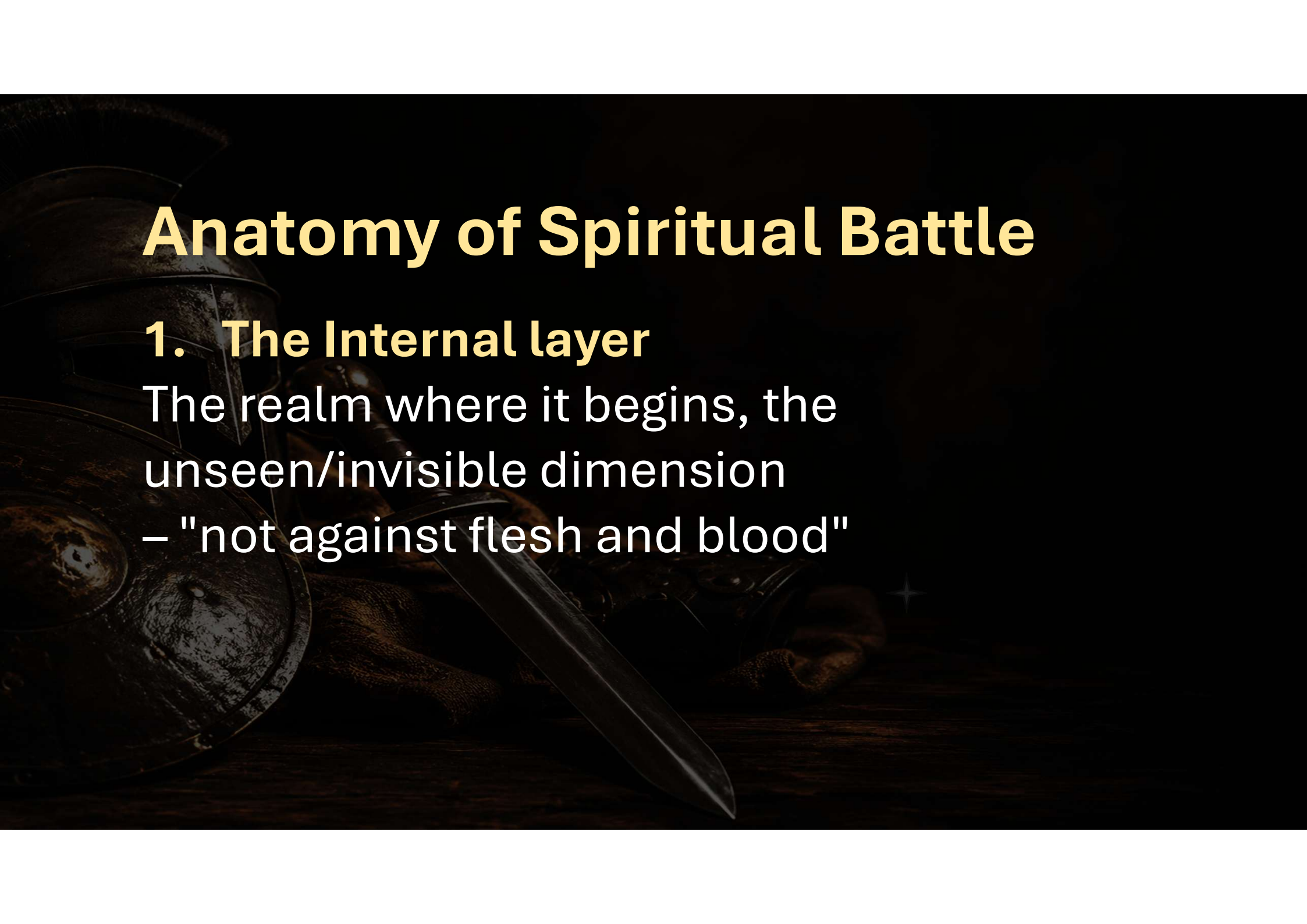


**Spiritual warfare represents
an intense battle Christ has
already won, with Satan's
defeat having past, present
and future dimensions.**

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- "spiritual physiology" of conflict
- Our "struggle" - our "wrestling" (NKJV)
- The goal is to hurl and hold the opponent





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1. The Internal layer

The realm where it begins, the
unseen/invisible dimension
– "not against flesh and blood"



**Jesus called Satan "the ruler of
this world"**

"I will no longer talk much with you, for
the ruler of this world is coming, and
he has nothing in Me." **John 14:30**

We "struggle/wrestle" against the

- Rulers / Principalities
(Grk: “exousia”, “archai”)
- Powers / Authorities
- Powers of this dark world
- Spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms



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2. The External Layer

Spiritual conflict often expresses itself through:

- Circumstantial pressure (2 Corinthians 4:8–9; Psalm 3:1–3)
- Relational tension (Psalm 41:9)
- Emotional heaviness (Psalm 42:5)
- Physical fatigue (Matthew 11:28; Mark 6:31)
- Sudden obstacles (Nehemiah 4:7–9; Psalm 27:2–3)
- Delays or resistance (Daniel 10:12–13; 1 Thessalonians 2:18)

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3. A Winnable Battle

- Stand your ground (v13)
- Be strong in the Lord and in His mighty power (v10)
- Stand firm (v14)
- Put on your spiritual battle gear (v11, 13-17)
- Pray in the Spirit on all occasions (v18)
- Stay alert (v18)

WHAT DOES CHRIST VICTORY OVER SATAN HAVE TO DO WITH ME?

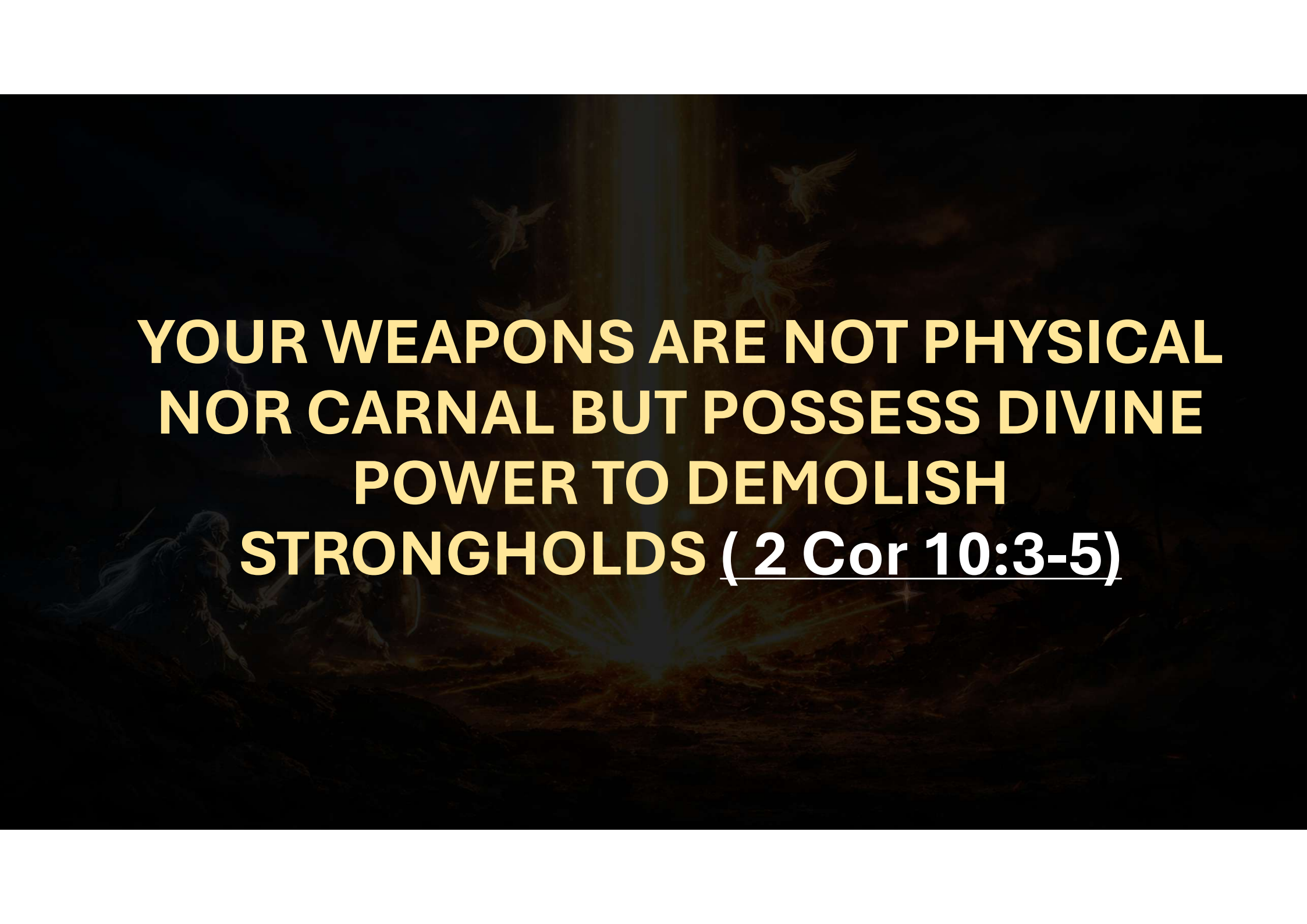
1. Understand your position in Christ. You possess greater power through God's indwelling presence than any Satanic and demonic forces in the world (1 John 4:4)

⁴ But you belong to God, my dear children. You have already won a victory over those people, because the Spirit who lives in you is greater than the spirit who lives in the world.

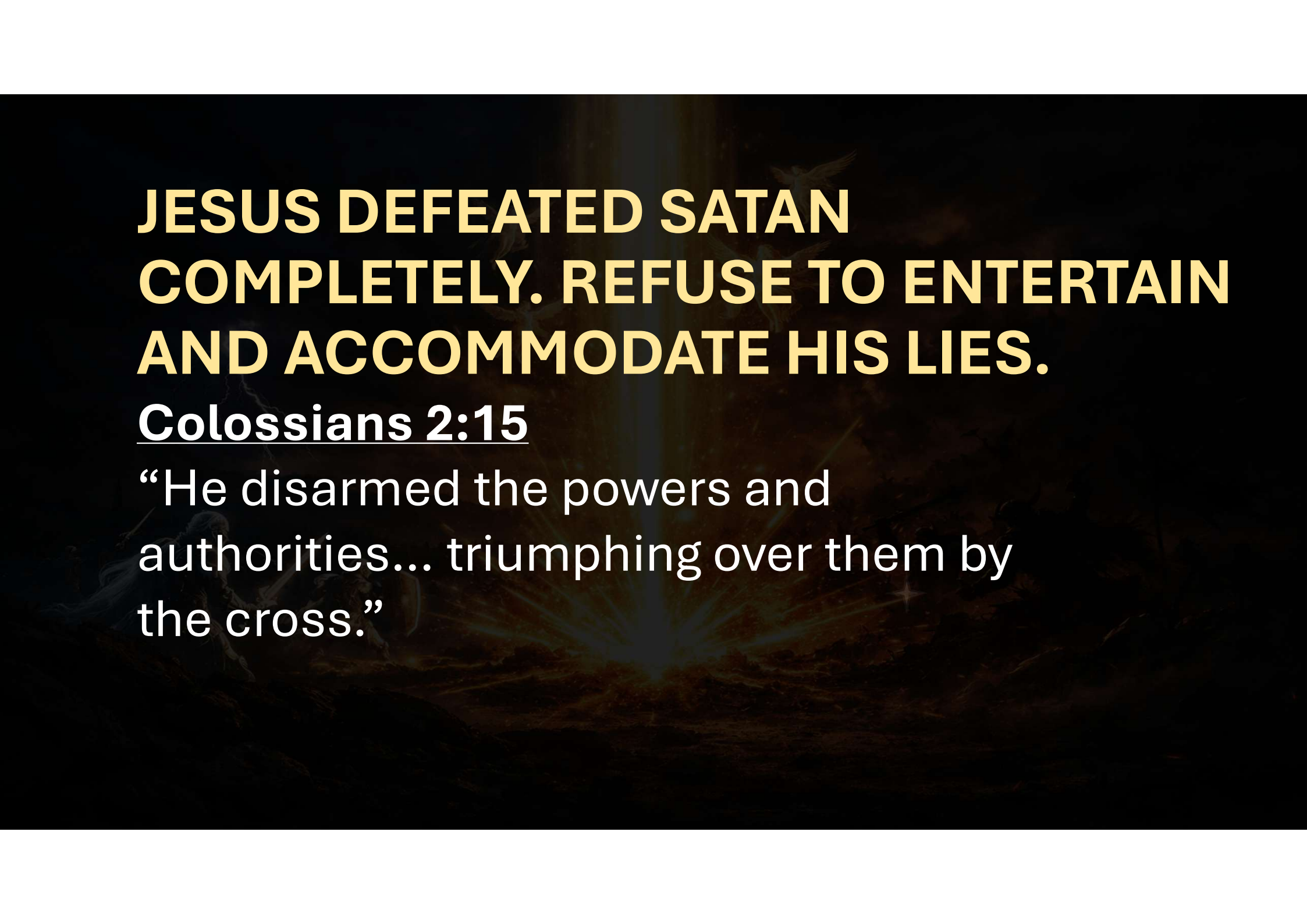
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2. When facing spiritual attacks and demonic influence, exercise your authority and engage in healthy spiritual practices -

- confess sins,
- renounce Satan,
- disengage in occultic involvement,
- run away from temptation,
- Meditate on the Scriptures and make it real in your life
- Live consistently with biblical truth
- Bring the matter to God in prayer while seeking the intercession of others



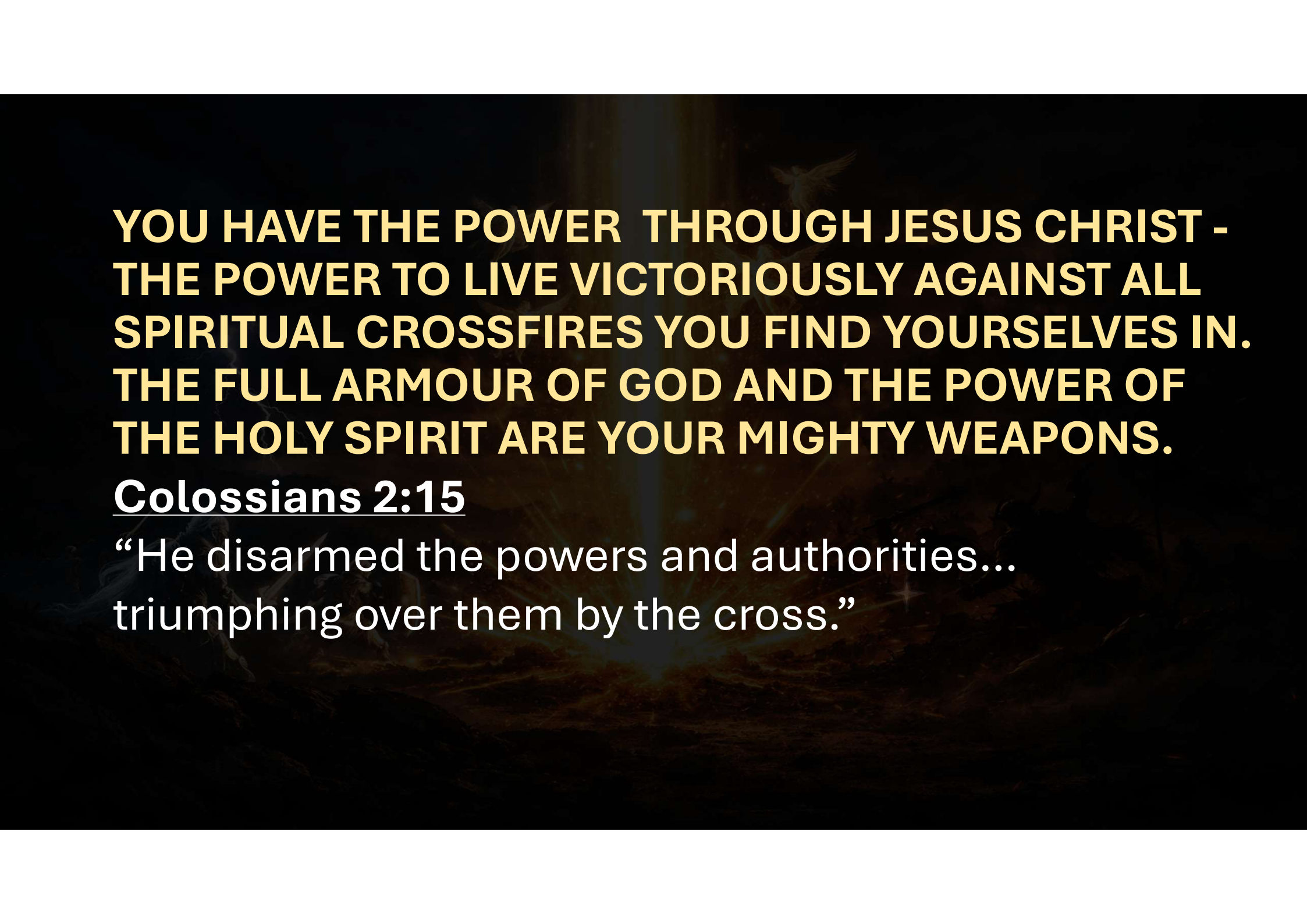
**YOUR WEAPONS ARE NOT PHYSICAL
NOR CARNAL BUT POSSESS DIVINE
POWER TO DEMOLISH
STRONGHOLDS (2 Cor 10:3-5)**



**JESUS DEFEATED SATAN
COMPLETELY. REFUSE TO ENTERTAIN
AND ACCOMMODATE HIS LIES.**

Colossians 2:15

“He disarmed the powers and
authorities... triumphing over them by
the cross.”



**YOU HAVE THE POWER THROUGH JESUS CHRIST -
THE POWER TO LIVE VICTORIOUSLY AGAINST ALL
SPIRITUAL CROSSFIRES YOU FIND YOURSELVES IN.
THE FULL ARMOUR OF GOD AND THE POWER OF
THE HOLY SPIRIT ARE YOUR MIGHTY WEAPONS.**

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Pray with us

For whoever calls on the
name of the Lord shall be saved.

Romans 10:13





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