

Read Colossians 2:12-15. What do these verses tell us about Christ's authority and victory?

How should knowing that Christ has already won change the way we approach spiritual warfare?

Prayer Requests



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Scripture References

1 Corinthians 15:24-26 • Romans 8:19-25 • 1 Peter 2:8-9
Ephesians 6:12 • Acts 16:29-30 • Romans 8:7-8
Revelation 12:7-9 • 1 Corinthians 12:7

- 1) The brokenness of humanity is the result of our _____ and _____. We want what we want, and often don't care who gets hurt in the process.
- 2) Brokenness goes beyond humanity. All life _____ by _____ other life
- 3) Even the _____ world is broken, producing natural disasters: earthquakes, floods, hurricanes, tornadoes, and wildfires.

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- 4) God's plan covers thousands of years, not to fix the _____ of brokenness, but to eliminate brokenness all together.
- 5) There is opposition to God's plan from _____ and _____ forces.
- 6) We get angry at the other _____ positions and we forget the larger _____.
- 7) We are in a battle against the great _____, the ancient serpent called the devil, or Satan, the one deceiving the whole world since the dawn of time. That's our real _____.
- 8) When we align with God in the spiritual battle, we must surrender our _____ and follow the _____ of Christ, our commander.
- 9) When you align with God in the war, you are expected to do your part. There are no _____ - _____ on the battlefield.
- 10) God gives spiritual _____ (special abilities) to people in the church to enable them to _____ effectively.



Small Group Discussion Questions

Please try to think these over and jot down some ideas prior to discussing them at the meeting, it will improve the discussion.

Tell the group about a gift you have given or received and tell why you remember that gift.

Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-7. Have you ever explored what gifts God has given you? If you know your gifts, share that with the group and tell them how those gifts have been revealed.

Read Ephesians 6:10-18. What are some common ways people mistake flesh and blood for our real enemy? Is there a way to tell the difference?

Continued on reverse.