

THINGS TO REMEMBER ABOUT SPIRITUAL WARFARE

- 1- We will never outgrow spiritual warfare. We simply must learn to fight.
- 2- Failure is not an event; it's only an opinion.
- 3- Failure cannot happen in your life without your permission.
- 4- Struggle is the proof that you have not been defeated.
- 5- You can never win a spiritual battle by logic but only by faith, patience and love.
- 6- Spiritual warfare always surrounds the birth of a miracle.
- 7- No one has been a loser longer than the devil.
- 8- Never speak words that might make the devil think he is winning.
- 9- The only power the devil has over you is deception; that is whatever power you can let him talk you into giving him.
- 10- Those unwilling to lose never do. Make up your mind that you will not be defeated.
- 11- We must always be clothed in our armour. (Ephesians 6:11)
- 12- We must always keep in mind that a person who seems to be our problem is not the real problem. The spirit or spirits who are controlling that person are the real problem.
- 13- Fear, worry, and anxiety are the result of believing what the devil is saying rather than what God is saying.
- 14- Don't even listen to Satan. He is the father of lies. (John 8:44)
- 15- There is nothing you have ever done which God cannot forgive if you repent and ask for forgiveness. You are saved by grace. (Romans 3:23—Eph. 2:8-9)
- 16- The battle is not yours, but God's. You just have to keep focused on God while the devil is doing everything he can to get your focus off God.
- 17- Praising the Lord is one of the most effective weapons we have in spiritual warfare.
- 18- Much of spiritual warfare involves battling our own flesh for "the flesh lusts against the Spirit and the Spirit against the flesh; and these are contrary to one another." (Gal. 5:17) The Holy Spirit will help us control our flesh.
- 19- The best defense against spiritual warfare is to walk in the fruits of the Spirit so as to leave no door open to lust, greed or pride. (Gal. 5:16, 22-23)
- 20- Success in spiritual warfare is a matter of attitude—an attitude of trusting and following God; never doubting Him—an attitude of obedience to God's Word. (Pro. 3:5-6) I also might add that the devil does not play fair. But that's all right because it's not a fair fight. We have the Holy Spirit and all the weapons if we'll just remember to use them.