



Portion:

SCRIPTURES

- Romans 13:8-14
- Mark 12:28-34
- Luke 5:36-39
- I Samuel 17

Title:

TWO WORLDS COLLIDE

- One Debt
- New Wineskins
- The Victorious Mind
- Bonus Narrative

SEED:

“Owe no one anything except to love one another, for **he who loves another has fulfilled the law.**”

Romans 13:8 NKJV

“Love does no harm to a neighbor; therefore **love is the fulfillment of the law.**” Romans 13:10 NKJV

““Do not think that I came to destroy the Law or the Prophets. **I did not come to destroy but to fulfill.**” Matthew 5:17 NKJV

“On these two commandments **hang all the Law and the Prophets.**” Matthew 22:40 NKJV

“So the scribe said to Him, “Well said, Teacher. You have spoken the truth, for **there is one God, and there is no other but He. And to love Him with all the heart, with all the understanding, with all the soul, and with all the strength, and to love one’s neighbor as oneself, is more than all the whole burnt offerings and sacrifices.**” Now when **Jesus saw that he answered wisely,** He said to him, “**You are not far from the kingdom of God.**” But after that no one dared question Him.” Mark 12:32-34 NKJV

“And behold, a certain lawyer stood up and tested Him, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?” He said to him, “**What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?**” So he answered and said, “**‘You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,’ and ‘your neighbor as yourself.’**” And He said to him, “You have answered rightly; **do this and you will live.**”” Luke 10:25-28 NKJV

FRUIT:

“The night is far spent, **the day is at hand.** Therefore **let us cast off the works of darkness,** and let us **put on the armor of light.**” Romans 13:12 NKJV

“But **new wine must be put into new wineskins,** and both are preserved.” Luke 5:38 NKJV

“But **put on the Lord Jesus Christ,** and **make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts.**” Romans 13:14 NKJV

“...For **who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?**” I Samuel 17:26 NKJV

INTRODUCTION TO TODAY'S MESSAGE:

We are sojourners from another world, and yet we are only meant to be temporary inhabitants passing through this land. It is an interim provisional experience, and as such we are mandated to exist as if we are already heavenly citizens, even while our feet remain firmly planted in this world. These two worlds are set for a head on cosmic collision, the magnitude of which history has never known, and is so gargantuan that the coming colossal clash can occur only one time—it is the ultimate titanic battle.

Two worlds, one God so loves, the other we are not to love at all. In fact, loving the other is a direct affront to loving our Creator. We are in the world we see, but not of that world. You can identify those who possess this type of hybrid citizenship by one undeniable marker; the world hates everything they represent. You can isolate citizens of the world God so loves by their love for one another. It's the witness that comes with only one well-defined debt. Owe no one anything except to love them and never cause them harm. This very thing completes, summarizes, and encapsulates every command of God in one overarching mandate.

Wake up people; time is running out. The inflection point in history is at hand. God demands you no longer live in lewdness nor lust, in strife nor envy; cast off the works of darkness, and put on the armor of light. Become like the Lord Jesus Christ and never again make provisions for your lustful desires. And then stand up in your perfect purity and say to the world that is about to pass away, "Who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?"

ONE DEBT

1. Owe no one anything else...

A. Love is the fulfillment of the law.

(1) Since Chapter 12, Paul's letter continues to point at one target!

(a) Live in such a way that you are instantly recognizable as a Christian—and do so with such intensity and commitment that there is zero doubt to whom you are completely dedicated.

1. **"Owe no one anything except to love one another, for he who loves another has fulfilled the law.** For the commandments, "You shall not commit adultery," "You shall not murder," "You shall not steal," "You shall not bear false witness," "You shall not covet," and **if there is any other commandment, are all summed up in this saying, namely, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."** Love does no harm to a neighbor; **therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.**" Romans 13:8-10 NKJV
2. "By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have **love for one another.**" John 13:35 NKJV
3. "And **just as you want men to do to you, you also do** to them likewise." Luke 6:31 NKJV
4. "Do not think that I came to destroy the Law or the Prophets. **I did not come to destroy but to fulfill.**" Matthew 5:17 NKJV

5. "On these two commandments **hang all the Law and the Prophets.**" Matthew 22:40 NKJV
6. "He who does not love does not know God, for **God is love.**" I John 4:8 NKJV
7. "Jesus said to him, "**You shall love the Lord your God** with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.' This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: '**You shall love your neighbor** as yourself.'" Matthew 22:37-39 NKJV
8. "On these two commandments **hang all the Law and the Prophets.**" Matthew 22:40 NKJV
9. **Scribe #1:** "So the scribe said to Him, "Well said, Teacher. You have spoken the truth, for **there is one God, and there is no other but He. And to love Him with all the heart, with all the understanding, with all the soul, and with all the strength, and to love one's neighbor as oneself, is more than all the whole burnt offerings and sacrifices.**" Now when **Jesus saw that he answered wisely,** He said to him, "**You are not far from the kingdom of God.**" But after that no one dared question Him." Mark 12:32-34 NKJV (See Mark 12:28-34)
10. **Scribe #2:** "And behold, **a certain lawyer** stood up and tested Him, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "**What is written in the law? What is your reading of it?**" So he answered and said, " '**You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your strength, and with all your mind,' and 'your neighbor as yourself.'** " And He said to him, "You have answered rightly; **do this and you will live.**" Luke 10:25-28 NKJV
11. **A clear example of what he had just said privately to his disciples:** "Then He turned to His disciples and said privately, "**Blessed are the eyes which see the things you see;** for I tell you that **many prophets and kings have desired to see** what you see, and have not seen it, **and to hear** what you hear, and have not heard it." Luke 10:23-24 NKJV

(2) Hybrid Citizenship

(a) As Christians, we simultaneously exist in both heaven and on earth...

1. "**For our citizenship is in heaven,** from which we also eagerly wait for the Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ," Philippians 3:20 NKJV
2. "**For God so loved the world** that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. For **God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.**" John 3:16-17 NKJV
3. "**Do not love the world** or the things in the world. **If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him.** For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world. And **the world is**

passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever." I John 2:15-17 NKJV

4. **"If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me** before it hated you. **If you were of the world, the world would love its own.** Yet because **you are not of the world,** but I **chose you out of the world,** therefore the world hates you." John 15:18-19 NKJV
5. **"{14} I have given them Your word; and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, just as I am not of the world. {15} I do not pray that You should take them out of the world, but that You should keep them from the evil one. {16} They are not of the world, just as I am not of the world.** Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth. As You sent Me into the world, I also have sent them into the world. And for their sakes I sanctify Myself, that they also may be sanctified by the truth." John 17:14-19 NKJV

NEW WINESKINS

2. The Time is at Hand

A. The Inevitable Confrontation

(1) Time to wake up!

(a) "Our salvation is nearer than when we first believed."

1. "And do this, **knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep;** for now our salvation is nearer than when we first believed." Romans 13:11 NKJV
2. "But **he who endures to the end shall be saved.** And this **gospel of the kingdom** will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and **then the end will come.**" Matthew 24:13-14 NKJV
3. "**You are all sons of light and sons of the day.** We are not of the night nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep, as others do, **but let us watch and be sober.**" I Thessalonians 5:5-6 NKJV

(2) The Armor of Light

(a) Your Weapon and Your Armor

1. "The night is far spent, **the day is at hand.** Therefore let us **cast off the works of darkness,** and let us put on the **armor of light.** " Romans 13:12 NKJV
2. "Arise, shine; **For your light has come!** And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people; **But the Lord will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you.** The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising." Isaiah 60:1-3 NKJV
3. "Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. **Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.** For

we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Therefore **take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day,** and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness, and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one. And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints—” Ephesians 6:10-18 NKJV

4. “In Him was life, and the life was **the light of men.** And the **light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.**” John 1:4-5 NKJV
5. “For **you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light** (for the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness, righteousness, and truth), finding out what is acceptable to the Lord. And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of **darkness, but rather expose them.** For it is shameful even to speak of those things which are done by them in secret. **But all things that are exposed are made manifest by the light,** for whatever makes manifest is light. Therefore He says: *”Awake, you who sleep, Arise from the dead, And Christ will give you light.”” Ephesians 5:8-14 NKJV
6. *”**Arise, shine; For your light has come!** And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you.” Isaiah 60:1 NKJV
7. “And this is the condemnation, **that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.** For **everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light,** lest his deeds should be exposed. **But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen,** that they have been done in God.”” John 3:19-21 NKJV
8. “For **nothing is secret** that will not be revealed, **nor anything hidden** that will not be known and **come to light.**” Luke 8:17 NKJV
9. “For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. And **there is no creature hidden from His sight, but all things are naked and open to the eyes of Him to whom we must give account.**” Hebrews 4:12-13 NKJV

(3) Head-on Collision

- (a) If you see what is coming, how ought you live?

1. "Let us **walk properly, as in the day**, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy." Romans 13:13 NKJV
2. "See then that you **walk circumspectly**, not as fools but as wise, **redeeming the time, because the days are evil**. Therefore **do not be unwise, but understand what the will of the Lord is**. And do not be drunk with wine, in **which is dissipation**; but be filled with the Spirit," Ephesians 5:15-18 NKJV
3. "Therefore, since Christ suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves also with the same mind, for he who has suffered in the flesh **has ceased from sin, that he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh for the lusts of men, but for the will of God**. For we have spent enough of our past lifetime in doing the will of the Gentiles—when we walked in lewdness, lusts, drunkenness, revelries, drinking parties, and abominable idolatries. In regard to these, they think it strange that you **do not run with them in the same flood of dissipation**, speaking evil of you. They will give an account to Him who is ready to judge the living and the dead. **For this reason the gospel was preached** also to those who are dead, that they might be judged according to men in the flesh, **but live according to God in the spirit.**" I Peter 4:1-6 NKJV
4. "This I say, therefore, and testify in the Lord, that **you should no longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk**, in the futility of their mind, having their understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart; who, being past feeling, have given themselves over to lewdness, to work all uncleanness with greediness. But you have not so learned Christ, if indeed you have heard Him and have been taught by Him, as the truth is in Jesus: **that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man** which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that **you put on the new man** which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness." Ephesians 4:17-24 NKJV
5. ""You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. **Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.**" Matthew 5:14-16 NKJV
6. "But **the day of the Lord** will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up. **Therefore, since all these things will be dissolved, what manner of persons ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness,**" II Peter 3:10-11 NKJV

(4) Clothed in Christ

- (a) The imagery is that of a dressing room.
1. "But **put on the Lord Jesus Christ**, and **make no provision for the flesh**, to fulfill its lusts." Romans 13:14 NKJV
 2. "There is therefore now **no condemnation** to those who are in Christ Jesus, **who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit.**" Romans 8:1 NKJV
 3. "For **all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life**—is not of the Father but is of the world." I John 2:16 NKJV
 4. "I have been crucified with Christ; **it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me**; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." Galatians 2:20 NKJV
 5. "My little children, for whom I labor in birth again until **Christ is formed in you,**" Galatians 4:19 NKJV
 6. "To them God willed to make known what are the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles: which is **Christ in you, the hope of glory.**" Colossians 1:27 NKJV
 7. "Now the Lord is the Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, **beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory**, just as by the Spirit of the Lord." II Corinthians 3:17-18 NKJV
 8. "So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree **desirable to make one wise**, she took of its fruit and ate. She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate. **Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked**; and they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves coverings." Genesis 3:6-7 NKJV
 9. "And they heard the sound of the LORD God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and **Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the LORD God** among the trees of the garden. Then the LORD God called to Adam and said to him, "**Where are you?**" So he said, "I heard Your voice in the garden, and **I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself.**" And He said, "**Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?'"**" Genesis 3:8-11 NKJV
 10. "Also for Adam and his wife **the Lord God made tunics of skin, and clothed them.** Then the Lord God said, "Behold, the man has become like one of Us, to know good and evil. And **now, lest he put out his hand and take also of the tree of life**, and eat, and live forever"—" Genesis 3:21-22 NKJV
 11. "therefore the LORD God **sent him out of the garden** of Eden to till the ground from which he was taken. So He drove out the man; and He placed cherubim at the east of

the garden of Eden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, **to guard the way to the tree of life.**" Genesis 3:23-24 NKJV

12. "For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us. For the earnest expectation of the **creation eagerly waits for the revealing of the sons of God.** For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of Him who subjected it in hope; because the creation itself also **will be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.**" Romans 8:18-21 NKJV
13. "For we know that if our **earthly house**, this tent, is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. For in this we groan, **earnestly desiring to be clothed with our habitation which is from heaven, if indeed, having been clothed, we shall not be found naked.** For we who are in this tent groan, being burdened, **not because we want to be unclothed, but further clothed**, that mortality may be swallowed up by life. Now He who has prepared us for this very thing is God, who also has given us the Spirit as a guarantee." II Corinthians 5:1-5 NKJV
14. "Now the Lord is the Spirit; and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with unveiled face, **beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory**, just as by the Spirit of the Lord." II Corinthians 3:17-18 NKJV
15. "Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a **new creation**; old things have passed away; behold, **all things have become new.**" II Corinthians 5:17 NKJV
16. "that you **put off**, concerning your former conduct, **the old man** which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that you **put on the new man which was created according to God**, in true righteousness and holiness." Ephesians 4:22-24 NKJV
17. Then He spoke a parable to them: "**No one puts a piece from a new garment on an old one**; otherwise the new makes a tear, and also the piece that was taken out of the new does not match the old. And **no one puts new wine into old wineskins**; or else the new wine will burst the wineskins and be spilled, and the wineskins will be ruined. **But new wine must be put into new wineskins, and both are preserved. And no one, having drunk old wine, immediately desires new; for he says, 'The old is better.'**" Luke 5:36-39 NKJV
18. "How shall we who **died to sin live any longer in it?**" Romans 6:2 NKJV
19. "But **be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.** For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man observing his natural face in a mirror; for he observes himself, goes away, and immediately forgets what kind of man

he was. **But he who looks into the perfect law of liberty and continues in it, and is not a forgetful hearer but a doer of the work**, this one will be blessed in what he does.”

James 1:22-25 NKJV

20. “What does it profit, my brethren, if someone says he has faith but does not have works?

Can faith save him? {18} But someone will say, **“You have faith, and I have works.”**

Show me your faith without your works, and I will show you my faith by my works.”

James 2:14, 18 NKJV

21. “For He received from God the Father honor and glory when such a voice came to Him from the Excellent Glory: “This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.” And **we**

heard this voice which came from heaven when we were with Him on the holy

mountain [see Matthew 17:1-13]. And so we have the prophetic word confirmed,

which **you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place**, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts;” II Peter 1:17-19 NKJV

22. “Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, **you are that**

one’s slaves whom you obey, whether of sin leading to death, or of obedience leading to righteousness?” Romans 6:16 NKJV

23. “Therefore, since Christ suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves also with the same mind, for he who has suffered in the flesh **has ceased from sin, that he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh for the lusts of men, but for the will of God.** For we

have spent enough of our past lifetime in doing the will of the Gentiles—when we

walked in lewdness, lusts, drunkenness, revelries, drinking parties, and abominable

idolatries. In regard to these, they think it strange that you **do not run with them in the same flood of dissipation**, speaking evil of you.” I Peter 4:1-4 NKJV

24. “For **it would have been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than having known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered to them.** But it

has happened to them according to the true proverb: **“A dog returns to his own vomit,”**

and, “a sow, having washed, to her wallowing in the mire.”” II Peter 2:21-22 NKJV

25. **“that you put off, concerning your former conduct, the old man** which grows corrupt according to the deceitful lusts, and be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and that **you**

put on the new man which was created according to God, in true righteousness and holiness.” Ephesians 4:22-24 NKJV

THE VICTORIOUS MIND

3. Victory Going In

A. Two Opposing Mindsets

(1) We are grasshoppers in their sight vs. God has already given us the victory

(a) The Wrong Mindset (a bad report)

1. "Then they told him, and said: "We went to the land where you sent us. It truly flows with milk and honey, and this is its fruit. **Nevertheless the people who dwell in the land are strong; the cities are fortified and very large; moreover we saw the descendants of Anak there.** The Amalekites dwell in the land of the South; the Hittites, the Jebusites, and the Amorites dwell in the mountains; and the Canaanites dwell by the sea and along the banks of the Jordan." {31} But the men who had gone up with him said, "**We are not able to go up against the people, for they are stronger than we.**" And they gave the children of Israel a bad report of the land which they had spied out, saying, "**The land through which we have gone as spies is a land that devours its inhabitants, and all the people whom we saw in it are men of great stature.** There we saw the giants (the descendants of Anak came from the giants); and **we were like grasshoppers in our own sight, and so we were in their sight.**" Numbers 13:27-29, 31-33 NKJV

(b) The Right Mindset (a good report)

1. "Then Caleb quieted the people before Moses, and said, "**Let us go up at once and take possession, for we are well able to overcome it.**" Numbers 13:30 NKJV

(2) It comes down to this...

(a) Whose report do you believe?

1. "**Who has believed our report?** And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?" Isaiah 53:1 NKJV
2. "Let us go up at once and take possession, for **we are well able to overcome it.**" Numbers 13:30
3. "Yet in all these things **we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us.**" Romans 8:37 NKJV
4. "**I can do all things through Christ** who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13 NKJV
5. "Then David spoke... "For **who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?**" I Samuel 17:26 NKJV

B. A Perfect Picture of Our Final Battle

(1) Goliath defies the armies; Israel is dismayed and greatly afraid.

(a) The Philistines gathered their armies to battle Israel with Goliath as their champion. (I Samuel 17:1-11)

1. "And the Philistine said, "**I defy the armies of Israel this day; give me a man, that we may fight together.**" When Saul and all Israel heard these words of the Philistine, **they were dismayed and greatly afraid.**" I Samuel 17:10-11 NKJV

(b) David serves his brothers at the front line. (I Samuel 17:12-22)

1. "And David left his supplies in the hand of the supply keeper, **ran to the army, and came and greeted his brothers.**" I Samuel 17:22 NKJV
- (c) David Witnesses Goliath's the Blasphemy and discovers what awaits the man who kills him. (I Samuel 17:23-25)
 1. "So the men of Israel said, "**Have you seen this man who has come up? Surely he has come up to defy Israel;** and **it shall be that the man who kills him** the king will enrich with great riches, will give him his daughter, and give his father's house exemption from taxes in Israel."" I Samuel 17:25 NKJV
- (2) Worldviews Collide (someone has to stand up against the blasphemy).
 - (a) David confirms the reward and lays down the challenge to Goliath.
 1. "Then David spoke to the men who stood by him, saying, "**What shall be done** for the man who kills this Philistine and takes away the reproach from Israel? **For who is this uncircumcised Philistine, that he should defy the armies of the living God?**"" I Samuel 17:26 NKJV
 - (b) The people affirm the reward.
 1. "And the people answered him in this manner, saying, "**So shall it be done for the man who kills him.**"" I Samuel 17:27 NKJV
 - (c) David volunteers to collide with the giant and assures Saul that he will be victorious and David is mocked by Goliath... (I Samuel 17:28-44)
 1. "{32} "**Let no man's heart fail** because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine." {36}Your servant has killed both lion and bear; **and this uncircumcised Philistine will be like one of them**, seeing he has defied the armies of the living God." {37} Moreover David said, "The Lord, who delivered me from the paw of the lion and from the paw of the bear, **He will deliver me from the hand of this Philistine.**" {40} Then he took his staff in his hand; and he chose for himself **five smooth stones** from the brook, and put them in a shepherd's bag, in a pouch which he had, and his sling was in his hand. And he drew near to the Philistine. {44} And the Philistine said to David, "**Come to me, and I will give your flesh to the birds of the air and the beasts of the field!**"" I Samuel 17:28-44 NKJV
 - (d) David boldly predicts the outcome (I Samuel 17:45-47)
 1. "Then David said to the Philistine, "**You come to me with a sword, with a spear, and with a javelin. But I come to you in the name of the Lord** of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have defied. **This day the Lord will deliver you into my hand, and I will strike you and take your head from you.** And this day I will give the carcasses of the camp of the Philistines to the birds of the air and the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel. **Then all this assembly**

shall know that the Lord does not save with sword and spear; for the battle is the Lord's, and He will give you into our hands." I Samuel 17:45-47 NKJV

(3) The Rest is History—

(a) David Defeats Goliath

1. "So it was, when the Philistine arose and came and drew near to meet David, that **David hurried and ran toward the army to meet the Philistine.** Then **David put his hand in his bag and took out a stone; and he slung it and struck the Philistine in his forehead,** so that the stone sank into his forehead, and he fell on his face to the earth. **So David prevailed over the Philistine with a sling and a stone, and struck the Philistine and killed him.** But **there was no sword in the hand of David. Therefore David ran and stood over the Philistine, took his sword and drew it out of its sheath and killed him,** and cut off his head with it. And when the Philistines saw that their champion was dead, they fled." I Samuel 17:48-51 NKJV