

Message Study Guide

(Scriptures & quotes from this week's message are available on thorncreek.church/live)

Warming up

1. Do you have a favorite Football team?

Digging Deeper & Application

Take your time reading the scripture given. If possible look up the verses in different versions and pause at each verse and discuss it.

2. Have you ever been on a road that you thought God wanted you on, then something happened. Something unexpected. It jostled your faith. You wondered if it was God's plan. What did you do?
3. Numbers 16 talks about a time when one man incited 250 prominent leaders to go against Moses. Please read the story in Numbers 16:1-4. What was the first thing Moses did?
4. What promises do we have in the following verses: Psalm 9:9; 27:5; 138:7?
5. 4. According to 1 John 4:4, what promise do we have?
6. Pastor Ruben said, "When God gives you a big vision, you can expect big opposition. But, God will see you through if you lean on Him and don't give up." Read 1 Chronicles 28:20. King David was on his deathbed. In his dying breath, he told Solomon about a big vision. What was David's advice to his son? What can we take away from this advice?
7. Sometimes we think God will keep us out of trouble. Sometimes we think God will not let us feel the heat of the flames. Sometimes we think our faith will not be challenged. But according to Isaiah 43:1-2, what does this passage promise us?
8. Pastor Ruben said, "No matter what the devil throws your way, you can trust that God will hold you up". Please read Romans 8:35-39. What does the scripture say about us?

9. According to 1 Corinthians 15:58, and Hebrews 10:23, what are we to do when our faith is challenged?

10. There is a promise in Romans 8:28. This promise is not for everyone. Who is it for?

11. According to Exodus 14:14, what will God do for us?

Application

Below are the main points of the message. Discuss how they apply to your life.

- Your enemies cannot steal God's favor from your life.
- No matter what the devil throws your way, you can trust that God will hold you up...
- No matter what you go through, the devil can never steal your praise.
- The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still. Exodus 14:14 (NIV)