Basis Of Spiritual Warfare

So many wounded on the battle fields, unfortunately such is the fate of many children of God in this spiritual warfare for the kingdom. Many Christians ended up severely wounded because they chose to remain children of God instead of growing to becomes sons instead. It's time to attain maturity, being clothed in the full amour of God. A child does not bear any armoury, all he does is wait in the bomb shelter. The warriors are sent for battle, (Intercessor) God's valiant warriors.

However, if the Intercessors are few or if they are of low ranking spiritual authority, if those children of God refuse to grow to back them up as warriors thinking that they're are safe already in the bomb shelter, then they are wrong, they should think again. Those of you who receive unnecessary attack you can testify to this. You can be under the Almighty God, but we grow in ranks, if your ranking is low, your shield will be weak and on constant bombardment by darkness, soon you'll be vulnerable.

No matter how much rank and authority God's warriors might have, they won't be able cover for all and so when the intensity of the battle increases, the front line is breached by few functionaries of darkness, the territory, their space is breached. Those who chose to remain children, clothes, hiding in shelters, will be the ones to be sorry, because they'll be dealt with severely. Although, they have access and are under the authority in the name Jesus, but, because of they're low ranking as children, they won't be able to draw much from the arsenal of God to function fully in authority to defend themselves and subdue the force of Invaders.

Many Christians, have deceived themselves into a life of laziness, because they believe that we are all covered and shielded in Jesus. Of course every child of God is covered as an insurance when you accepted the government of the Christ, but if you refuse to grow in the nature and stature of God, through the word, prayers and meticulous obedience to the guidance of the holy spirit, when the enemy persist in attack, your covering will be blown off and you'll become a victim of war, this has resulted in so many casualties.

The moment you accepted Jesus you were placed under the covering of the word, it was natural, that when immediately you accept Jesus as Lord by the authority in His name, you are placed under a new government. The name " Jesus " given to our Lord is just a name for mortals to be aligned with the government and authority of God in heaven while on earth.

However, in heaven there no darkness, but on earth there is perpetual attacks, invasion against God's kingdom in the hearts of men and so if you're not fully covered although, your place is secured in heaven, but you'll be afflicted on earth. If you refuse to build up your heart, you might loose you place in heaven due to your exposure to heavy artillery fire, if your shield of faith isn't strong enough you'll be downed.

As I was saying, the moment you accepted Jesus, you're being placed under His government. It's a law that every citizen is shielded in the word, for the word is our shield, it is a civilization where all you need is there, but all that you need to grow you'll work for and attain yourself by the spirit of God at work in you, no one will help you, you'll have to will the holy spirit to let Him be your guide. Even as you're being guided, heed carefully and obey to the last command.

Being a citizen of God's kingdom is more than just receiving material bread, we're in a Kingdom which demands only spiritual bread so the demands of the Father can be met. Being born again in God's spirit as children, we're being prepared for Kingdom establishment and for us to become functionaries of God's kingdom we must first partake in the game of survival, that is; the path to salvation. Every man is left alone, all that you're given is the holy spirit and the word which is your covering, your shield and also, your sword of the spirit. Then, you'll be left to fend for yourself relying on what you've been given.

You now how survival game works, you must feed yourself by drawing life from God's word. You must hunt for food, (God's word) you'll do everything to dwell in the word, because there'll be lots of distractions and weakness of the flesh the devil will throw at you, I believe you know one of the biggest is sleepiness. You must pray to prevent the life you've harnessed from being stolen, to secure also your shield from being breached and to stir the fire of the holy ghost in you.

God's life harnessed, is the power source of everything, it reinforce your shield, it fuels the holy spirit and build him to dominate your being and all. It is a survival camp, it looks strange to you right? but that is the reality of every born again, you're being sent into a survival camp. It is a camp to select those who'll become kingdom functionaries.

Kingdom functionaries are sent into warfare to take down territories for the expansion of the kingdom, they don't die unless God says so, don't think they do, because you heard " frontline." Whereas, the weak are left in the camp, vulnerable and weak. Those who grew and are ranked as kingdom warriors, they don't suffer, you think they're? They find pleasure whenever they die to the flesh to birth life for God's kingdom and to build rank in the spirit.

In other words, they do stuff, because they're high ranking valiant warriors who can defend themselves and fight for a king. It's just like the Spartans, you go through hellish trainings to become a fine warrior. Jesus never promised you a life without warfare, He said;
John 16:33

"These things I have spoken to you, so that in Me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation, but take courage; I have overcome the world."

However those who remained as children, who refuse to grow, they'll remain in the survival camp until they're fit and ready to become ranking men. If you want to be ranked out of the survival camp, you must be filled with the holy spirit

and you must meet also the requirements of deep Intimacy with God, an Intimacy that shouts " Ready to die for the King!"

Only few scale through the survival camp and are elected kingdom functionaries who'll be greatly rewarded and honored when the war is over. While they come back form battle when all is said and done, they'll be like soldiers riding on horses as valiant knights and those who choose to be babes will look on from below being dazzled by their glory, they'll remain in the slum while great generals will seat at the kings palace. This is how great a difference rewards will be given to overcomers.

Although, you're given all authority in the name Jesus, but if you'll fail to dwell in the presence, you won't have access to it, because of your poor rate of growth and intimacy. The full authority is there, but it'll be given in accordance to how much you sacrifice to grow in Intimacy, it's you level of Intimacy that'll determine the level of authority you'll function in.

Please I want you to pay attention now and you'll see why you need to spend time in the word. The word of God is like an amour, a force field barrier which prevents the attack of the evil one. If you see a born again fell back to sin or a child of God wounded by spiritual attack, then know his barrier has been breached. This barrier of the word that shields our heart is like being in an energy ball, this barrier is composed of the word or it's like a man being sealed in a snow globe that can repair itself.

No matter the density or thickness of the globe, if it is being hit, the man inside would still feel safe, but if he becomes lazy as a result of the flesh, whenever the glass is being hit, if he refuse to pray to stop the evil one from hitting the glass or more importantly if he fails to feed on God's word, to draw life in other to repair the cracks and strengthen the density or thickness of the glass even more, his barrier will be breached and when it is, anything can happen to him, if it is sin that breaches, he'll fall into sin, if it is affliction, he'll be afflicted.

This is why we have so many wounded Christ, because they failed to repair and strengthen the barrier. Everyone is given same grace, same density of shield, but we need to work, feed on the word to grow and as we grow, our barrier becomes stronger also.

The survival camp is also like being in an egg, as it grows and grows when it incubation time is over, that is; when he has been filled with the holy spirit, the egg will hatch and he'll break forth as a new man who can defend himself. The chick that was in fluid stats has now become the likeness of the mother hen.

We're all shielded and hid in Jesus, but if you fail to modify your armour, it'll soon wear out, you might not be able to see but we're in a constant warfare and we need replenishment.
Proverb 24:21

" If all you do is eat and sleep, you'll soon be wearing rags."

If we children fail to grow in the word to be clothed in God's armour we'll become an easy prey to the devil, he can shoot at any where and he'll get us. How much do you invest your time as a man to spend time in God's presence? How much do you pray? How much do you feed on the word to draw life? You know, it is the life drawn from the word you'll use to replenish and gear up your armoury as you advance.

God kingdom is a function of life, the life of God drawn from the word is what you'll need to withstand the attacks of the evil one, your prayers is for you to function under the security of open heaven, which secures your way to the well of life to harness life and also to prevent the evil one from stealing that which you've harnessed. The reason why many find themselves weak or bored to study the word is because they're not men of prayers to secure themselves on the way to the mine field of life (God's word.) Your righteousness to sacrifice your time for the word will determine your shielding.

Many Christians will remain in the survival camp until the coming of Jesus, then they'll be liberated and be of no relevance in heaven because they chose to remain children. A child have the right to food, clothing and shelter in a house, but only sons has the right to an inheritance, so it is in the kingdom of God. If you remain a child you're gambling with your eternal value.

We settle more on eternity and not the earth realm. If you fail to be clothed in the full armour of God to be sent forth out of the survival camp as a valiant warrior, you might gain all the blessings of God here on earth and being clothed by grace, but you'll remain a babe in the slump in God's kingdom.