

Sunday Morning Sermon Series

Strong and Courageous

GOING UP AGAINST GOLIATH

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... for we walk by faith, not by sight. 2 Corinthians 5:7

How can you be victorious over your Goliath?

1. Recognize that you are in a _____.

For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this darkness, against the spiritual forces of wickedness in the heavenly places. Ephesians 6:12

A. The battle is _____ and requires _____.

B. The battle is _____ your natural _____.

Then a champion came out from the armies of the Philistines named Goliath, from Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. 1 Samuel 17:4

C. The natural response is _____.

2. Recognize the _____ of your enemy.

... so that no advantage would be taken of us by Satan, for we are not ignorant of his schemes. 2 Corinthians 2:11

A. He works to _____ you through _____.

Again the Philistine said, "I defy the ranks of Israel this day; give me a man that we may fight together." 1 Samuel 17:10

B. He works to get you to forget _____.

C. He works to get you _____ and _____.

3. Recognize the weapons of our _____.

A. Smaller victories prepare us for _____.

B. God wants _____ as you walk with Him.

4. Recognize that Goliath will fall when you _____.

Then David said to the Philistine, "You come to me with a sword, a spear, and 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 taunted. This day the LORD will deliver you up into my hands, and I will strike you down and remove your head from you. And I will give the dead bodies of the army of the Philistines this day to the birds of the sky and the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel, and that all this assembly may know that the LORD does not deliver by sword or by spear; for the battle is the LORD'S and He will give you into our hands." 1 Samuel 17:45-47

* One courageous act of faith can _____!

Will you _____ on Jesus and walk _____?