

Learning From A Teen Soldier (1)

1Samuel 17

4 And a champion went out from the camp of the Philistines, named Goliath, from Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span.

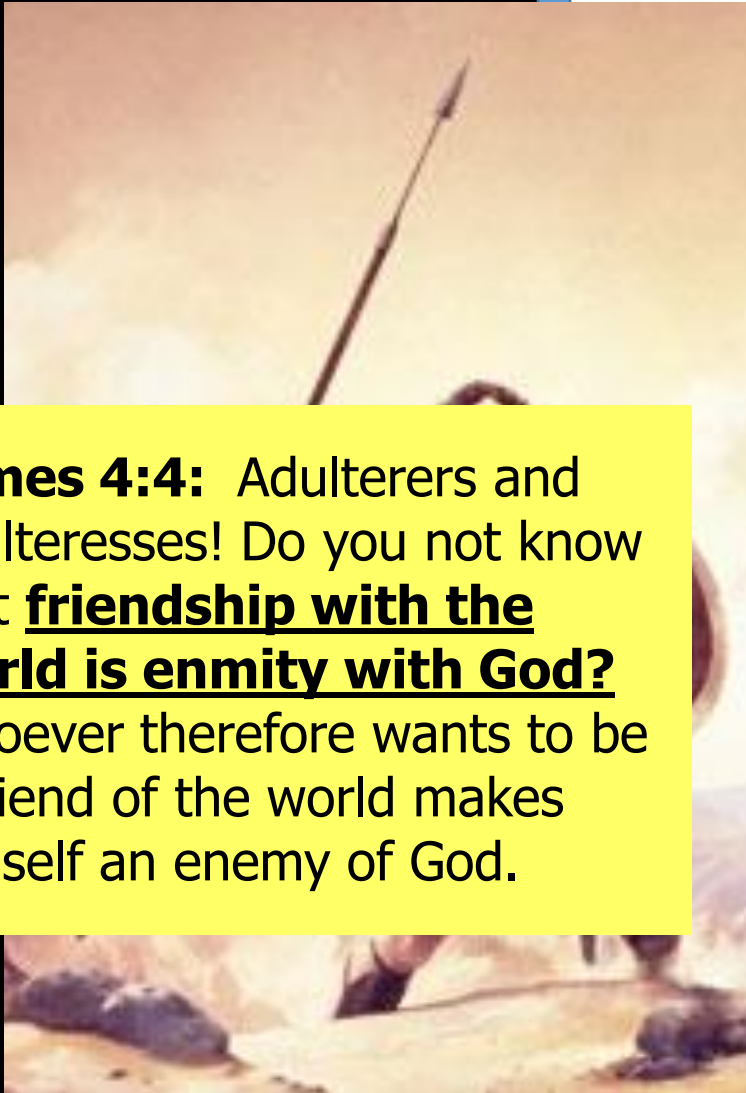
8 Then he stood and cried out to the armies of Israel, and said to them, "Why have you come out to line up for battle? Am I not a Philistine, and you the servants of Saul? Choose a man for yourselves, and let him come down to me.

32 Then David said to Saul, "Let no man's heart fail because of him; your servant will go and fight with this Philistine."





Recognize The Enemy



James 4:4: Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that **friendship with the world is enmity with God?** Whoever therefore wants to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God.

David: knew the enemy!
(1Sam 17:2-11)

We must recognize the enemy!

- *Jm 4:4: we cannot be "friends" with the world (practice same things as Satan's crowd).*
- *We cannot dumb down our conscience to fit the world.*
- *The evils of this world must be recognized as true evil!*

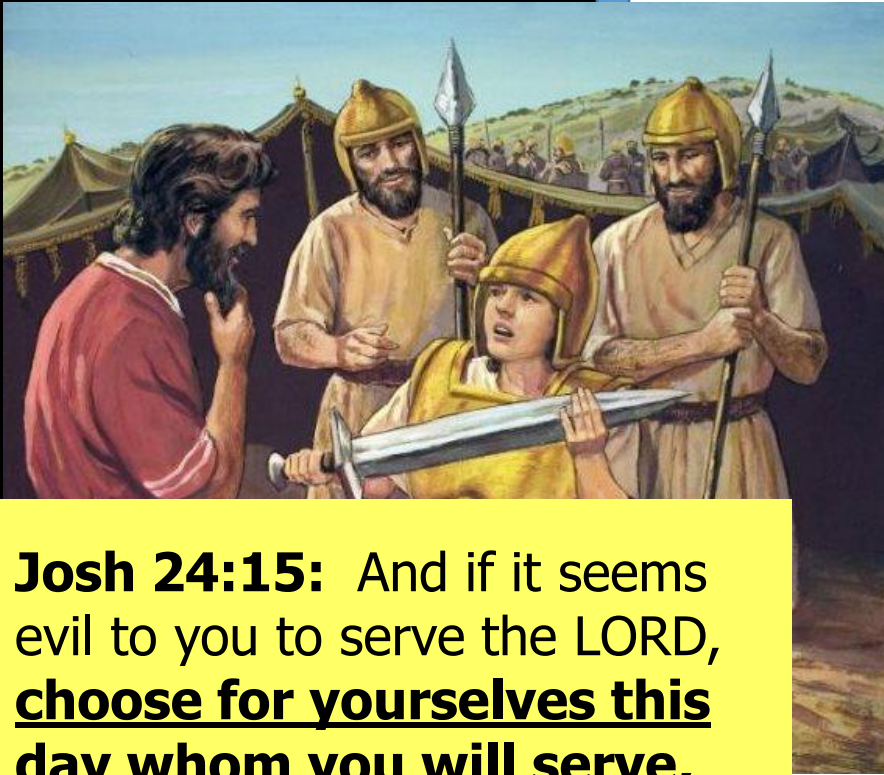


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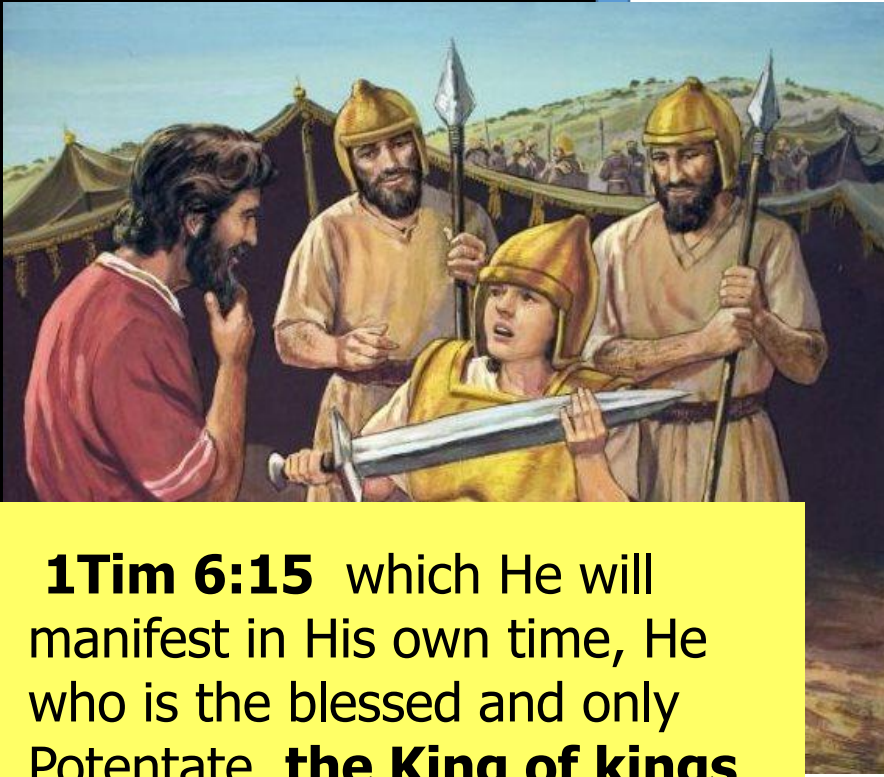


Josh 24:15: And if it seems evil to you to serve the LORD, **choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve,** whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD."

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1Tim 6:15 which He will manifest in His own time, He who is the blessed and only Potentate, **the King of kings and Lord of lords,**

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Luke 14:27 And whoever does not bear his cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple.

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You are a soldier, whose soldier are you?

Don't sit around. Fight darkness today, your non-church circle needs a soldier of Christ.

Go confidently forward in the name of God (Jesus).

Faith In Jesus As Son Of God (John 3:16)



Commitment to change of life (2Peter 3:9)
Confession of Jesus (Romans 10:9-10)
Enter into Jesus in baptism (Galatians 3:26-27)

DEAD TO SIN - ALIVE TO CHRIST

BAPTISM

A dynamic splash of blue water with many bubbles, partially obscuring the word 'BAPTISM' which is written in large, white, bold, sans-serif capital letters.

