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TOPIC: “The Seven Spirits of God”, Part IV
(The Spirit of Might)

This is **Part IV**, of a series that we began on *December 16, 2021*, titled, “**The Seven Spirits of God!**” We have focused on numerous verses in the Bible that speaks about these seven spirits. And one verse in particular names and lists all seven spirits.

1). Revelation 1:4- John to the seven churches which are in Asia: Grace be unto you, and peace, from him which is, and which was, and which is to come; and from **the seven Spirits** which are *before his throne*;

2). Revelation 3:1- And unto the angel of the church in Sardis write; These things saith he that hath **the seven Spirits of God**, and the seven stars; I know thy works, that thou hast a name that thou livest, and art dead.

3). Revelation 4:5- And out of the **throne** proceeded lightnings and thunderings and voices: and there were seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are **the seven Spirits of God**.

4). Revelation 5:6- And I beheld, and, lo, in the midst of the **throne** and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as it had been slain, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.

5). Isaiah 11:2- And the **spirit of the LORD** shall rest upon him, the **spirit of wisdom and understanding**, the **spirit of counsel and might**, the **spirit of knowledge** and of the **fear of the LORD**;

So, thus far we have given an **introduction** to this study. And then we followed that up with an individual study on **The Spirit of the Lord**. Which was then followed by, last Thursday’s focus on, **The Spirit of the Fear of the Lord**.

The Spirit of the Lord is the Holy Spirit. He **guides** us to receive and to **repent**. We receive salvation from Him, Then He **guides** us saying, "This is the way walk ye in it".

The Spirit of the Fear of the Lord allows us to get up every morning with a "**righteous**" conscious, and not a "**sin**" conscious. God sees you as "**righteous**". This is how you should see yourself. You should not walk around feeling condemned, or with a guilt complex. **YOU CANNOT UNSCRAMBLE SCRMBLED EGGS!!!**

1). **Hebrews 10:17**- And their *sins* and *iniquities* will I **remember no more**.

So, now we have arrived at the *third spirit* that stands before the **throne** of God: **The Spirit of Might**.

Again, in **Isaiah 11:2**, it is listed as the **spirit of might**. But it also can be referred to as the **spirit of strength**.

OUR MAIN TAKEAWAY: You have **supernatural strength** directly available to you. Which means that you do not **ever** have to lose. But you do have to fight! There is no way that you can lose, **unless** we initiate a negative action or attitude, that will cause us to (temporarily) experience a **setback**. But when we repent, God initiates a **comeback**. Any **setback**, has a built-in **comeback** (although this will often include consequences). But repentance is always the antidote!!!

The **spirit of might** can be divided into **three** separate strength categories:

A. God's Strength

Jesus is a warrior. He will fight "for" you (when you're too tired to fight).

1). **Exodus 14:13-14**- ¹³ And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, **stand still**, and see the salvation of the **LORD**, which he will shew to you to day: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.

¹⁴ The **LORD** shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace.

2). **II Chronicles 20:17a**- ¹⁷ Ye shall **not** need to **fight** in this battle: set yourselves, **stand ye still**, and see the salvation of the LORD with you,

3). **Joshua 5:13-14**- ¹³ And it came to pass, when Joshua was by Jericho, that he lifted up his eyes and looked, and, behold, there **stood a man** over against him **with his sword drawn**
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in his hand: and Joshua went unto him, and said unto him, Art thou for us, or for our adversaries?
¹⁴ And he said, Nay; but as **captain of the host of the LORD** am I now come. And Joshua **fell on his face** to the earth, and did **worship**, and said unto him, What saith my **LORD** unto his servant?
¹⁵ And the **captain of the LORD's host** said unto Joshua, Loose thy shoe from off thy foot; for the place whereon thou standest is holy. And Joshua did so.

This is the Lord Jesus Himself, appearing in the Old Testament, prepared to do battle.

4). Isaiah 45:2a- I will go **before thee**, and make the crooked places straight:

B. Angelic Strength

FIVE STAR SENTENCE: When angels show up to **fight** (for or against you), they mean business! They are often seen as having flaming **swords** in their hands, *ready* to do battle.

1). Genesis 3:24- So he drove out the man; and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden **Cherubims**, and a **flaming sword** which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.

2). Numbers 22:23- And the ass saw the **angel of the LORD** standing in the way, and his **sword drawn** in his hand: and the ass turned aside out of the way, and went into the field: and Balaam smote the ass, to turn her into the way.

3). II Kings 19:35- And it came to pass that night, that the **angel of the LORD** went out, and **smote** in the camp of the Assyrians **an hundred fourscore and five thousand:** and when they arose early in the morning, behold, they were all **dead** corpses.

4). I Chronicles 21:16a- And David lifted up his eyes, and saw the **angel of the LORD** stand between the earth and the heaven, having a **drawn sword** in his hand stretched out over Jerusalem.

5). Matthew 26:53- Thinkest thou that I cannot now **pray** to my Father, and he shall presently give me **more than twelve legions of angels?**

C. Your Strength

1). Philippians 4:13- I can do all things through Christ which **strengtheneth me**.

2). II Timothy 1:7- For God hath **not** given us the spirit of fear; but of **power**, and of love, and of a sound mind.

3). John 1:12- But as many as received him, to them gave he **power** to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on his name:

4). Luke 10:19- Behold, I give unto you power to **tread** on *serpents* and *scorpions*, and over **all** the power of the *enemy*: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

CONTEMPLATION QUESTION: Since Jesus won the victory/battle over Satan, and we have obtained the victory through Jesus, why do we still have to fight?

ANSWER: This is referred to as **“spiritual warfare”**. Satan is defeated, but he is not going down without a fight (similar to King Saul in the Old Testament). **Which means WAR!** That’s why we are told to put on the *whole armor of God*. Good News: Our battle is with a defeated foe.