

# *Attributes of a Kingdom Warrior*



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**TACTICS** - the practical execution and immediate steps necessary to move towards a goal/vision.



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# Truth-filled

*Being filled with God's truth—His WORD*

Psalms 119:89 - *Forever, O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven.*

John 17:17 - Sanctify them by the truth; Your word is truth.

Psalms 12:6 - *The words of the LORD are pure words, Like silver tried in a furnace of earth, Purified seven times. You shall keep them, O LORD, You shall preserve them from this generation forever.*

Matthew 24:35 - *Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away.*



# God's Word

*The source of our identity*

- Gen 1:26 - We were made in God's image and likeness.
- 1 John 3:1 - We are children of God, exceedingly loved by Him.
- Rom 8:37 - We are more than conquerors.
- 2 Cor 2:14 - We are always triumphant in Him.

# God's Word

## *Our instructions for how to commune with God*

- Heb 11:6b - *For he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.*
- 1 Thes 5:17 - *Pray without ceasing.*
- Eph 6:18a - *Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit.*
- Jude 1:20 - *But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit*

# God's Word

## *Our Spiritual Food*

- Matt 4:4 - *But He answered and said, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.'"*

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*The source of our freedom*

- John 8:31-32 - *<sup>31</sup> Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, "If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed. <sup>32</sup> And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.*

# God's Word

## *Our weapon of War*

- Eph 6:17 - *Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.*
- Heb 4:12 (NIV) - *For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.*
- Rev 1:16a (NIV) - *In His right hand He held seven stars, and coming out of his mouth was a sharp, double-edged sword.*



# God's Word

## *Our instructions for The War*

- 2 Cor 10:3-5 - *<sup>3</sup> For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. <sup>4</sup> For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, <sup>5</sup> casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ.*

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# Apologetic

*Apologize and Accept Apologies*

# Forgiveness

*It's God's way*

- Eph 4:32 (NKJV) - *And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.*



# Forgiveness

*It keeps God's power flowing*

- Mark 11:23-25 (NIV) - <sup>23</sup> Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go, throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in their heart but believes that what they say will happen, it will be done for them . . .

# Forgiveness

*It keeps God's power flowing*

- Mark 11:23-25 (NIV) cont. . . .<sup>24</sup> *Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.* <sup>25</sup> *And when you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone, forgive them, so that your Father in heaven may forgive you your sins.*

# Forgiveness

*When we forgive others, God forgives us*

- Matthew 6:14-15 (NIV) - *<sup>14</sup> For if you forgive other people when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. <sup>15</sup> But if you do not forgive others their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.*

- Matt 18:23-27 - <sup>23</sup> “Therefore, the kingdom of heaven is like a king who wanted to settle accounts with his servants. <sup>24</sup> As he began the settlement, a man who owed him ten thousand bags of gold was brought to him. <sup>25</sup> Since he was not able to pay, the master ordered that he and his wife and his children and all that he had be sold to repay the debt. <sup>26</sup> “At this the servant fell on his knees before him. ‘Be patient with me,’ he begged, ‘and I will pay back everything.’ <sup>27</sup> The servant’s master took pity on him, canceled the debt and let him go . . .



- Matt 18:28-29 - <sup>28</sup> *“But when that servant went out, he found one of his fellow servants who owed him a hundred silver coins. He grabbed him and began to choke him. ‘Pay back what you owe me!’ he demanded. <sup>29</sup> “His fellow servant fell to his knees and begged him, ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay it back.’*

- Matthew 18:30-35 (NIV) - <sup>30</sup> “But he refused. Instead, he went off and had the man thrown into prison until he could pay the debt. <sup>31</sup> When the other servants saw what had happened, they were outraged and went and told their master everything that had happened. <sup>32</sup> “Then the master called the servant in. ‘You wicked servant,’ he said, ‘I canceled all that debt of yours because you begged me to. <sup>33</sup> Shouldn’t you have had mercy on your fellow servant just as I had on you?’ <sup>34</sup> In anger his master handed him over to the jailers to be tortured, until he should pay back all he owed. <sup>35</sup> “This is how My heavenly Father will treat each of you unless you forgive your brother or sister from your heart.”

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# Christ-Centered

*Jesus is our Perfect Role Model*

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*Jesus perfectly revealed God*

- Matthew 6:14-15 (NIV) - John 14:9b *“He who has seen Me has seen the Father”*
- Colossians 1:15a - *He [Jesus] is the image of the invisible God*
- Hebrews 1:3a - *He [Jesus] is the radiance of His glory and the exact representation of His nature . . .*

# Christ-Centered

*Jesus perfectly represented God*

- 1 John 3:8 – *He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God [JESUS] was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.*
- Acts 10:38 - *How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and **healing all** who were **oppressed** by the devil, for God was with Him.*

# Christ-Centered

*Jesus perfectly represented God*

- *Isaiah 61:1 - The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon Me, Because the LORD has anointed Me To preach good tidings [good news] to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, To proclaim **liberty** to the captives. And the opening of the **prison** to those who are bound.*

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# Thankful

*Being thankful reminds us of God's goodness  
and prepares us for more!*

# Thanksgiving

*God's will for your life*

- 1 Thes 5:18 (NLT) - *Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.*
- Phi 4:6-7 (NKJV) - *<sup>6</sup> Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; <sup>7</sup> and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.*

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# Intentional

*Prepare for war in times of peace*

# Intentional

- 1 Cor 9:24 - *Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize.*
- 1 Pet 5:8 - *Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.*
- Pro 22:3 - *A prudent man foresees evil and hides himself; The simple pass on and are punished.*



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# Consistent

*A sign of true discipleship*

- Luke 9:23 (NIV) - *Then He said to them all: "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me."*
- 1 Cor 9:27 - *But I discipline my body and bring it into subjection, lest, when I have preached to others, I myself should become disqualified.*

- John 8:29 - *And He who sent Me is with Me. The Father has not left Me alone, for I always do those things that please Him.*
- John 8:31-32 (NKJV) - *<sup>31</sup> Then Jesus said to those Jews who believed Him, "If you abide in My word, you are My disciples indeed. <sup>32</sup> And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."*

- 2 Tim 1:7 (NLT) - *For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.*

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*Let The Holy Spirit lead*

- John 16:13 - *However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come.*

## *Stay under the influence of the Spirit*

- Ephesians 5:18 (AMP) - *Do not get drunk with wine, for that is wickedness (corruption, stupidity), but be filled with the [Holy] Spirit and constantly guided by Him.*

