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**Exalting, Equipping, Evangelizing**

Bible Study

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## **VICTORY IN SPIRITUAL WARFARE**

One of the realities that every believer finds out after being saved is how difficult it is “living” saved! We soon find out that because we are Christians that we have an enemy, we have an adversary who will do all he can to defeat us in every area of our lives. This battle that we have is called Spiritual Warfare. In this new bible study series based on the book “Victory In Spiritual Warfare” by my mentor Dr. Tony Evans, we will discover how we can win this warfare!

### **I. The Opposition In The Battle**

- 1) The fallen angel Lucifer, who became Satan, is our primary enemy.

*Isaiah 14:12, Ephesians 6:10-11*

### **II. Satan’s Agenda**

- 1) The Individual
- 2) The Family
- 3) The Church
- 4) The Society

*1<sup>st</sup> Peter 5:8*

*Genesis 3:15*

*Matthew 16:18-19*

*Ephesians 6:12*

### **III. Satan’s Strategy**

- 1) Desire
- 2) Deception
- 3) Disobedience
- 4) Death

*Genesis 3:6*

*James 1:13-14*

*2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel 11:2-4*

*James 1:14-15*

Every believer, every Christian, every child of God should expect opposition as you try to live a Godly life. John MacArthur said it best, “A Christian who no longer has to struggle against the world, the flesh, and the devil is a Christian who has fallen either into sin or into complacency. A Christian, who has no conflict, is a Christian who has retreated from the front lines of the battle.” Remember, if Satan tempted Jesus Christ, you can be assured that he will tempt you and me!

**Next Week: The Armor for the Battle!**