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WHO ARE YOU BATTLING?

Most wars are fought because two cannot agree on what is right or what belongs to whom. This happens with world wars, and it happens in families and neighbors. It also happens in marriage.

We often hear people say, "I want to give so and so a piece of my mind." They are angry at a person over a situation, instead of being angry with what truly has caused this battle.

In Ephesians 6:12 it tells us, ***"For we wrestle not against flesh and blood (people) but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places."***

This lets us know the spirit behind division, wars, arguments, and every battle is Satan and his minions. He works through people, but the people are not who we are battling. We are battling spiritual wickedness that comes from Satan. When we take the battle to the flesh we will never win, and neither will the other person. You cannot win spiritual battles in the physical realm.

Once you see that this is the true reason for divisions in the home and in the country, then you can start battling the right "ruler" of wickedness. If it is anger, that is the spirit that you battle. If it is gluttony, then it is the spirit of gluttony you battle. With abortion, it is the spirit of Baal and the spirit of death.

Christians and those of the world are wearing themselves out by battling the wrong entity. Remember, it is not the person, it is the spirit controlling that person or situation. Take time to pray and ask God what spirit lies behind whatever the battle is that you are facing. Then go into the battle with the Word of God and take authority over it in the spiritual realm. That is how you win. To learn more about spiritual warfare, visit our website and our ministry school with the videos and teaching on spiritual warfare. [Click here](#). Scroll down to the first session on Spiritual Warfare. There are twelve teaching videos on this subject. I guarantee it will help you get victory in your battles.