

“The LORD is Mighty in Battle”

Ministered by Pastor George Pearsons on April 14, 2024

It is an exercise in futility to think you can fight against God and win. It is an exercise in futility to think you can wipe out the Jewish nation.

Why? Because the Jews belong to God and He fights for them.

We never discount what faith is going, nor do we belittle the effect of the attack that came against Israel on Saturday, April 13th because natural disasters were not attached. One of our Jewish brothers said think of it like this... *God is moving pieces around on His chess board in the sky, getting ready to declare, check... mate.*

It's easy for some to say, *“This victory on Saturday, April 13th is not really God, but the “Iron Beam,” “Iron Dome,” “Arrow 2,” “Hetz 3,” or “David’s Sling,” along with other tools to intercept enemy planes, drones, and tactical ballistic missiles.”* The truth is this IS God's hand in action that provided the technology, and we are also thankful to God that the technology didn't fail. Some may see it as the physical which protected them; but we know as Psalm 91 says, this is God's shield over them, often brought through the means of angelic armies.

Psalm 98:1-9; (KJV)

v. 1 *“O Sing unto the Lord a new song; for He hath done marvelous things:”*

v. 9 *“Before the Lord; for He cometh to judge the earth: with righteousness shall He judge the world, and the people with equity.”*

Israel, a state that is only 75 years old (May 14, 1948), coupled with the technology, the strength, and defense they have – it's clear to see there protection is a miracle of God.

1 Chronicles 16:15-17; (KJV)

“Be ye mindful always of His covenant; the word which He commanded to a thousand generations;

16 Even of the covenant which He made with Abraham, and of His oath unto Isaac;

*17 And hath confirmed the same to Jacob for a law, and to Israel for **an everlasting covenant,**”*

Be mindful always of His covenant, the Word. Whatever is His, is ours, the church, corporately and individually.

Update from the Attack on Saturday, April 13th.

1. 99% of the drones and missiles fired by Iran at Israel were intercepted by air defenses.
2. Iran launched one hundred and seventy drones, and not one entered Israeli airspace. They were all shot down outside of the country's borders by Israel and its allies.
3. Iran launched 30 cruise missiles and not even one entered Israeli airspace.
4. Iran fired 120 ballistic missiles at Israel. Some bypassed Israel's defenses, hitting the Nevatim Airbase in southern Israel and causing minor damage. The airbase is up and running.
5. A handful of drones and missiles were launched from Iraq and Yemen, but none entered Israeli airspace.
6. **“If we will stand for God, He will fight for us.” — Pastor Terri Pearsons**

Seven Articles of a War Covenant.

Article #1 -My People Israel

2 Samuel 7:8-11; (NKJV)

“Now therefore, thus shall you say to My servant David, ‘Thus says the LORD of hosts: “I took you from the sheepfold, from following the sheep, to be ruler over My people, over Israel. And I have been with you wherever you have gone and have cut off all your enemies from

before you, and have made you a great name, like the name of the great men who are on the earth. Moreover, I will appoint a place for My people Israel, and will plant them, that they may dwell in a place of their own and move no more; nor shall the sons of wickedness oppress them anymore, as previously, since the time that I commanded judges to be over My people Israel, and have caused you to rest from all your enemies. Also, the LORD tells you that He will make you a house."

God calls the Jews, "My people Israel."

V. 10 (MSG) "And I'm going to set aside a place for my people, Israel and plant them there, so they'll have their own home and not be knocked around any more. Nor will evil men afflict you as they always have."

[This is a war covenant where the enemy is trying to steal the land from them.]

Article #2 - Regulations Concerning War

Deuteronomy 20:1-4; (NLT)

"When you go out to fight your enemies and you face horses and chariots and an army greater than your own, do not be afraid. The LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, is with you! When you prepare for battle, the priest must come forward to speak to the troops. He will say to them, 'Listen to me, all you men of Israel! Do not be afraid as you go out to fight your enemies today! Do not lose heart or panic or tremble before them. For the LORD, your God is going with you! He will fight for you against your enemies, and He will give you victory!'"

God just gave Israel victory [Saturday April 13th]. **We must stop and give thanks to God for all that He has done and continues to do.**

Article #3 - Our God is a God of War (The Song of Moses)

Exodus 15:1-19; (NKJV)

“Then Moses and the children of Israel sang this song to the LORD, and spoke, saying: “I will sing to the LORD, For He has triumphed gloriously! The horse and its rider He has thrown into the sea! The LORD is my strength and song, And He has become my salvation; He is my God, and I will praise Him; My father’s God, and I will exalt Him.”

“The LORD is a man of war; The LORD is His Name.”

In the Jewish Chumash = God is the Master of war; God (uses) His Name (to do battle).

Article #4 - The LORD is Mighty in Battle

Psalm 24:7-10; (NKJV)

*“Lift up your heads, O you gates! And be lifted up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? **The LORD is strong and mighty, The LORD mighty in battle.** Lift up your heads, O you gates! Lift up, you everlasting doors! And the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory. Selah”*

We don’t just tolerate woke statements; but we raise our voice in faith, we vote, and speak out for righteousness, truth, and continue to take our stand.

What happened when God drowned the Egyptian army? [These are war principles.]

- He promised His chosen nation He would protect them.
- He demonstrated His superiority and greatness in battle.
- He demonstrated His wrath and judgement against those who were oppressing His people.

Article #5 - What About All the Nations Surrounding Israel?

We don’t operate in fear...

Isaiah 40:15-17; (AMPC)

“Behold, the nations are like a drop from a bucket and are counted as small dust on the scales; behold, He takes up the isles like a very

little thing. And all Lebanon's [forests] cannot supply sufficient fuel, nor all its wild beasts furnish victims enough to burn sacrifices [worthy of the Lord]. All the nations are as nothing before Him; they are regarded by Him as less than nothing and emptiness (waste, futility, and worthlessness)."

That includes ALL the nations that are against Israel.

- The nations that are protesting Israel.
- The nations that are calling for a pause.
- The nations that are calling for the death of Jews.
- The nations saying, "Death to Israel. Death to America."
- That includes the comment made by one Imam who said: "Israel, Spain, Australia, and Rome — all are Muslim lands. Allah instructed us to conquer the entire earth because he created it only for Muslims. The Prophet said we would rule the world. America and Europe will soon come to an end. only Islam will prevail."
- Ha, Ha, Ha, 🎉 Pastor George shared there are times he demonstrates his victory while on his 12 minute drive to the office, laughing at the enemy and circumstances the entire drive - thinking about what is ahead.

We, too, are laughing at the devil, as we are sitting in the heavens and hearing this foolishness.

Psalm 2:1-5;

"Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD, and against his anointed, saying, Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision. Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure."

Isaiah 42:13;

*"The LORD shall go forth as a mighty man, he shall stir up jealousy **like a man of war**: he shall cry, yea, roar; **he shall prevail against His enemies.**"*

Article #6 - God is Israel's Shield

Psalm 3:1-8;

"LORD, how are they increased that trouble me! many are they that rise up against me. Many there be which say of my soul, There is no help for him in God. Selah.

But thou, O LORD, art a shield for me; my glory, and the lifter up of mine head. I cried unto the LORD with my voice, and he heard me out of his holy hill. Selah. I laid me down and slept; I awaked; for the LORD sustained me. I will not be afraid of ten thousands of people, that have set themselves against me round about. Arise, O LORD; save me, O my God: for thou hast smitten all mine enemies upon the cheek bone; thou hast broken the teeth of the ungodly. Salvation belongeth unto the LORD: thy blessing is upon thy people. Selah."

"Don't you be concerned about My State of Israel. Those are **MY PEOPLE!"**

— Word from the Lord through Kenneth Copeland, 10-27-23

Article #7 - Psalm 91

Begin by speaking faith filled words over Israel, over our nation, over EMIC, and over yourselves!

We shall not be afraid... as by faith we are covered in the blood of Jesus.

Noisome pestilence = toxic, hurtful substance.

Truth = your circle of protection, the blood, the Name of Jesus, the angels.

Pestilence = plague, which will not inflict us, or enter us. I refuse any form of COVID or anything else that is a plague, I declare all plagues are under my feet in the Name of Jesus.

It shall not come near thee = I am the untouchable, and the wicked one touches me not!

Click the following link to view the full service.
<https://player.vimeo.com/video/934583857?h=f8d67f125b>