

WHEN YOU' RE BETWEEN THE DEVIL AND THE DEEP BLUE SEA - II

1. WHEN YOU ARE BETWEEN PHARAOH AND THE SEA.

1. ***See the salvation of the Lord.*** (Exo 14:13 KJV) And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the LORD, which he will show to you to day: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever. (Exo 14:14 KJV) The LORD shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace.
2. ***God troubled the Egyptians.*** (Exo 14:24 KJV) And it came to pass, that in the morning watch the LORD looked unto the host of the Egyptians through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians,
3. ***He knocks the wheels off the chariots!*** (Exo 14:25 KJV) And took off their chariot wheels, that they drave them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the LORD fighteth for them against the Egyptians.

2. GOD WILL CONFOUND THE ENEMY FOR OUR SAKE.

1. ***He will cause the enemy to see and hear what they need to see and hear.***
2. ***The four lepers.***
 1. If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also.
 2. The Lord confounds the Syrians.
 3. The king is skeptical.
3. ***The ditches full of water.***
 1. ***The alliance of three kings.***
 1. King of Israel (Jehoram), King of Judah (Jehosopha), and the King of Edom go against King of Moab.
 2. Call for a prophet.
 3. Bring a minstrel. (2 Ki 3:15 KJV) But now bring me a minstrel. And it came to pass, when the minstrel played, that the hand of the LORD came upon him.
 2. ***Make ditches.*** (2 Ki 3:16 KJV) And he said, Thus saith the LORD, Make this valley full of ditches. (2 Ki 3:17 KJV) For thus saith the LORD, Ye shall not see wind, neither shall ye see rain; yet that valley shall be filled with water, that ye may drink, both ye, and your cattle, and your beasts.
 3. ***God will deliver the Moabites.*** (2 Ki 3:18 KJV) And this is but a light thing in the sight of the LORD: he will deliver the Moabites also into your hand.
 4. ***Ditches filled with water.*** (2 Ki 3:20 KJV) And it came to pass in the morning...there came water by the way of Edom, and the country was filled with water.
 5. ***The Moabites see blood.*** (2 Ki 3:21 KJV) And when all the Moabites heard that the kings were come up to fight against them, they gathered all that were able to put on armour, and upward, and stood in the border. (2 Ki 3:22 KJV) And they rose up early in the morning, and the sun shone upon the water, and the Moabites saw the water on the other side as red as

blood:

6. *The Israelites smite the Moabites.* (2 Ki 3:24 KJV) And when they came to the camp of Israel, the Israelites rose up and smote the Moabites, so that they fled before them: but they went forward smiting the Moabites, even in their country.

4. ***Gideon.***

5. ***Jonathan and his armourbearer.***

6. ***Same event can be perceived differently.*** (Exo 10:21 KJV) And the LORD said unto Moses, Stretch out thine hand toward heaven, that there may be darkness over the land of Egypt, even darkness which may be felt. (Exo 10:22 KJV) And Moses stretched forth his hand toward heaven; and there was a thick darkness in all the land of Egypt three days: (Exo 10:23 KJV) They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days: but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.

3. THE MINISTRY OF ANGELS.

1. ***Angels are sent to minister to heirs of salvation.***

1. (Psa 34:7 KJV) The angel of the LORD encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.
2. (Psa 68:17 KJV) The chariots of God are twenty thousand, even thousands of angels: the Lord is among them, as in Sinai, in the holy place.
3. (Psa 91:11 KJV) For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways. (Psa 91:12 KJV) They shall bear thee up in their hands, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone.
4. (Psa 103:20 KJV) Bless the LORD, ye his angels, that excel in strength, that do his commandments, hearkening unto the voice of his word.

2. ***Daniel.*** (Dan 6:22 KJV) My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me:

3. ***Peter.***

1. (Acts 5:19 KJV) But the angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth
2. (Acts 12:7 KJV) And, behold, the angel of the Lord came upon him, and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up, saying, Arise up quickly. And his chains fell off from his hands.
3. (Acts 12:11 KJV) And when Peter was come to himself, he said, Now I know of a surety, that the Lord hath sent his angel, and hath delivered me out of the hand of Herod, and from all the expectation of the people of the Jews.

4. EXHORTATION.

1. ***Don't believe the worst when in a bad situation.***

2. ***Confess that you know our God will deliver us; don't see yourself perishing by the sword.***

3. ***The confession of the Three Hebrew Children.***

1. But if ye worship not, ye shall be cast the same hour into the midst of a burning fiery furnace; and who is that God that shall deliver you out of my

hands?

2. (Dan 3:16 KJV) Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego, answered and said to the king, O Nebuchadnezzar, we are not careful to answer thee in this matter.
3. (Dan 3:17 KJV) If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. (Dan 3:18 KJV) But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up.
4. ***When you pass through the waters.*** (Isa 43:2 KJV) When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee: when thou walkest through the fire, thou shalt not be burned; neither shall the flame kindle upon thee.
5. ***No weapon formed shall prosper.*** (Isa 54:17 KJV) No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and their righteousness is of me, saith the LORD.
6. ***I will be a wall a fire about you.*** (Zec 2:5 KJV) For I, saith the LORD, will be unto her a wall of fire round about, and will be the glory in the midst of her.