

# Jehovah Sabaoth – The LORD of Hosts

## Main Verse:

**Psalm 46:7** – *“The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge.”*

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## Introduction

Family of God, many of us today are in battles—spiritual battles, family battles, financial battles, emotional battles. Sometimes it feels like we are surrounded and fighting alone. But the Bible gives us a powerful revelation of God’s name: **Jehovah Sabaoth**.

This name tells us: *You are not alone. Heaven is fighting for you.*

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## Definition of Jehovah Sabaoth

- **Jehovah (YHWH)** = The self-existent, eternal God.
- **Sabaoth** = Armies, hosts, multitudes.
  - ➔ Together: **Jehovah Sabaoth = The LORD of Hosts, the Commander of Heaven’s Armies.**

He appears in Scripture more than 280 times—always reminding His people that He is in charge of heaven’s armies and nothing can stand against Him.

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## Point 1: He Fights Our Battles

**Exodus 14:14** – *“The LORD will fight for you, and you shall hold your peace.”*

When David faced Goliath, he declared: *“I come against you in the name of the LORD of hosts”* (**1 Samuel 17:45**).

- David wasn't fighting alone—heaven was backing him up.  
**Illustration:** When a general shows up, the whole army is behind him. When God shows up, heaven itself fights for you.
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## Point 2: He Surrounds Us With His Hosts

**2 Kings 6:16–17** – *“Those who are with us are more than those who are with them.”*

- Elisha's servant was afraid until God opened his eyes. He saw chariots of fire surrounding them.
  - You may feel outnumbered by problems, but heaven is surrounding your enemies right now.  
**Illustration:** Like a child holding their father's hand in a dark street—danger may be near, but safety is sure because the father is stronger.
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## Point 3: He Rules Over All Creation

**Isaiah 45:12** – *“It is I who made the earth and created mankind on it. My own hands stretched out the heavens; I marshaled their starry hosts.”*

- God doesn't just fight for us—He rules over everything. Kings, nations, nature, and even the stars obey His command.  
**Illustration:** Earthly kings command nations, but Jehovah Sabaoth commands the universe. Nothing is outside His authority.
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## Point 4: He is Our Refuge and Victory

**Psalms 24:10** – *“Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory.”*

- He is both a **warrior** who fights and a **fortress** who protects.

- In Him, we find both victory and peace.
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## Conclusion

Church, when we call on **Jehovah Sabaoth**, we are declaring:

- My battles belong to the Lord.
- I am not surrounded by defeat, I am surrounded by heaven.
- No enemy is stronger than my God.
- The LORD of hosts is both my warrior and my refuge.

✨ Let us declare together:

**“The LORD of hosts is with us; the God of Jacob is our refuge!” (Psalm 46:7)**