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Ezekiel 28:14-16 You were anointed as a **guardian cherub**, for so I ordained you. You were on the holy mount of God; you walked among the fiery stones. You were blameless in your ways from the day you were **created** till wickedness was found in you. Through your widespread trade you were **filled with violence, and you sinned**. So I drove you in disgrace from the mount of God, and **I expelled you**, O guardian cherub, from among the fiery stones.

Isaiah 14:12-15 How you have fallen from heaven, O morning star, son of the dawn! You have been cast down to the earth, you who once laid low the nations! You said in your heart, "**I will ascend to heaven; I will raise my throne above the stars of God; I will sit enthroned on the mount of assembly, on the utmost heights of the sacred mountain. I will ascend above the tops of the clouds; I will make myself like the Most High.**" But you are **brought down** to the grave, to the depths of the pit.

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Key Thought: Satan exists to _____ God's children and _____ God's glory.

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Colossians 2:13-15 When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you **alive** with Christ. He **forgave us all our sins**, having canceled the charge of our legal indebtedness, which stood against us and condemned us; he has taken it away, nailing it to the cross. And having **disarmed the powers and authorities**, he made a public spectacle of them, **triumphing over them** by the cross.

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Essential Practices

- ✓ Build up our **spiritual strength**.

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1 Timothy 4:7-8 Have nothing to do with irreverent, silly myths. Rather **train yourself for godliness**; for while bodily training is of some value, godliness is of value in every way, as it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come.

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Ephesians 6:14-17 **Stand firm** then, with the belt of **truth** buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of **righteousness** in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of **peace**. In addition to all this, take up the shield of **faith**, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of **salvation** and the sword of the Spirit, which is the **word of God**.

6 Truths Against the Attacks of the Enemy

- Belt of Truth vs. Liar – Philippians 4:8 “Whatever is true.”
- Breastplate of Righteousness vs. Accuser – 2 Corinthians 5:21 “I am righteousness of God in Christ.”
- Shoes of Peace vs. Temptation – 1 Corinthians 10:13 “No temptation has overtaken me.”
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- Sword of the Spirit vs. Deceiver – John 17:17 “Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth.”

Key Thought: God makes the armor available but we must choose to suit up.

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Ephesians 4:26-27 “In your anger do not sin: Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, and **do not give the devil a foothold**.”

Walk Away: In order for us to fulfill our destiny in Christ, we need to _____ the good fight of faith, and _____ our life to please God.

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