

Strife is Not My Friend

Genesis 13:1-9



Sustain and Strife

- **Sustain** — to bear or carry; to be able to handle
- **Strife** - controversy or dispute; to fight; to complain or debate.



•Be of sober spirit, be on the alert. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour- **1 Peter 5:8**

•**Sober** – to be alert; calm

•**Seeking** - *zeteo* - to search with the intention of finding.



•Be angry and yet do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your anger, and do not give the devil and opportunity. – **Ephesians 4:26,27**

•**Opportunity** – a designated place or space.



•For the kingdom of God is not eating and drinking, but **righteousness**, **peace**, and **joy** in the Holy Spirit. - **Romans 14:17**

•**Righteousness** – doing the right thing; justice

•**Peace** – exemption from the rage of havoc and war

•**Joy** - gladness

