



Message Series Guide

In the Hand of a Warrior

Part 2 – The Blessing of Many Witnesses

Psalm 127:5

One of the blessings of having multiple children in Old Testament times was that they could serve as witnesses to their father's good name. The more children, the more witnesses. We are still called today to honor our mothers and fathers by the words of our testimony. Jesus, Himself, stands as a witness to the glory of the Heavenly Father and to the justification of the sinner.

READ: Psalm 127:4-5; 1 Timothy 5:4 & 8;
Deuteronomy 21:18-21; John 5:19; 6:38; 14:28;

DISCUSS:

- According to Psalm 127:5, what is the blessing of a full quiver? If someone has few or no children, are they missing out on God's blessing?
- Why were multiple children in Old Testament times important (especially for widows)? To what does Paul compare someone who does not take care of the needs of their family (Timothy 5:4 & 8)?
- How did a child stand as a witness to their father's good name in Old Testament times? How does Jesus witness to the Heavenly Father and to our justification?

PRAY & RESPOND:

Reflect/Pray about how you can best honor your mother and father, while also being a witness to the glory of God.