Discussion Questions

INTRODUCTION

Many people reject the idea of a devil or a spiritual enemy. The concept clashes with their scientific, modern worldview. But does rejection of a spiritual world come at a cost? This message outlines a worldview that includes a spiritual reality, a spiritual enemy, and what a person must do to be on the winning side.

GETTING STARTED

1. When you think of spiritual warfare, what images come to mind? What people come to mind?

2. Have you had an experience in which the only explanation is spiritual warfare?

BIBLE IDEA

3. How do you feel about the idea of the devil, or a spiritual adversary? If you don't believe in the devil's existence, what reasons do you have? What could be the potential cost of denying his existence?

4. The thought of going to war may evoke fear and anxiety in most people. Does the thought of spiritual warfare create fear and anxiety in you? If not, what helped you have confidence that you are on the winning side of the struggle? If so, what does the Bible say that could increase your confidence?

5. What Scripture do you find most helpful in preparing yourself to win the spiritual battle? Why? (ex. James 4:7, Ephesians 6, 1 Peter 5:8).

NEXT STEPS

6. What step could you take this week to be more battle-ready?