

Basic Training: Know Your Enemy
Series: Identity: Who We Are in Christ
(A Close-up Look at Ephesians)
– Ephesians 6:10-12 –

I. SATAN'S ORGANIZATION

1. A _____ army

2. A _____ army

There are two equal and opposite errors in which our race can fall about devils. One is to disbelieve in their existence. The other is to believe, and to feel an excessive and unhealthy interest in them. Devils themselves are equally pleased by both errors and hail a materialist or a magician with the same delight.
C.S. Lewis in *The Screwtape Letters*

II. SATAN'S OPERATION

1. He _____ us to sin

2. He _____ us of being unworthy

3. He _____ us to the truth

Psalms 18:16-19

Application Questions. . .

1. What especially spoke to you in this message?
2. What is the first thing that comes to mind when you think of spiritual warfare?
3. From what you see in this chapter and elsewhere in Scripture, what can you reasonably expect in life if you do *not* obey the command in verse 10?
4. What would you say is an especially good *starting point* for applying these verses more effectively to your life?
5. What evidence do you see of the battle in your life? Your church? Your community? Your nation? The world? What would it mean for you "to stand" in these particular battlefields?
6. Take some time to share with one another some areas where you have felt attacked. Take turns praying for one another for victory in those areas of your lives!