

UNSEATING PRINCIPALITIES

GROW GUIDE

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Historical Context and Biblical Facts

GREEK

ἀρχή **Archē** (ar-KHAY) = rule, ruler, first in rank or authority.

Principalities are high-ranking demonic rulers.

● **Principality** = the domain or territory under a ruler's authority.

“Demons are evil spirits that oppose the will of God and seek to destroy people through deception, bondage, and rebellion.”

“Principalities are high-ranking demonic spirits that influence regions, cultures, governments, and people groups against the will of God.”

PRINCIPALITIES SIMPLIFIED

“HIGH-RANKING DEMONIC BEINGS”

Think about a municipality.

- A municipality is a city or local area under an organized government.
- In the same way, principality carries the idea of rule or a domain under a ruler.
- But the Bible gives us the spiritual and regional connection in Daniel 10!

DANIEL 10:13

“The prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me twenty-one days...”

- Persia was an actual kingdom and region!
- Yet Daniel reveals a spiritual “Prince of Persia.”

DANIEL 10:20

“...I will return to fight against the prince of Persia; and when I go out, behold, the prince of Greece will come.”

- Persia had a prince.
- Greece had a prince.
- Scripture shows spiritual powers associated with earthly kingdoms and regions!

“Principalities seek to exercise demonic influence over regions, cultures, and people!”

SCRIPTURE REFERENCES

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| ✝ John 10:10 | ✝ Matthew 8:5-11 | ✝ Acts 19:13-16 |
| ✝ Daniel 10:13 | ✝ Daniel 10:20 | ✝ Genesis 6:10 |
| ✝ Exodus 3:5 | ✝ Matthew 4:1-4 | ✝ 1 Samuel 16:23 |
| ✝ Jude 1:9 | ✝ Ephesians 6:12 | ✝ Leviticus 20:2 |
| ✝ Jeremiah 7:31 | ✝ Exodus 1:13-18 | ✝ Matthew 2:16 |
| ✝ Matthew 18:6 | ✝ Proverbs 6:16 | ✝ Luke 1:44 |
| ✝ Luke 2:16 | ✝ Jeremiah 1:5 | ✝ Ephesians 1:19-23 |
| ✝ Colossians 2:10 | ✝ Colossians 2:15 | ✝ Matthew 28:18 |
| ✝ Matthew 8:13 | | |

SPIRITUAL WARNINGS

- 01** The enemy always tries to steal what God has done.
 - 02** It is unwise and dangerous to personally come against demonic principalities.
 - 03** Your worship must be at the level of your warfare.
 - 04** When you are competing with God's will, you cannot be in His perfect will.
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Principalities

EXAMPLES

- Competition
- Greed
- Lust
- Rebellion
- Molech (abortion)
- Ishtar (perverted sexuality)
- Jezebel (manipulation and witchcraft)

PRACTICAL / WISE SPIRITUAL WARFARE

The Word of God

You can't respond to the enemy with "it is written" if you don't know what is written.

Worship

This is fighting in the Spirit realm.

The Lord

Asking God to fight the battle for you is the wisest way to engage in spiritual battle.

Pray

Lift up the highest power, Jesus.

Live it

Live out the opposite spirit of the principality through you practicing in the Holy Spirit.

Resist the devil

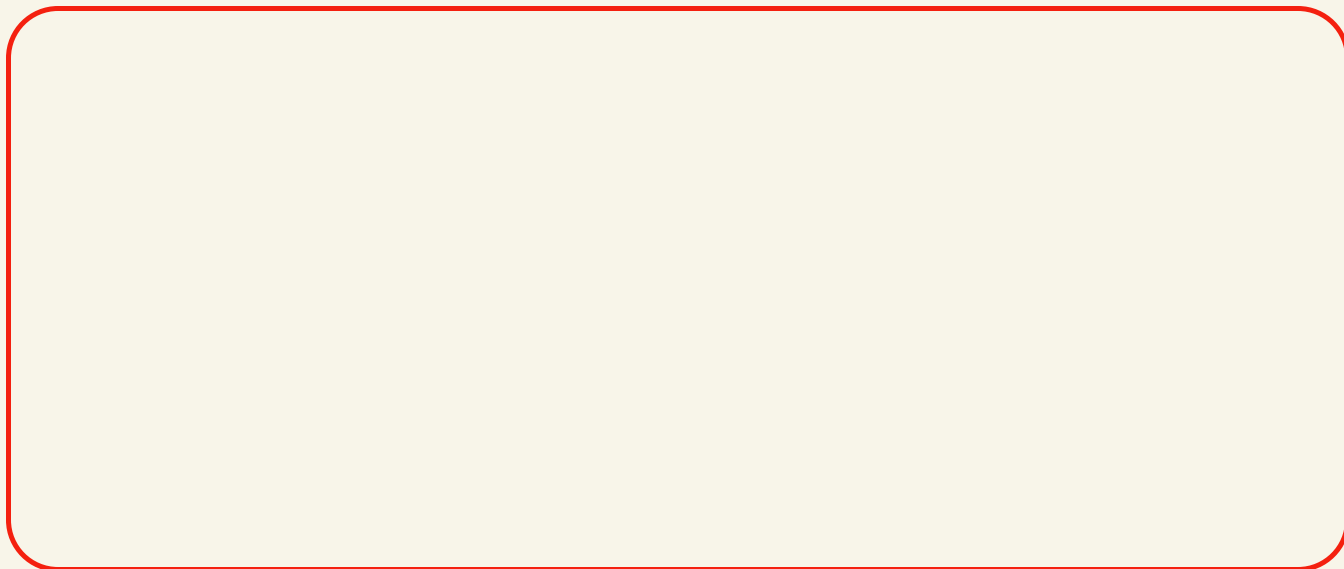
Flee from temptations of the principality.

REFLECTION

1. What did God speak to you about unseating principalities through reading the verses in this guide?

2. What did you learn about warring against principalities wisely?

3. What practical step are you committing to this week to war against principalities?



PRAYER *of* ENCOUNTERS

This is where I tell You... I love You, I love You, I love You!

This is where I tell You... You're Holy, You're Holy, You're Holy!

This is where I tell You... Thank You, thank You, thank You!

This is where I tell You... I need You, I need You, I need You!

This is where I tell You... Speak Lord, Your servant is listening!