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# The Weapons Of Our Warfare

## Part 4: The Weapons of Promise



2 Corinthians 10:4 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)



# Armoring up!

## Ruwach *“SPIRIT”*

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### The KJV Old Testament Hebrew Lexicon

Strong's Number: 07307


#### Original Word

רוּחַ

#### Transliterated Word

Ruwach

#### Phonetic Spelling

roo'-akh 

#### Definition

1. wind, breath, mind, spirit
  - a. breath
  - b. wind

#### Word Origin

from (07306)

#### TDNT Entry

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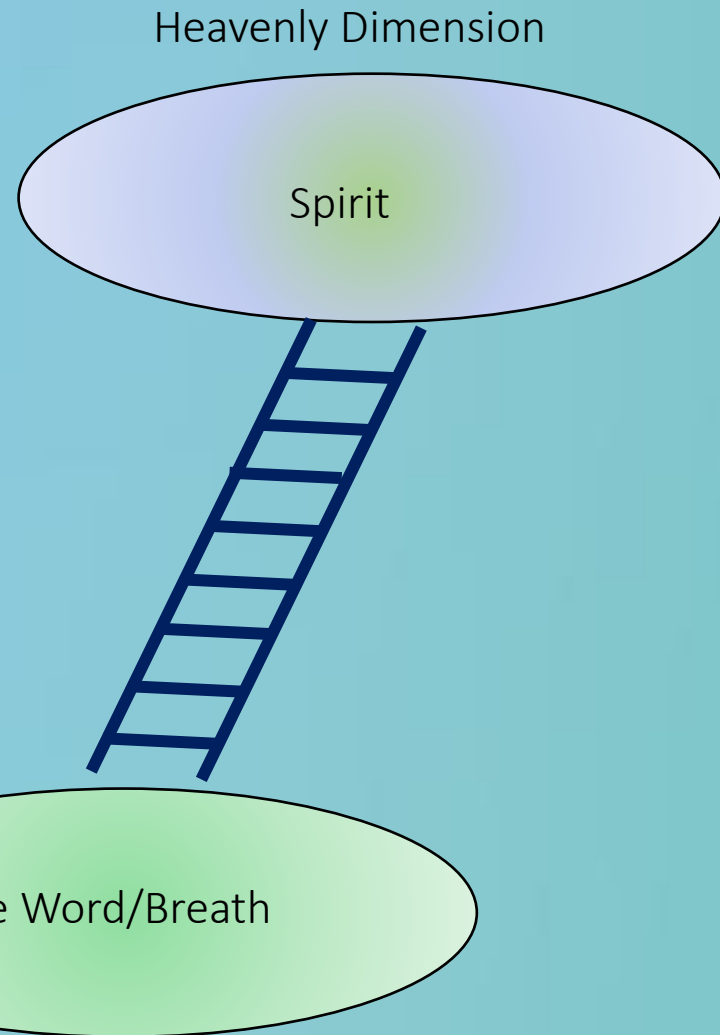
#### Parts of Speech

Noun Feminine

- Genesis 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.
- John 20:22 And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost:

***“RUACH” WIND, BREATH, SPIRIT, MIND***

# THE RELATIONSHIP: SPIRIT -> WORD



- Genesis 28:12 And he dreamed, and behold a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven: and behold the angels of God ascending and descending on it.
- 13 And, behold, the LORD stood above it, and said, I am the LORD God of Abraham thy father, and the God of Isaac: the land whereon thou liest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed;

John 1:1 ¶In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.  
John 1:14 And **the Word was made flesh**, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

# Breath, Wind, Spirit



Ruach  
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Kodesh

- Acts 2:1 ¶And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.
- 2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

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Short Definition: spirit



# The Weapons: The Wind (Spirit)



- Ezekiel 37:1 ¶The hand of the LORD was upon me, and carried me out in the spirit of the LORD, and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones,
- 2 And caused me to pass by them round about: and, behold, there were very many in the open valley; and, lo, they were very dry.
- 3 And he said unto me, Son of man, can these bones live? And I answered, O Lord GOD, thou knowest.
- 4 Again he said unto me, Prophecy upon these bones, and say unto them, **O ye dry bones, hear the word of the LORD.**

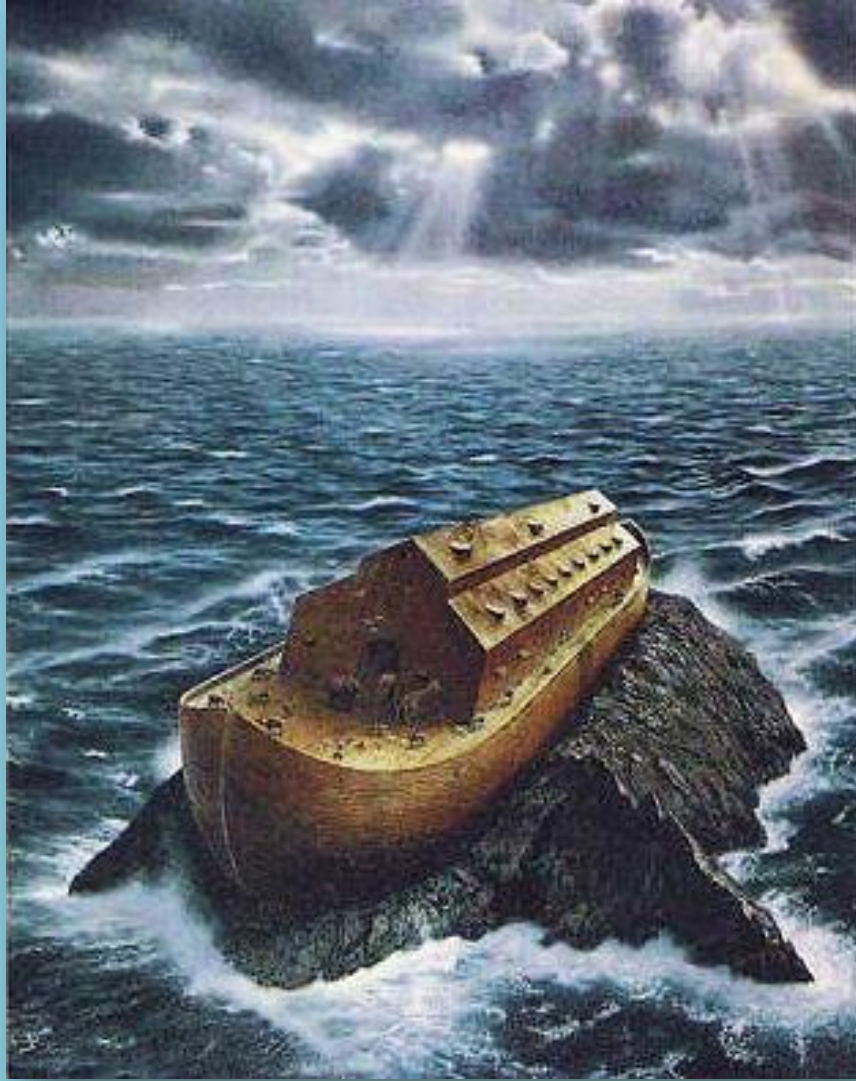
# The Ruach HaKodesh



- Ezekiel 37:5 Thus saith the Lord GOD unto these bones; Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you, and ye shall live:
- 6 And I will lay sinews upon you, and will bring up flesh upon you, and cover you with skin, and put breath in you, and ye shall live; and ye shall know that I am the LORD.
- 7 So I prophesied as I was commanded: and as I prophesied, there was a noise, and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to his bone. 8 And when I beheld, lo, the sinews and the flesh came up upon them, and the skin covered them above: but there was no breath in them. 9 Then said he unto me, Prophecy unto the wind, prophecy, son of man, and say to the wind, Thus saith the Lord GOD; **Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live.**
- 10 So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army



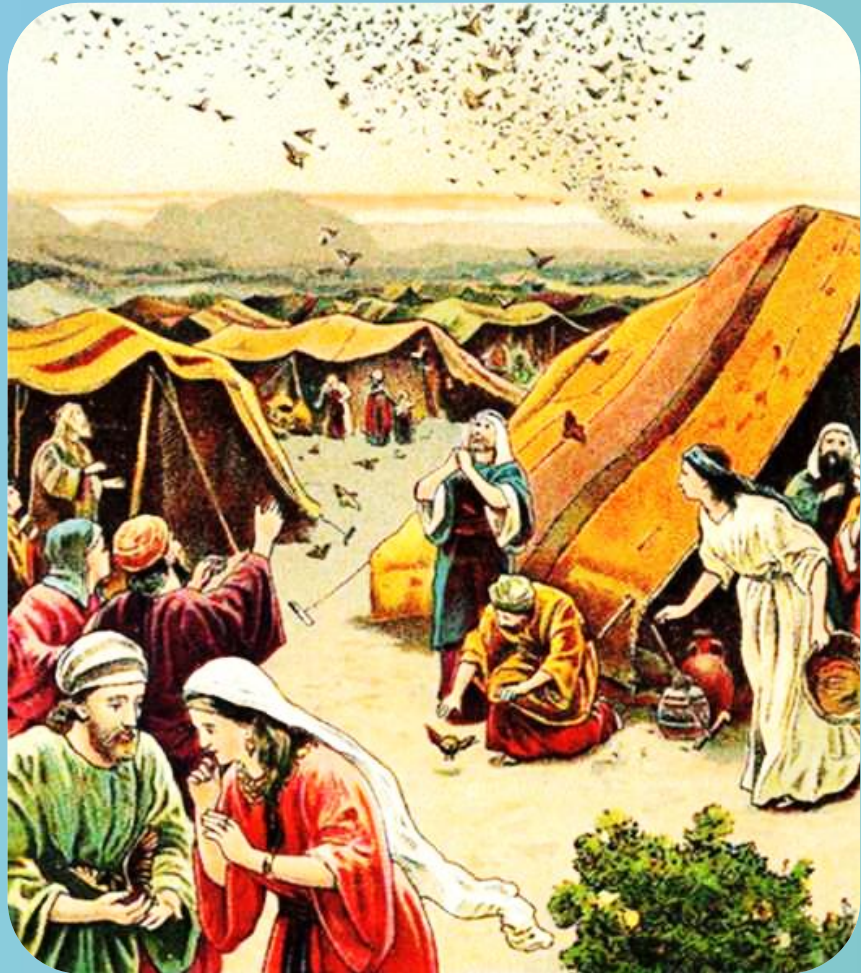
# The Wind...Spirit ,brings deliverance



- Genesis 8:1 ¶And God remembered Noah, and every living thing, and all the cattle that was with him in the ark: and **God made a wind(RUACH)** to pass over the earth, and the waters assuaged;
- Exodus 14:21 ¶And Moses stretched out his hand over the sea; and the LORD caused the sea to go back **by a strong east wind(RUACH)** all that night, and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided.



# The Weapon that feeds



- Numbers 11:31 ¶ **And there went forth a wind(RUACH) from the LORD**, and brought quails from the sea, and let them fall by the camp, as it were a day's journey on this side, and as it were a day's journey on the other side, round about the camp, and as it were two cubits high upon the face of the earth.
- 32 And the people stood up all that day, and all that night, and all the next day, and they gathered the quails: he that gathered least gathered ten homers: and they spread them all abroad for themselves round about the camp.

# The battle for the atmosphere

Ephesians 2:2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the **prince of the power of the air**, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:





# Protecting the Atmosphere

- Exodus 13:21 And the LORD went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light; to go by day and night:
- 22 He took not away the pillar of the cloud by day, nor the pillar of fire by night, from before the people.



# The Weapon of the covering



- 1 Kings 8:9 There was nothing in the ark save the two tables of stone, which Moses put there at Horeb, when the LORD made a covenant with the children of Israel, when they came out of the land of Egypt.
- 10 And it came to pass, when the priests were come out of the holy place, **that the cloud filled the house of the LORD,**
- 11 So that the priests could not stand to minister because of the cloud: **for the glory of the LORD had filled the house of the LORD.**



# Always Armed

BUT IF YOU  
REMAIN IN ME AND

# MY WORDS

REMAIN IN YOU,

YOU MAY ASK FOR ANYTHING YOU WANT,  
AND IT WILL BE **GRANTED!**

John 15:7

- John 15:5 I am the vine, ye are the branches: **He that abideth in me, and I in him,** the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing.
- 6 If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.
- 7 If ye abide in me, and my **words abide in you,** ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

# Binding the Strong Man



BINDING THE  
STRONGMAN

Matthew 18:18 Verily I say unto you, Whatsoever **ye shall bind on earth shall be bound in heaven:** and whatsoever ye shall loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.

Mark 3:27 No man can enter into a strong man's house, and spoil his goods, except **he will first bind the strong man;** and then he will spoil his house.



# Delegated Authority



- Matthew 10:1 ¶ And when he had called unto him his twelve disciples, he gave them power against unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all manner of sickness and all manner of disease.
- 13 And if the house be worthy, let your peace come upon it: but if it be not worthy, let your peace return to you.
- 14 And whosoever shall not receive you, nor hear your words, when ye depart out of that house or city, shake off the dust of your feet

# Weapons of our Warfare: God's promises



*Faith*

Is not believing that God can,  
It's knowing that He will!

- Isaiah 40:31 But they that wait **(EXPECT)** upon the LORD **shall renew their strength**; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.
- Isaiah 41:13 For I the LORD thy God will hold thy right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee.



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## Let's Honor The Lord With Our Giving

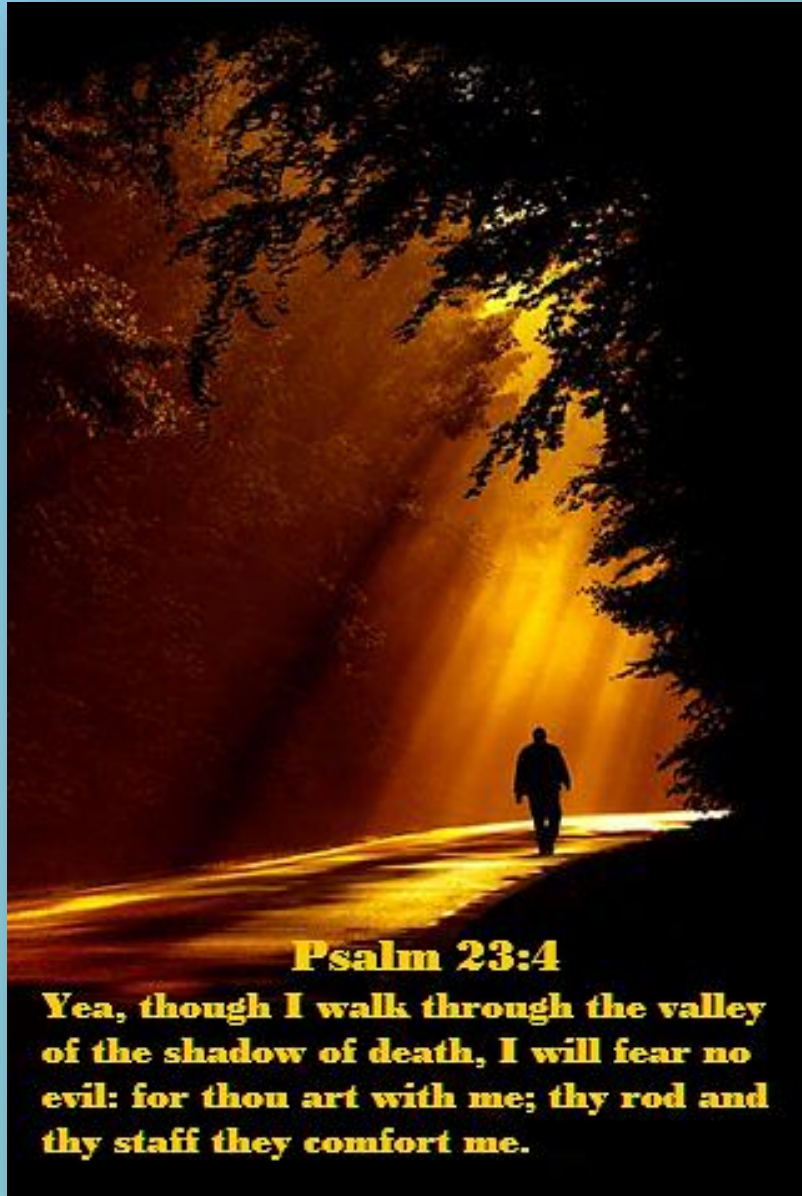
*"Remember this, whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly.  
And whoever sows generously will also reap generously."  
2 Corinthians 9:6*



**Philippians 4:17** Not because I desire a gift: but I desire fruit that may abound to your account. **18** But I have all, and abound: I am full, having received of Epaphroditus the things which were sent from you, an odour of a sweet smell, a sacrifice acceptable, wellpleasing to God. **19** But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.

- Malachi 3:10 Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.
- 11 And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, and he shall not destroy the fruits of your ground; neither shall your vine cast her fruit before the time in the field, saith the LORD of hosts.

# Weapons of our Warfare: God's promises



## **Psalm 23:4**

**Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.**

- Psalms 23:4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
- 5 Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
- 6 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.



# Know your Enemy



Mark 9:25 When Jesus saw that the people came running together, he rebuked the foul spirit, saying unto him, **Thou dumb and deaf spirit**, I charge thee, come out of him, and enter no more into him.

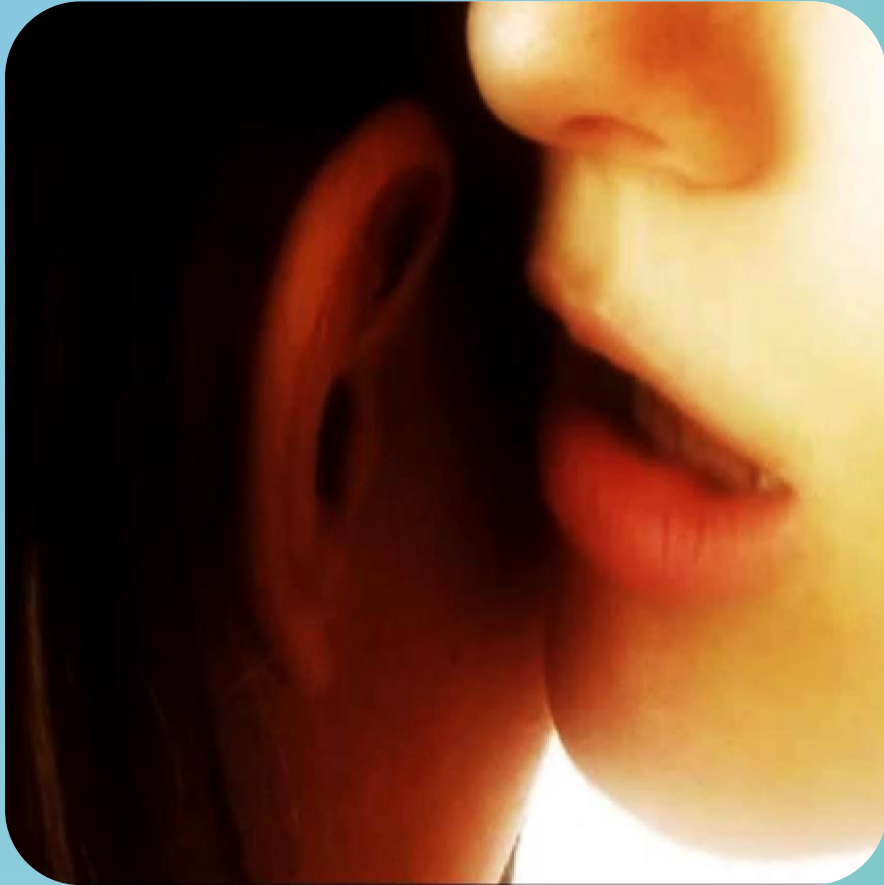
Mark 1:23 ¶ And there was in their synagogue a man with an **unclean spirit**; and he cried out,

24 Saying, Let us alone; what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? art thou come to destroy us? I know thee who thou art, the Holy One of God.

25 And Jesus rebuked him, saying, Hold thy peace, and come out of him.



# Know your Enemy



- **Seducing Spirit**
- 1 Timothy 4:1 ¶ Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to **seducing spirits**, and doctrines of devils;
- **Spirit of Infirmary**
- Luke 13:11 And, behold, there was a woman which had **a spirit of infirmity eighteen** years, and was bowed together, and could in no wise lift up herself.

# Know your Enemy



- Spirit Of Oppression
- Acts 10:38 How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were **oppressed of the devil**; for God was with him.



# Know your Enemy



- 1 John 4:1 ¶ Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.
- 2 Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God:
- 3 **And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God:** and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.

# We overcome

The weapons of our warfare are not carnal but

# MIGHTY

through God

to the pulling down of strong holds

2Corinthians 10:4

- Corinthians 10:4 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)
- 5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;