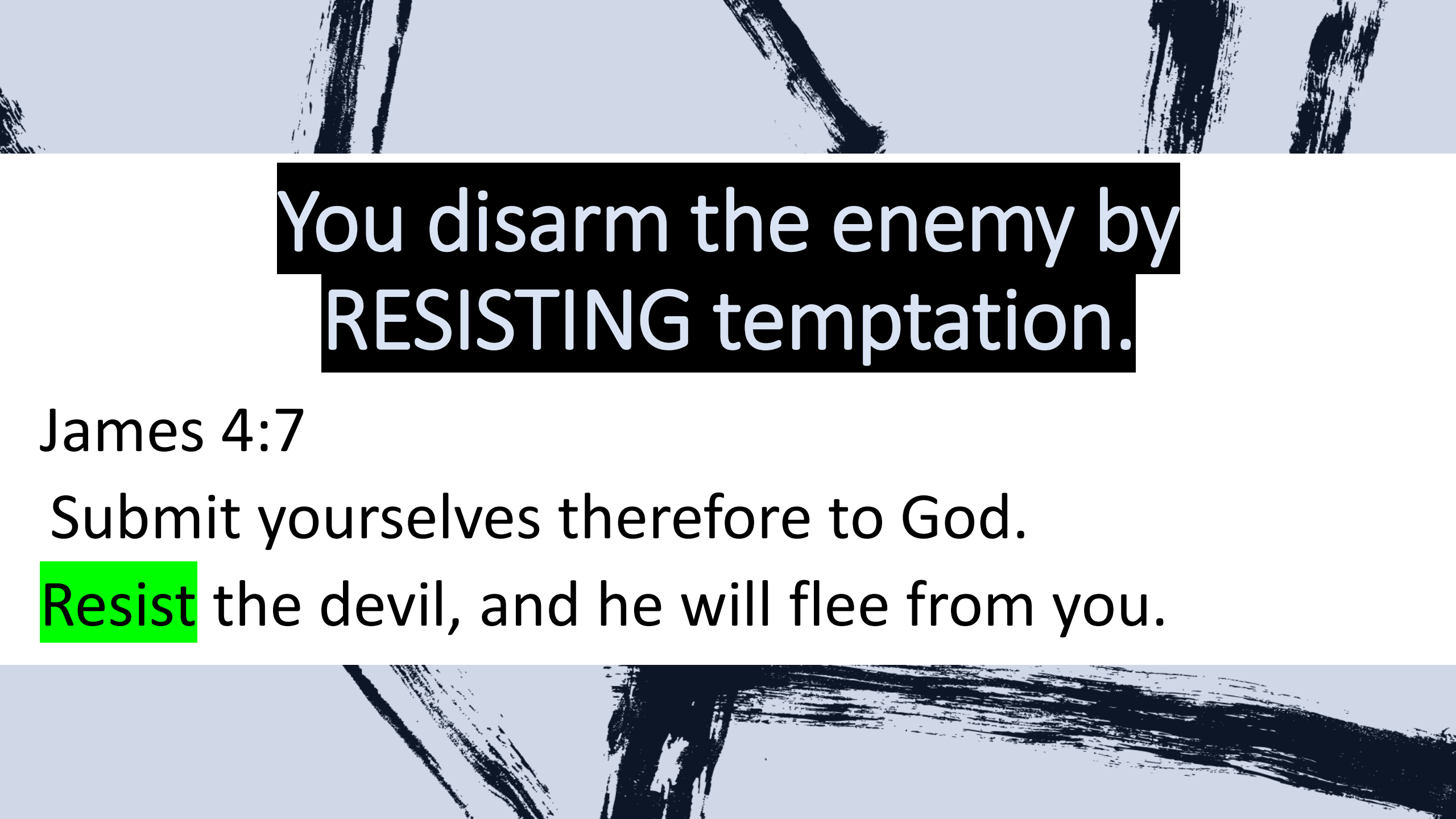




Disarming The Enemy

Colossians 2:13-15

When you were dead in your sins and in the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive with Christ. He forgave us all our sins, ¹⁴ having canceled the charge of our legal indebtedness, which stood against us and condemned us; he has taken it away, nailing it to the cross. ¹⁵ And having **DISARMED** the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.



You disarm the enemy by
RESISTING temptation.

James 4:7

Submit yourselves therefore to God.

Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

You disarm the enemy with the WORD.

Matt. 4:1-11

Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. ² After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. ³ The tempter came to him and said, “If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread.” ⁴ Jesus answered, “**It is written**: ‘Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.’” ⁵ Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple.

You disarm the enemy with the WORD.

⁶ “If you are the Son of God,” he said, “throw yourself down. For **it is written**:
“He will command his angels concerning you,
and they will lift you up in their hands,
so that you will not strike your foot against a stone.”

⁷ Jesus answered him, “**It is also written**: ‘Do not put the Lord your God to the test.’”

⁸ Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. ⁹ “All this I will give you,” he said, “if you will bow down and worship me.”

¹⁰ Jesus said to him, “Away from me, Satan! **For it is written**: ‘Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only.’”

¹¹ Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.

You disarm the enemy with TRUTH.

Ephesians 6:10-14 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. ¹¹ Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. ¹² For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. ¹³ Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. ¹⁴ Stand firm then, **with the belt of truth buckled around your waist**, with the breastplate of righteousness in place,

What does the WORD say about me?

- *I am more than a conqueror in Christ (Romans 8:37)*
- *I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus (2 Corinthians 5:21)*
- *I am the head and not the tail, above only and not beneath (Deuteronomy 28:13)*
- *I am far from oppression and fear does not come near me (Isaiah 54:14)*
- *No weapon formed against me will prosper (2 Timothy 1:7)*
- *I am a child of the Most High (John 1:12)*
- *I am covered by the Blood of Jesus (1 John 1:7)*



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