

**Message: How are the mighty fallen**

**Text: 2 Samuel 1 verses 25- 27**

**Bible Passage: 1 Samuel 31 verses 1- end**

In 2 Samuel 1 verses 25- 27, the Bible says how are the mighty fallen in the mist of the battle! O Jonathan thou wast slain in thine high places and I am distressed for thee my brother Jonathan; very pleasant hast thou been unto me thy love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women, how are the mighty fallen and the weapons of war perished!

In 1 Samuel 31 from verses 1- end, the Bible gave account of how the mighty warrior Saul died and the weapon of war that he used to take to war could not save him. Beloved possessing a weapon without God is like possessing nothing or is like having no coverage over your head.

In 1 Samuel 17 from verses 1- end saw the account of a mighty warrior named Goliath was killed with his weapon unable to save him. I'm praying to God that the weapon of your mighty and terrible enemies shall fail them in the name of Jesus.

If Goliath could fall by the hands of David, beloved even believers without God can equally fall, to fall is to be

- Captured by the enemies
- A target of evil arrows
- A loser in the battle field of life
- Die mysteriously

Believers are the chosen people, mighty in the hands of God to do exploit, equipped with weapons of war which is the undiluted word of God, but do you know that the mighty can fall and their weapons perish in the day of war? Sin can make the word to lose its power; not remaining in faith can cause you to be powerless. A believer who has backslidden will fall and suffer death in the day of trouble. Other things that can make the mighty to fall are:-

- Disobedience
- Pride
- Wrong advise
- Following the people rather than following God
- Unrepentant heart
- Lack of proper fellowship
- Worldliness
- Idolatry
- Insensitivity to the Holy spirit
- Abandoning the word of God

What must you do?

- Repent of your sins
- Obedience to God's commandments
- Leave daily by the word of God

**Prayer**

1. Power to remain standing incubate my life in the name of Jesus
2. Lord Jesus help me not to fall into the hands of the enemies in the name of Jesus
3. I'm mighty in the hands of God, the enemies shall not reduce me to nothing in the name of Jesus
4. Weapons of my warfare shall not fail me in the day of trouble in the name of Jesus

5. Lord Jesus disappoint the lust of flesh within me in the name of Jesus
6. I refused to be wasted by pride in the name of Jesus
7. I refused to disobey God in all my ways in the name of Jesus
8. Lord Jesus removed anything in me that will cause my downfall in the name of Jesus
9. My celebration shall not turn to sudden disaster in the name of Jesus
10. I refused to be beheaded by the enemies in the name of Jesus
11. Lord Jesus let all my adversaries be sacrificed upon their own evil altars in the name of Jesus
12. Power harassing my life be silenced in the name of Jesus
13. Lord Jesus rescue me from the dart and arrows of the enemies in the name of Jesus
14. Holy spirit of God arise and renew my weapon of warfare in the name of Jesus
15. Those waiting to announce my obituary shall all be disappointed in the name of Jesus
16. My Father blot out the generations of my enemies from the land of the living in the name of Jesus
17. Lord help me to see what will cause my downfall in the name of Jesus
18. The enemies shall not end me and my generation in the name of Jesus
19. Lord waste the weapons fashioned to waste me and my generations in the name of Jesus
20. Father Lord I thank you for not making my mighty to fall into the hands of the enemies in the name of Jesus