

JUNE 19

## **“IF YOU GO INTO BATTLE WITH THEM, GOD WILL LET YOUR ENEMIES DEFEAT YOU.”**

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### **READ**

*2 Chronicles 25:6-8, 2 Corinthians 6:14*

You can walk away from an opportunity without consequences, but you cannot walk away from a covenant. Once you make an official contract to purchase something, or partner with somebody, you are obligated to carry that covenant out. If you make a covenant with an unbeliever, you will never have agreement. You will pull against each other all along the way. God does not bless partnerships between two parties when they have separate objectives and loves in life. The man of God came to King Amaziah saying, “You need to know that you have joined up with the wrong people. Now, you can go ahead and do it, but you better fight with all of your might, because even at that, God’s going to let you fall before your enemy.” God is sovereign. No one else can be. If you walk away and ignore Him, it’s just a matter of time before it catches up with you. You cannot link up in covenant with someone who does not have the same drive for God that you do. A believer never has permission to covenant with someone who does not love the Lord. What fellowship can light have with darkness?

### **PRAY**

Lord, if I try in my own strength, I will fail. Forgive me for trying. I want Your approval, Your blessing on all that I do. I will consult You and Your Word regarding my plans and call on Your Spirit for power.

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