

## Valley One: HUMILIATION



### Apollyon the Destroyer

The Battle: Kingdom of God vs.  
Kingdom of Darkness

They had as their king the angel of the abyss; his name in Hebrew is Abaddon, and in Greek he has then name Apollyon. -Rev. 9:11



### Why Did the Encounter Take Place?

- There is strength in being a part of the true Church. Christians will become a target.

If the world hates you, understand that it hated me before it hated you. -John 15:18

- Can you be a **conscientious objector** in the army of God?
- Does the Bible tell Christians to flee from the Devil? [James 4:7]

### The Description of the Enemy

- He is the **ACCUSER**. He will always question your identity.
  - The **Accuser** wants to remind you of your past and the sins you have committed.
  - The **Accuser** wants to point out how you are not following Jesus.

### The Tools Needed for Battle

- Know who you are with whom you stand.
- **The Christian's Response:** Sword of the Spirit and Christ's forgiveness.

What, then, are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? -Romans 3:31

## A Mighty Fortress is Our God

### Valley Two: SHADOW OF DEATH



- We all must go through this valley. Death is the final enemy.
- **Persevere!**
- Dark night of the soul.
- To the **right**: ditch.

Leave them alone! They are blind guides. And if the blind guide the blind, both will fall into a pit. -Matt. 15:14

- To the **left**: miry pit.

Rescue me from the miry mud; don't let me sink. Let me be rescued from those who hate me and from the deep water.

-Psalm 69:14

### Is There **HOPE** in the Valley?

- Yes! Through Prayer and Sword of the Spirit.
- There are others on the journey. The importance of Christian friendship.

## The Solid Rock