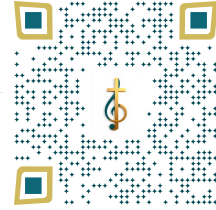


“No Fear” Reddick Study Guide

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*I got enemies at every side
It ain't lookin' good, I ain't gonna lie
Arrows flyin', devil's tryin'
To make me think I'm goin' down this time*

Read Psalm 91:1-6 and Ephesians 6:10-17. Both of these passages refer to arrows, or flaming darts launched by the enemy. What are these flaming arrows? Are they real or imagined?

Have you ever watched movies that depicted enemies riding in on horseback and shot arrows that were on fire onto the thatched roofs of homes? A modern day version is the Molotov Cocktail. These are glass containers filled with flammable liquid, sealed up with a wick, lit on fire and thrown at a target. When it hits the target, the glass breaks and what it hits goes up in flames. These have been used a lot in recent years during protests. Here are a couple of clips that show just how damaging these can be:

Officer hit: 20 seconds

Portland protests: 40 seconds

ICE protests: 30 seconds

Teslas burning: 20 seconds

While these clips show physical attacks by human attackers, spiritual attacks can lead to destruction as well, physically and emotionally, launched by an unseen enemy, often using natural, physical circumstances that we *can* see. These spiritual attacks can feel as though our whole life is going up in flames. What purpose does it serve for the enemy of God to attack you?

*You might think that I'd be afraid
Runnin' scared with a shaken faith
But the God I know says it ain't over
The God I know is gonna make a way*

What does God give us in 2 Timothy 1:7?

Where, then, must fear come from?

How are we able to put that scripture into effect in our lives so that we can be confident in God even in the midst of any circumstance? How do we train for spiritual battle?

After going through a crisis in your life, you may sometimes feel as though you can never be happy again. Have you wondered “where was God?” or “how can He allow things like this to happen?” or even “How am I supposed to trust God after this?” Or maybe you know someone else who has.

Read and discuss how Isaiah 43:19 applies to those crises.

*No fear when I'm walkin' through the fire
'Cause I know who's walkin' me through
No fear when the flood waters rise
If I got my eyes on You*

What does God promise in Isaiah 43:2? And Psalm 66:12?

What is the over-reaching spiritual context of those promises?

Also discuss Daniel 3 (fiery furnace) and Genesis 6-9 (flood) Exodus 14 (Red Sea), and Matthew 14 (Peter walking on water). These were instances where the promises kept were quite literal in the physical sense.

Have you reached a point in your life where you can look back and see how God has blessed you on the other side what felt like a train wreck in your life? If yes, write about that here.

*Yea, though I walk through the valley
I will have
No fear (No fear)
The mighty power of Jesus is fighting for me here*

Read and discuss Psalms 23. If you have not already memorized it, I encourage you to do so! Does this passage give you comfort in times of stress?

*No fear (No fear)
The light of the world makes the darkness disappear*

Read John 8:12 and John 1:5. What does Jesus say about light and darkness?

Read and discuss the following scriptures and select it's corresponding promise from the drop down list.

Matthew 6:28-33	
John 14:1	
Exodus 14:13-14	
Jeremiah 29:11	
Ephesians 3:14-15	
1 John 5:14-15	