

Isaiah
Chapter 10

v. 23-25-- God wants us to know that we need not be afraid of Satan (the Assyrian), for we have the power against him through Jesus Christ, and soon that power will be in its fullness in the Body of Christ and we will see God's anger in Satan's destruction through Christ's people.

v. 26-27-- God will save His people from Satan's influence in this world, and we will be rescued as the slaughter of Midian. Before the slaughter, Gideon asked the Lord how he could save Israel after the Lord said, "Go in this thy might, and thou shalt save Israel.. "have not I sent thee?" (Judges 6:14-15) then, in v. 16, He said "Surely I will be with thee and thou shalt smite the Midianites as one man". He went on to win victory over a far outnumbering army of Midianites with 300 men by making a lot of noise and confusion, and the enemy turned on themselves. We will overcome Satan that way--"as one man"--that one man being the Body of Christ. He freed His people from Egypt by the parting of the Red Sea, also without the need for fighting on the part of His people. So He will use His strength to win victory over Satan through us. It is not by our strength that we stand up to him, but by His. "And...his burden shall be taken away from off thy shoulder and his yoke from off thy neck, and the yoke shall be destroyed because of the anointing". This is true in our lives, and eventually in the world as a whole. By the anointing of the Holy Spirit and the gifts of the Spirit, his yoke will be lifted from God's people. And in the end, it will not only be lifted, but the yoke will be destroyed forever!!

v. 28-- Jesus has come to the earth, and has passed into hell, conquered Satan, and ascended into heaven,--but--He has "laid up His carriages" on earth--We are His carriages--We will carry His message and His power, and occupy the land until His return!

v. 29-- We are "gone over the passage" into His life--the same life He lived, and taken up our lodging in heaven. We are in heaven right now, in the spirit--We are not of this world, anymore than Jesus is, and because of that, Satan is afraid and must flee from us!!! Praise God!!!

v. 30-31-- "Lift up thy voice"--We cannot remain silent about such power, love and joy! When we use that power, Satan must flee!!

V. 32.-- As yet, Satan is in this world, and has illusion power over anyone who will let him have it. But notice, all he says he's doing is shaking his hand against the daughter of Zion (God's people). That's all he can do, in hopes that he can shake us up into replacing our faith with fear. The power is always in us, and as long as we know that and use it, he can do nothing but bluff!