

v. 16-- Shall dwell with Him, and be fed by His Word, and our defense is by the "rocks of revelations" given us (When Peter got his first revelation, Jesus said "You are Peter (Stone) and upon this rock I will build my church"--the rock being the Rock of Jesus' revelations to each of us, and together, each stone upon another, we make up the foundation of Christ's Church. The Waters are living waters of the Holy Spirit. (See Matthew 16:18)

v. 17-- We see God in this life, when we seek Him--we need not wait for heaven--

v. 18-- Our hearts, minds, will feel fear, because we are weak, but we must think spiritually, and say--show me what I really need to fear--show me Satan's towers. They are non-existent because he has been defeated!!!

v. 19-- God's people are not strong of ourselves, or fierce, and not more intelligent. He uses ordinary people.

v. 20-- God will never break His ties with His people!!

v. 21-- The Holy Spirit gives us peace--like a calm river--with no waves from ships.

v. 22-- He will save us--and He has saved us!

v. 23-- Our enemies cannot overpower God's people! Though we appear lame to them by the world's standards--we are powerful through Christ!!!

v. 24-- Our sins are forgiven and we will prosper in every way!!!
Praise the Lord!!

Chapter 34

v. 1-- All inhabitants of the earth--listen!!

v. 2-4-- The word translated "armies" has to do with the masses of people who worshipped the created things, like the sun and the moon, instead of the Creator. The word translated "host" in v. 4 comes from the same word. Heavens in these verses means, not the home of God, but the heavens above the earth, where the "spirits in heavenly places" (Eph. 3:10) dwell, and battle. The word for "indignation" means to splinter, or break apart, the base word for "utterly destroyed" means setting something aside strictly for God's use, and if necessary, utter destruction of it to prevent it from being desecrated after it was made holy. The word for "slain" is to be pierced. The other meaning for the word for "carcass" is ruins of idols, blood is synonymous with life.