

Sermon Notes

January 21-24

Standing Against the Wiles of the Devil

Ephesians 2:1-7; 6:10-17

We continue our series of sermons from Ephesians 6 - "The Battle Belongs to the Lord". We are talking about spiritual conflict. The enemy hits us in many ways and from many directions. The Bible refers to them as *wiles*. The Greek word is *methodia*. Our enemy has many methods, but we have what we need to stand in victory.

Drawing from many illustrations in God's Word we get an indication of how he works.

- I. Deception
- II. Accusation
- III. Intimidation
- IV. Opposition
- V. Distortion

But God has given us armor and a sword. We are to stand firmly in our faith and resist the devil. The battle belongs to the Lord!

Your Servant in Christ,
Bro. Monte