

# Warrior Builders



**THOSE WHO BUILT ON  
THE WALL, AND THOSE  
WHO CARRIED BURDENS,  
LOADED THEMSELVES SO  
THAT WITH ONE HAND  
THEY WORKED AT  
CONSTRUCTION, AND  
WITH THE OTHER HELD A  
WEAPON.**

**NEHEMIAH 4:17**



# 1. Build

**Walls of  
Salvation**

**Hedge of  
Protection**

**Gates of  
Praise**

**Inflow and  
Outflow of  
Life**

Isaiah 60:18

**YOU SHALL  
CALL YOUR WALLS**

*Salvation*

**AND YOUR GATES**

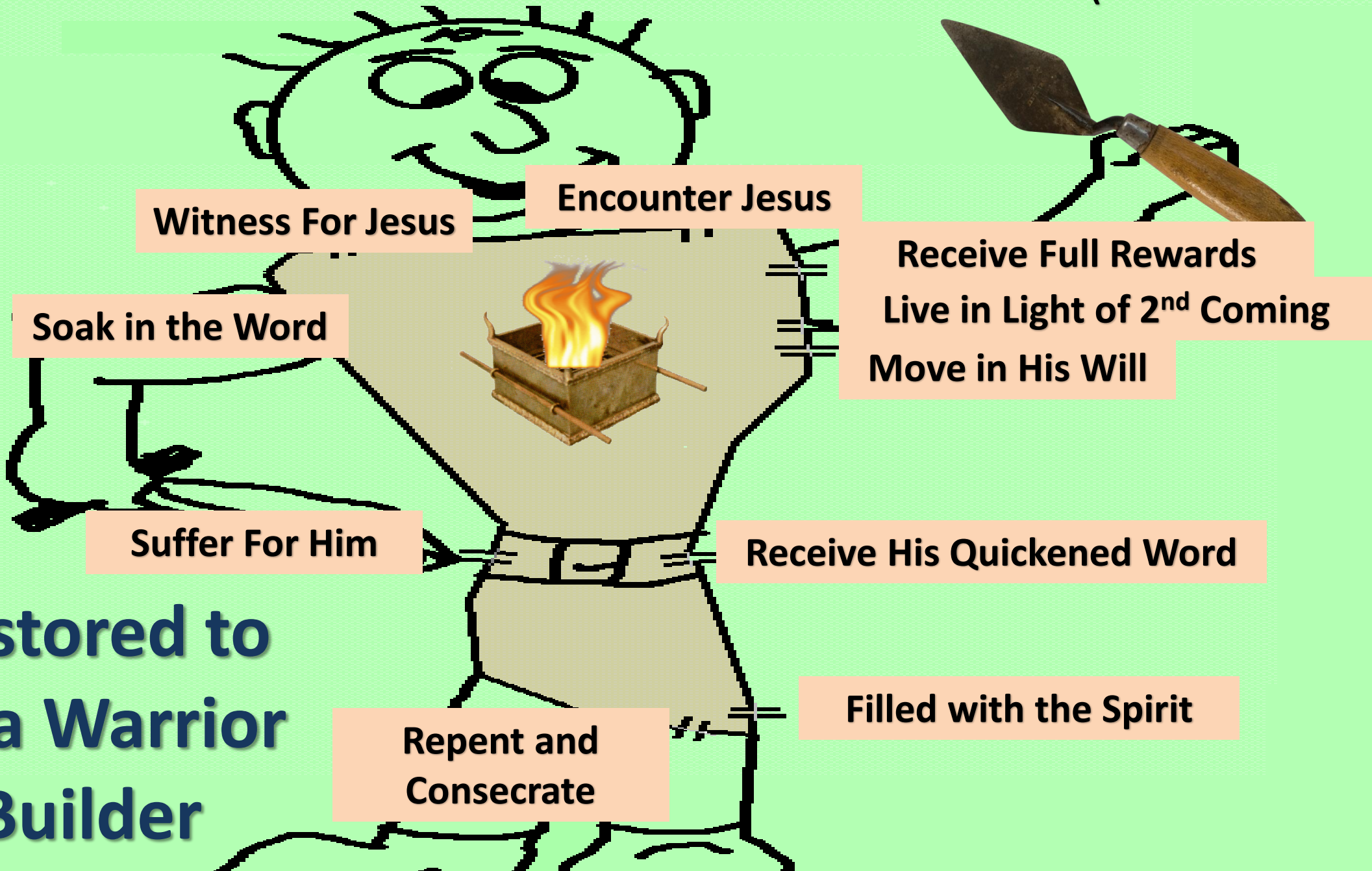
*Praise*

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# 2. Battle

## Nehemiah: Opposition

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- The opposition grew as the work of the walls progressed.
- “But when Sanballat and Tobiah and the Arabs and the Ammonites and the Ashdodites heard that the repairing of the walls of Jerusalem was going forward and that the breaches were beginning to be closed, they were very angry. And they all plotted together to come and fight against Jerusalem and to cause confusion in it.
- And we prayed to our God and set a guard as a protection against them day and night.” (Nehemiah 4:7–9, ESV)



# 2. Battle

*The Opposition in the Form of Mockery  
(Nehemiah 4:1 – 6).*

*The Opposition in the Form of Violence  
(Nehemiah 4:7 – 9).*

*The Opposition through Intimidation  
(Nehemiah 4:10 – 23).*

*The Opposition through Financial Pressures  
(Nehemiah 5:1 – 13).*



Remember the Lord,  
who is **great and awesome,**  
and **fight** <sup>for</sup> **families,**  
<sup>your</sup> **sons** <sup>and</sup> <sup>your</sup> **daughters,**  
<sup>your</sup> **wives** <sup>and</sup> <sup>your</sup> **homes.**

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# 3. Become

## **Our Responsibility: WATCHMEN**

**I have set watchmen upon thy walls, O Jerusalem, which shall never hold their peace day nor night: ye that make mention of the LORD, keep not silence, And give him no rest, till he establish, and till he make Jerusalem a praise in the earth.  
Isaiah 62:6-7**



BUT YOU ARE A CHOSEN PEOPLE, A ROYAL PRIESTHOOD,  
A HOLY NATION, A PEOPLE BELONGING TO GOD, THAT YOU  
MAY DECLARE THE PRAISES OF HIM WHO CALLED YOU  
OUT OF DARKNESS INTO HIS WONDERFUL LIGHT. ONCE  
YOU WERE NOT A PEOPLE, BUT NOW YOU ARE THE PEOPLE  
OF GOD; ONCE YOU HAD NOT RECEIVED MERCY, BUT NOW  
YOU HAVE RECEIVED MERCY.



1 PETER 2:9-10