

# YOUR ADVERSARY

## I. There is a devil loose on Earth

A. 1 Peter 5:8, 9; Eph. 6:12

B. Four falls & the downward course of satan

1. Highest Heaven to Earth's Atmospheric heavens; to being restricted to Earth; from Earth to the Bottomless pit; from Earth the to lake of fire & brimstone
2. He has used and will use humans/human government to try to rule the world

## II. Our Power & Authority in Christ is greater

A. Luke 10:19; Eph. 1:20, 21

B. We resist him, he flees; cast him out, he goes; bind him, he's bound; use the shield of faith, quench all his fiery darts; while the Church is here, restrain him

## III. Never ever

A. Never fear the power of the devil or demons Matt. 8:28-34

B. Never flee if attacked by the devil/demons – recognize & resist them James 4:7

C. Never give excessive attention to what the devil/demons are doing Luke 10:19

D. Never fail to obey the Holy Spirit and set the captives free Luke 4:18; Mark 16:17