

# The Big Battle

## Revelation 12

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Revelation

### Reflect

Outline: Recap

### Realize

Points to Ponder

### Respond

Questions to draw out understanding.

## REFLECT

Whether we know it or not, we are all part of a much bigger story. Yes, we are individuals. But we are also parts of families, communities, regions, states and nations. Not only that but we are also parts of generations and time periods. Although our personal realities are our own, we are part of a much bigger narrative that is transpiring. This weekend's message will unpack the big battle that has been raging since time began!

## REALIZE

### 1. The spiritual battle is real

- **Scripture Reference;** Ephesians 6:10-13
- **Leader Notes**
  - Great spiritual battle has to do with who Jesus is, and it comes from outside and inside the church.
  - If you're fighting people you're fighting the wrong battle.
  - If you're not prepared for the battle you're going to get beat up in the battle.
- **Questions for Reflection**
  - What do I understand about spiritual warfare?
  - What does it look like for you to put on the armor of God?

### 2. Satan is defeated

- **Scripture Reference;** Revelation 20:10
- **Leader Notes**
  - Satan works through deception, so we need to know the truth.
- **Questions for Reflection**
  - How does the defeat of Satan change everything?

### 3. Conflict is inevitable

- **Scripture Reference;** 2 Corinthians 10:4-5
- **Leader Notes**
  - How we respond to conflict reveals something about us.
  - When we walk in accusation we aren't walking in the heart of Jesus.
- **Questions for reflection**
  - How can I engage in conflict in a more Christlike way?

### Optional Follow-up Questions:

- What makes you say that?
- How do you feel about that?
- How would you explain your answer to a non-Christian friend or neighbor?
- Why did God design it to work that way? Why not just do (whatever else) instead?
- What would you say to someone who disagrees with that?
- Why do we really have to do it like that? Why can't we just go (some other route) instead?