



STORY OF YOUR LIFE

"The story of your life is the story of a long and brutal assault on your heart by the one who knows what you could be and fears it." John Eldridge

SLEDGING – *Mental disintegration*

The tactic of talking to players on the opposition side with the objective of **destroying either their concentration or their confidence.**

WAR AGAINST YOUR DESTINY

1 Peter 5:8–10 (NIV) ⁸ ***Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.*** ⁹ ***Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings.***

WAR AGAINST YOUR DESTINY

¹⁰ ***And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast.***

SPIRIT WAR – PRAY!

Luke 22:40–45 (The Message) ⁴⁰ When they arrived at the place, he said, **“Pray that you don’t give in to temptation.”** ⁴¹ He pulled away from them about a stone’s throw, knelt down, and prayed, ⁴² **“Father, remove this cup from me. But please, not what I want. What do you want?”**

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⁴³ At once an **angel from heaven was at his side**, strengthening him. ⁴⁴ He prayed on all the harder. **Sweat, wrung from him like drops of blood, poured off his face.** ⁴⁵ He got up from prayer, went back to the disciples and found them asleep, **drugged by grief.** ⁴⁶ He said, **“What business do you have sleeping? Get up. Pray so you won’t give in to temptation.”**

BETRAYAL

Luke 22:47–51 (The Message) ⁴⁷ No sooner were the words out of his mouth than a crowd showed up, Judas, the one from the Twelve, in the lead. **He came right up to Jesus to kiss him.** ⁴⁸ Jesus said, **“Judas, you would betray the Son of Man with a kiss?”**

MOCKED AND BEATEN

Luke 22:63–64 (NLT) ⁶³ The guards in charge of Jesus **began mocking and beating him.** ⁶⁴ They blindfolded him and said, **“Prophecy to us! Who hit you that time?”** ⁶⁵ And they hurled **all sorts of terrible insults at him.**

CRUCIFIED WITH CRIMINALS

Luke 23:32–47 (NKJV) ³² There were also two others, criminals, led with Him to be put to death. ³³ And when they had come to the place called Calvary, **there they crucified Him**, and the criminals, one on the right hand and the other on the left. ³⁴ **Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.”**

MOCKED AND RIDICULED

³⁵ And the people stood looking on. But even **the rulers with them sneered**, saying, **“He saved others; let Him save Himself if He is the Christ, the chosen of God.”** ³⁶ The soldiers also **mocked Him**, coming and offering Him sour wine, ³⁷ and saying, **“If You are the King of the Jews, save Yourself.”**

HE CAME TO SAVE OTHERS

³⁹ Then one of the criminals who were hanged blasphemed Him, saying, "If You are the Christ, **save Yourself and us.**" ⁴⁰ But the other, answering, rebuked him, saying, "Do you not even fear God, seeing you are under the same condemnation?"

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⁴¹ And **we indeed justly, for we receive the due reward of our deeds; but this Man has done nothing wrong.**" ⁴² Then he said to Jesus, "**Lord, remember me when You come into Your kingdom.**" ⁴³ And Jesus said to him, "**Assuredly, I say to you, today you will be with Me in Paradise.**"

