

You Are Enlisted

2 Timothy 2:1-4

1. I am a SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF GOD

2 Timothy 2:3

2 Corinthians 4:3-11

You therefore **MUST ENDURE HARDSHIP** AS A GOOD SOLDIER OF JESUS CHRIST.

"I am a soldier. I am not a baby. I do not need to be pampered, petted, primed up, pumped up, picked up, or pepped up. I am a soldier. No one has to call me, remind me, write me, visit me, entice me or lure me. I am a soldier. I am not a wimp. I am in place, saluting my King, obeying His orders, praising His name and building His kingdom. No one has to send me flowers, gifts, food, cards or candy, or give me handouts. I do not need to be cuddled, cradled, cared for or catered to. I am committed. I cannot have my feelings hurt bad enough to turn me around. I cannot be discouraged enough to turn me aside. I cannot lose enough to cause me to quit.

When Jesus called me into this army, I had nothing. If I end up with nothing, I will still come out ahead. I will win. My God has and will continue to supply all my need. I am more than a conqueror. I will always triumph. I can do all things through Christ. The devil cannot defeat me. People cannot disillusion me. Weather cannot weary me. Sickness cannot stop me. Battles cannot beat me. Money cannot buy me. Governments cannot silence me, and hell cannot handle me. I am a soldier. Even death cannot destroy me. For when my commander calls me from His battlefield, He will promote me to captain and then allow me to rule with Him. I am a soldier in the army, and I'm marching claiming victory. I will not give up. I will not turn around. I am a soldier, marching heaven-bound. Here I stand!"

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2. I am WILLING TO ENDURE HARDSHIP FOR CHRIST'S SAKE

2 Timothy 2:3

Acts 23:12-13

Acts 25:1-3

Philippians 3:7-9

3. I am Willing TO WATCH OUT FOR ENTANGLEMENTS

2 Timothy 2:4

4. I am WILLING TO LEARN AND TO OBEY

2 Timothy 3:16-4:1-5

2 Timothy 3:14

