## **Prophecy – The Family Prayer Center**

## The Spiritual Tug-of-War

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Think it not strange the fiery trial which is come to try many of you as though some strange thing was happening. But know this, that the trying of your faith worketh that which is more precious than gold, though it be tried with fire, says the Spirit of Grace. For I saw a tug-of-war in the spirit realm, the enemy pulling on one side and your faith standing and pulling on the other against all arguments, whether or not it would come to pass. The one pull in the [spiritual tug-of-war], at times it seems like there's a couple of days of victory, and then the pull back. It seems like things return to the way they were in an argument against the truth. But I say unto you, says the Spirit of Grace, that each time you pull and stand in the spirit, you're gaining far more ground than what you see in the natural. Do not wait for the report of the natural, but stand in the witness – the witness of the inward witness and the witness by My Word that all things are possible and all things are being worked out for the good of them who love God and are called according to His purpose.

For the lie of the enemy against you is that it feels like there's a reprieve, and you go right back to neutral ground. But I say unto you, continue to stand. Stand therefore, having your loins gird about with truth and having on the breastplate of righteousness and your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace. And take unto you the sword of the Spirit, the shield of faith, praying always. Continue to stand praying always, with all prayer and supplication in the spirit.

You're gaining ground. Your tug gains more ground than what the reprieve reports. You're gaining ground. And I say that the hour is now, it's on you. But if you don't quit, you're going to find great and mighty breakthroughs on the right hand and on the left, and every place you turn, you'll see. You'll see that you'll not be ashamed of the stand that you're making in the spirit. I'll prove that it was a good stand and a right stand, and that which you do in the spirit will pay great dividends, says the Spirit of Grace.