

**WHAT IF?!**  
***Lesson 5***

Jehoshaphat - II Chronicles 17:3-5

II Chronicles 20:1-4

Who are the “ites” in your life?

“Jehoshaphat was afraid ...”

1 - Turned his attention to seek the Lord - verse 3

2 - Jehoshaphat proclaimed a fast - verse 3

II Corinthians 10:4

3 - “So Judah gathered together to seek help from the Lord ...” - verse 4

II Chronicles 20:5

4 - Jehoshaphat stayed in the house of the Lord - verse 5

stayed = “amad” - to stand, remain, endure, take one’s stand; then arise up!

II Chronicles 20:6 - 12

5 - Pray!

Declare God's power over your battle - verse 6

Declare what your opinion of God is! - verse 6

Remind God and yourself of other things that God has done for you - verse 7

Declare that nothing is too difficult for god - verses 8 & 9

Identify and blame your enemies - verses 10 - 12

Fix your eyes on God! - verse 12

II Chronicles 20:13 - 15 - The power of praise! --- Who was Asaph?

The battle is not yours but the Lords!

### **DAILY FOCUS:**

**DAY 1** - Read II Chronicles 17:1-5. List three things that you learn about Jehoshaphat from these verses. Read Psalm 3.

**DAY 2** - Read II Chronicles 20:1-4. What are your "ites"? What does it mean to "turn your attention to seek the Lord" in practical ways? Read Psalm 4.

**DAY 3** - Read II Chronicles 20:1-13. Have you ever fasted? Why or why not? If you did fast, did you see God change a situation? How were you changed because of fasting? Make a list of some other Bible characters who also fasted.

**DAY 4** - Read II Chronicles 20:1-15. Write out the principles of a battle prayer that you learned from this teaching. What does it mean, "Our eyes are on You" (verse 12) in a practical sense?

**DAY 5** - Read Psalm 5. Now, write out your own battle prayer based on the principles in Day 4.

**DAY 6** - Read Psalm 6. Have you ever felt like the Psalmist in this chapter? Underline and memorize verse 9.

**DAY 7** - In preparation for next week's Bible Study, read II Chronicles 20:16-30. List 3 important principles from this passage.