<sup>8</sup>The Amalekites came and attacked the Israelites at Rephidim. <sup>9</sup> Moses said to Joshua, "Choose some of our men and go out to fight the Amalekites. Tomorrow I will stand on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hands." <sup>10</sup> So Joshua fought the Amalekites as Moses had ordered, and Moses, Aaron and Hur went to the top of the hill.

<sup>11</sup>As long as Moses held up his hands, the Israelites were winning, but whenever he lowered his hands, the Amalekites were winning. 12 When Moses' hands grew tired, they took a stone and put it under him and he sat on it. Aaron and Hur held his hands up one on one side, one on the other—so that his hands remained steady till sunset.

<sup>13</sup>So Joshua overcame the Amalekite army with the sword. 14 Then the Lord said to Moses, "Write this on a scroll as something to be remembered and make sure that Joshua hears it, because I will completely blot out the name of Amalek from under heaven."

<sup>15</sup>Moses built an altar and called it The Lord is my Banner. <sup>16</sup>He said, "Because hands were lifted up against the throne of the Lord, the Lord will be at war against the Amalekites from generation to generation."

#### God Invites Us to Participate In the Victory I hat He Gives to Us

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Exodus 17:15 (NIV)

#### Jehovah Nissi

The Lord is my Banner (The Lord Gives Me Victory)

### We Are the Champions

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Departure

---- Destination

Land of Slavery \_ \_ \_ - "Promised Land"

(Egypt)

(Canaan)

Accept Jesus ---- Go to Heaven

Justified

---- Glorified

#### Justified ---- Sanctified ---- Glorified

But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit.

2 Corinthians 3:18 (NIV)

Moses said to Joshua, "Choose some of our men and go out to fight the Amalekites. Tomorrow I will stand on top of the hill with the staff of God in my hands."

Exodus 17:9 (NIV)

**Battle Down Low** - "Choose some of our men and go out to fight."

Battle Up High - "I will stand on top of the hill with the "staff of God" in my hands."

### Our actions are important, but our altars are paramount.

The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.

2 Corinthians 10:4 (NIV)

A surrendered will releases the power of Jehovah Nissi to bring about true victory in our lives.

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