

### FOR SPIRITUAL WARRIORS ONLY



# OT Types of NT Spiritual Warriors

"Fighting the Good Fight of Faith"

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# "Building God's People on a Firm Foundation"



Elder (Apostle) Harry Lee Jackson was born in Rochester, NY, on July 2, 1962, and served in the United States Army from 1981-1989. After leaving the Army, he resided in Germany for 11 years, and accepted Jesus Christ in November 1991 in the Germany Jurisdiction of the Churches of God in Christ, where he served until 1999, first as an Usher, and then in Audio Ministry, Sound Reinforcement, Evangelism, his local, district and Jurisdictional Music Departments, as a choir member, psalmist, worship leader, and musician, provided computer support, and helped to establish a ministry in a refugee camp in Germany. On March 5, 1995, he answered the call of God to preach the Gospel, and received his Ministerial License in October 1999, upon his return to the United States. He was ordained as an Elder in February 2005, and as a Pastor in June of 2007. Apostle Jackson holds Associate degrees in Christian Ministry, Business Administration, Computer Programming, and Web Design, and will pursue his Bachelor's in 2013. Bro. Jackson served as Professor of Homiletics at United Christian Ministry Institute Rochester, New York Campus, from 2010–2012, and was awarded an Honorary Doctorate in Christian Ministry in 2010 for his work there. He, along with his wife, Pastor Cheryl L. Jackson founded Christ Foundation Ministries, Inc. in 2007, and after serving three years under the oversight of Apostle Bernetha Mouzon of Global Dominion International Network with whom he cofounded ECAPS (East Cost Apostolic and Prophetic Summit), was commissioned and ordained as an Apostle on September 16, 2012.

#### Premise For This Lesson...

This is a study that I've done contrasting Old Testament warriors with their New Testament counterparts. In order to understand the context of this lesson, we must understand that God presents us with a multitude of types, shadows, and "object lessons" in the Old Testament that direct us to the reality of our life in Christ. Studying these OT warriors helps us to understand our role as spiritual fighters in the Kingdom of God as well as corporate warriors in the church of Christ.



## 1. Watchmen

#### What they do:

Stand watch over the people; exhort, encourage, warn, instruct. Care for needs of the people; feed; stand guard over leaders. Protect, defend, intercede.

#### Scripture References:

2Kings 11:4-8; 2Chr. 23:4-5; Neh. 7:3; 2Sam. 18:24-28; 2Kings 9:18,20; Is. 21:6, 21:11-12; Is. 62:6; Jer. 6:17; Eze. 3:17,33:6, 44:11; Mt. 28:20; 1Tim. 4:11; 2Tim. 2:25

#### New Testament Equivalents:

Apostles, Pastors, Evangelists, Teachers, Intercessors, Armorbearers



# 2. Gatekeepers

#### What they do:

Guard the entry and exit points of the Kingdom; watch the outer perimeter of the city, the Kingdom, region, church, etc. Alert the watchmen of imminent threats, dangers approaching and/or entering in.

#### Scripture References:

Ex. 32:26; Neh. 7:3; Deut. 16:18; 2Chron. 8:14

#### New Testament Equivalents:

Intercessors, Prophets, Evangelists, Armorbearers, Helps Ministries



## 3. Breakers:

#### What they do:

Tear down strongholds; Break through walls and barriers so that God's people may pass through. Set atmospheres (i.e. Worship, preparation for the preached Word); break up and soften "hard" areas of the Body. Open the hearts of the people; Call down the glory of God; invoke the spirits of worship, healing, etc.

#### Scripture References:

Micah 2:13; Is. 54:3; Is. 61:1

#### New Testament Equivalents.

Prophets, Teachers, Evangelists, Prophetic Worshippers (Worship Leaders, Psalmists, Minstrels and Musicians, Dancers), Intercessors, Armorbearers, Helps Ministries



## 4. Repairers of The Breach

#### What they do:

Repair "holes" (divisions) in the walls of the Kingdom; Establish defensive perimeters; Act as peacemakers; Repair broken relationships; Restorers; Rebuild that which has been broken down; Minister spiritual healing to individuals, relationships, ministries, regions.

#### Scripture References:

2 Kings 12:12; Neh. 6:1; Is. 58;12; Matt. 5:9; James 3:18; 1Pet. 3:11

#### New Testament Equivalents:

Apostles, Pastors, Evangelists, Intercessors, Helps Ministries

