

# Names of God

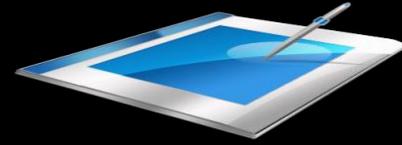
## Part 16

***Yahweh Sabbaoth***





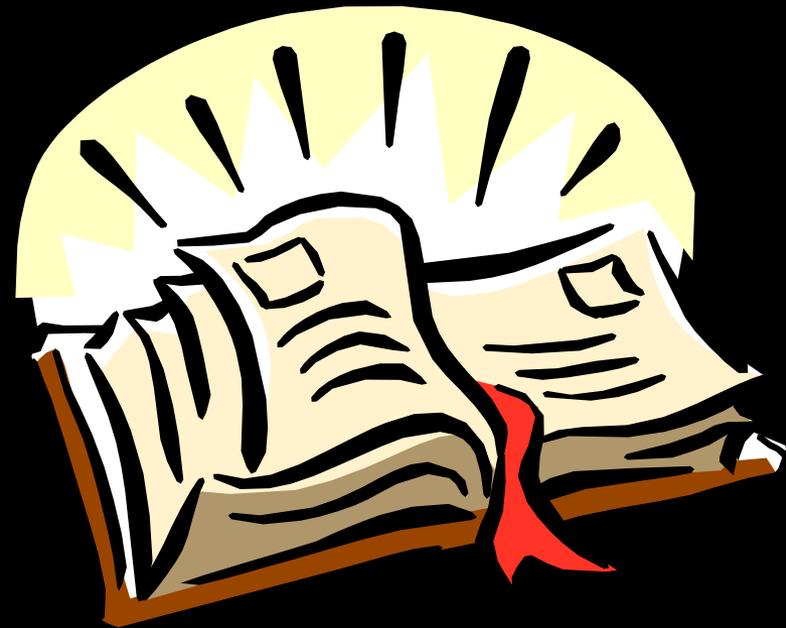
# Acts -- Prayer Guide



- **Adore** – State a quality of God you admire.
- **Confess** – Tell God what you think, feel, fear, want to make right.
- **Thank** – Thank God for some good things in your life.
- **Supplicate** – Ask God for what you need. Ask Him for blessings for others.
- **Listen** – Write what you sense God is saying to you. (Hint: Read a chapter in Psalms, Proverbs, or the Gospels and write down something that speaks to you)

# *Scripture Text*

1 Samuel 17:40-47



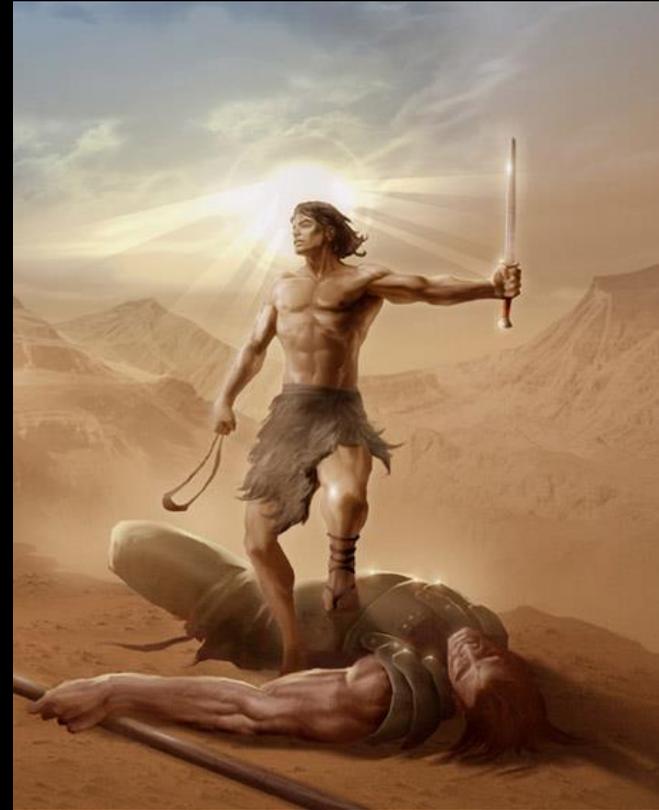
# Background

- Philistines – south costal plain
  - Sea people – fish god Dagon
  - Warlike – aggressive
  - Champ vs champ (1-11)
    - Spoils – service/tribute
- David offended at slander of God
  - Offers to fight
  - Young man – not a child
  - Not used to armor (38-39)



# The Battle

- Goliath's trash talk
  - Curses by his gods
  - Physical threat
- David's response (45-47)
  - Spiritual battle
  - I represent Yahweh Sabbaoth
    - The Lord of Hosts
    - The unseen army behind Israel
    - The battle (48-53)



# Yahweh Sabbaoth

- Used 242 times on OT
  - Militant name of God
  - Leader of Heaven's armies
    - Innumerable angels
- Weapons of Yahweh Sabbaoth



Plagues (Ex 5-12)

Jericho walls (Jsh 6)

Thunder (1 Sam 7)

Sound of Army (2 Ki 7)

Parting the Sea (Ex 15)

Altering time (Jsh 10)

Earthquake (1 Sam 14)

Infighting (2 Chr 20)

- Hebrew letters = picture symbols
  - Yod – hand
  - Hey – window -- behold
  - Vav or waw– nail
  - Hey – window -- behold
- Behold the hand -- behold the nail
- Pilate's placard in Hebrew
  - Yashua, hanazirine vemelek, hayayudim
- Three words combined in Yahweh
  - Yod he yod he (yay yay) = I will be
  - He vav he (ho vey) = I am
  - He yod he (haya) = I was



# The Final Battle

- Goliath's head (v 54)
  - Golgotha --
  - Place of salvation victory
- Rider on white horse (Rev 19)
  - After tribulation
  - Conquering King
  - Armies of Heaven
    - Includes us (v14 cf 7-8)
- Secure future
  - He is with us (Ps 46:1-11)



# Ps 46:1-11

Leader:

God is our refuge and strength,  
A very present help in trouble.

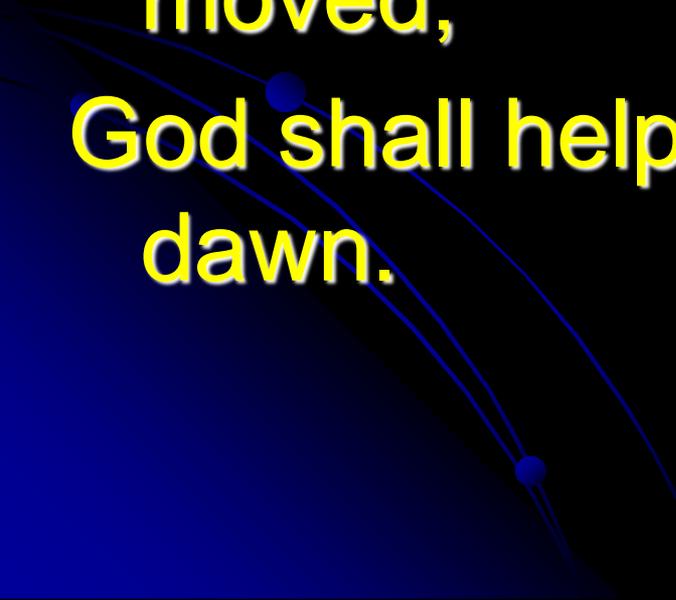
Congregation:

Therefore we will not fear,  
Even though the earth be removed,  
And though the mountains be carried into the  
midst of the sea;  
Though its waters roar and be troubled,  
Though the mountains shake with its swelling.

There is a river whose streams shall make  
glad the city of God, The holy place of  
the tabernacle of the Most High.

God is in the midst of her, she shall not be  
moved;

God shall help her, just at the break of  
dawn.



The nations raged, the kingdoms were  
moved;

He uttered His voice, the earth melted.

**The Lord of hosts is with us;**

**The God of Jacob is our refuge.**



Come, behold the works of the Lord,  
Who has made desolations in the earth.

He makes wars cease to the end of the  
earth;

He breaks the bow and cuts the spear in  
two;

He burns the chariot in the fire.

Be still, and know that I am God;  
I will be exalted among the nations,  
I will be exalted in the earth!

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