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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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THE NATURE OF SPIRITUAL WARFARE

Judges 20:19-28

I. Doctrine: *Spiritual Warfare* is “_____” — Things Do Not Always Go According to [our] Plan

A. –Even When the Church *Is* _____ —Immediate Positive Results are *Not* Guaranteed, (Judg. 20:19-21)

B. –This Calls For *Patience* and _____ on the Part of Confident Saints, (Rev. 13:10b)

II. _____ Christ is the Church's *One Constant* in *Spiritual Warfare*, vv. 19-28

A. –After an _____ Setback, Let us Humbly *Pray* To God, vv. 19-23

B. –After *Yet* _____ Disappointment, Let us Faithfully *Worship* God, vv. 24-26

C. –After _____ Awhile, our Lord *Assures* us of His (and our) Victory, vv. 27-28

III. How the Church is to _____ *Spiritual Warfare* Principles to *All* of Life

A. –We _____ *Through* the Struggle—even when it goes against us, (2 Tim. 2:3, 8-10)

B. –We Become _____ *Like* Jesus—as we are *United* To Him in His *Death* and Resurrection, (Rom. 8:16-17)

Key Phrase—v. 28b: “. . . ‘*Shall I yet again go out to battle against the children of my brother Benjamin, or shall I cease?*’ And the Lord said, ‘*Go up, for tomorrow I will deliver them into your hand.*’”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS: