

**Colossians 2:15 (NLT)** And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

**Devotional:** The devil may be active, but he is not victorious. He has already been disarmed by Jesus at the cross. Everything we fear—demonic oppression, strongholds, spiritual attacks—has already been overcome by Christ. The blood of Jesus has purchased our freedom, and Satan has no ownership over us.

But the battle still rages. Why? Because though the war is won, the enemy keeps fighting. He wants to keep you locked in chains that Christ has already broken. He wants to deceive you into thinking you're still a prisoner when Jesus has already set you free.

**Reflection:** Are you living like someone who is free, or do you still feel trapped by sin or fear? You have victory. Yes, this should change areas of our lives! What is keeping you from living in the victory Jesus has won for you?