THERE IS ALWAYS PROVISION IN THE BATTLE. Sunday, February 3rd, 2019 Audie Clairmont

Numbers 13:32-AMP

32 So they brought the Israelites an evil report of the land which they had scouted out, saying, The land through which we went to spy it out is a land that *devours its inhabitants*. And all the people that we saw in it are men of great stature.

Numbers 14:4-AMP

- 4 And they said one to another, Let us choose a captain and return to Egypt.
- 5 Then Moses and Aaron fell on their faces before all the assembly of Israelites.
- 6 And Joshua son of Nun and Caleb son of Jephunneh, who were among the scouts who had searched the land, rent their clothes,
- 7 And they said to all the company of Israelites, The land through which we passed as scouts is an exceedingly good land.
- 8 If the Lord delights in us, then He will bring us into this land and give it to us, a land flowing with milk and honey.
- 9 Only do not rebel against the Lord, <u>neither fear the people of the land, for</u> they are bread for us. Their defense and the shadow [of protection] is removed from over them, but the Lord is with us. Fear them not.

CJB – "...we'll eat them up...!

Revelation 3:21-AMP

21 <u>He who overcomes (is victorious), I will grant him to sit beside Me on My throne</u>, as I Myself overcame (was victorious) and sat down beside My Father on His throne.

Numbers 14:23-AMP

23 Surely <u>they shall not see the land</u> which I swore to give to their fathers; nor shall any who provoked (spurned, despised) Me see it. [Heb. 6:4-11.]

There are things you will always have to deal with:

- 1. Wanting to stay where you are.
- 2. Not being confident.
- 3. Backing away from the fight.

Numbers 14:24-AMP

- 24 But My servant Caleb, because he has a different spirit and has followed Me fully, I will bring into the land into which he went, and his descendants shall possess it.
- a. God...will soon crush Satan under your feet. (Romans 16:20)
- b. God has given you power over all the power of the enemy. (Luke 10:19)
- c. God says, "greater is He that is in you, than he that is in the world" (1Jn 4:4)

Numbers 14:9 - ... but the Lord is with us. Fear them not.

The moment you get serious with God, you're in for a fight! 2Corinthians 6:4-10-Passion

- 4 Yet, as God's servants, we prove ourselves authentic in every way. For example: We have <u>great endurance in hardships and in persecutions</u>. <u>We don't</u> lose courage in a time of stress and calamity.
- 5 We've been beaten many times, imprisoned, and found ourselves in the midst of riots.

We've endured many troubles, had sleepless nights, and gone hungry.

- 6 <u>We have proved ourselves by our lifestyles of purity</u>, by <u>our spiritual insights</u>, <u>by our patience</u>, <u>and by showing kindness</u>, <u>by the Spirit of holiness and by our uncritical love for you</u>.
- 7 We commend ourselves to you <u>by our truthful teachings</u>, <u>by the power of God</u> <u>working through us</u>, <u>and with the mighty weapons of righteousness— a sword</u> in one hand and a shield in the other.
- 8 Amid honor or dishonor, slander or praise— even when we are treated as deceivers and imposters— *we remain steadfast and true*.
- 9 We are unknown nobodies whom everyone knows. We are frequently at death's door, *yet here we are, still alive!* We have been severely punished *yet not executed*.
- 10 We may suffer, <u>yet in every season we are always found rejoicing</u>. We may be poor, <u>yet we bestow great riches on many</u>. We seem to have nothing, yet in reality <u>we possess all things.</u>