



SOME TRUST IN CHARIOTS
PSALM 20:7



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**The good thing:
Protection for a nation!
Rom. 13:1-7**

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The two big problems:

#1 – Not much protection when the enemy has better chariots and swifter horses.

Luke 14:31-32 – Count the cost before battle.

#2 – Chariots bog down and lose wheels, horses can get outrun.

Exo. 14:6-9, 24-28 – Egypt.

Josh. 11:4-5, 6-9 – Northern Canaanite kings.

Judg. 4:11-16 – Hazor and Sisera.



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David's observation:

Some trust in chariots and horses

David's proclamation:

**But we will remember the name
of the Lord our God.**

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The disaster of trusting in chariots,
horses, and armies.

Psa. 33:16-17

The fundamental difference in
putting full trust in the Lord.

Psa. 44:4-8

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Why put trust in the Lord?

#1 – God always wins.

Cannot be overpowered – Isa. 40:10, 12

Cannot be outsmarted – Isa. 40:13-14, 28

Cannot be outlasted – Isa. 40:28

Nothing compares to Him – Isa. 40:18, 25

Nations are nothing to Him – Isa. 40:15, 17, 22

Can never be beaten – Isa. 40:23; Job 12:14-25

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Why put trust in the Lord?

#2 – When God wins, His faithful people win with Him.

God's promise: certain victory – Isa. 41:10-13.

Faith's guaranteed victory over tribulation, distress, persecution, famine, nakedness, peril, or sword – Rom. 8:31-39.

Faith will always be the victory that overcomes the world – 1 John 5:4.

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The **THEREFORE** of all of this: 1 Tim. 6:17

Direct application: Riches.

Have them, do good with them (vs. 18),
but never trust in them. Trust in God.

Greater principle: Anything but God.

“Command those who are _____ in this present
age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain
_____, but in the living God.”

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1 Cor. 15:57-58

“But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.”