WE ARE SOLDIERS

BATTLE FATIGUE Nehemiah 4:1-23 Jeff Schreve

Thus in Judah it was said, "The strength of the burden bearers is failing, yet there is much rubbish: and we ourselves are unable to rebuild the wall." Nehemiah 4:10

Are you experiencing spiritual battle fatigue?

- 1. Battle fatigue comes when we listen to lies. "They have insulted and discouraged the builders." Nehemiah 4:5 ERV
 - * It is overcome with the truth and words that build faith. And He was saying to them, "Take care what you listen to." Mark 4:24

2. Battle fatigue comes when we lose our strength.

- A. It is overcome with physical rest.
- B. It is overcome with reliance on God. He gives strength to the weary, and to him who lacks might He increases power. Isaiah 40:29

3. Battle fatigue comes when we lose our focus.

* It is overcome by remembering the Lord. "Do not be afraid of them; remember the Lord who is great and awesome, and fight for your brothers, your sons, your daughters, your wives, and your houses." Nehemiah 4:14

4. Battle fatigue comes when we lose our value in the mission.

- A. It is overcome by seeing your calling as a great work.
- B. It is overcome by working together.

Victory comes to those who refuse to quit.