

## A Good Soldier of Jesus Christ, Pt. 2

### 2 Timothy 2:3-4

#### I. THE REALITY OF BEING ENLISTED AS A SOLDIER OF JESUS CHRIST

1. \_\_\_\_\_ believer in Christ is a \_\_\_\_\_ in the Lord's army.
2. You can either be a \_\_\_\_\_ or a \_\_\_\_\_ soldier of the Lord Jesus Christ

\* Why the term soldier?

#### II. THE CHARACTERISTICS OF BEING A GOOD SOLDIER OF JESUS CHRIST

1. A Good Soldier of Christ is continually \_\_\_\_\_ in the grace of Jesus Christ
2. A Good Soldier of Christ is \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ spiritually
3. A Good Soldier of Christ is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to teach others also
4. A Good Soldier of Christ fully recognizes that \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ the Word of God is indispensable for the battle
5. A Good Soldier of Christ \_\_\_\_\_ on what he has learned to others by \_\_\_\_\_ it to other faithful believers who can then do the same
6. A Good Soldier of Christ \_\_\_\_\_ as he faithfully serves his Master

\* Is this an option?

\* "endure hardship" = suffer hardship with me"

**Suffer hardship with me** (**suqkakopatheo** from the combination of **sun**= together, with [speaks of intimate relation] + **kakós** = evil [of a soldier = cowardly] + **patheo** = suffer) means to suffer what is bad, to suffer ill treatment, to endure persecution, to suffer misfortune, to be in sorry case, - and to do all of these together with another.

7. A Good Soldier of Christ \_\_\_\_\_ in the spiritual battle

\* Where does fighting the battle begin?

\* What is included in the battle?

8. A Good Soldier of Christ does not \_\_\_\_\_ with the affairs of this life

\* What is Christ's answer to this?

\* How do you know if you have become entangled?

\* How does all this apply to you?