

Rule #3: Be Aware Of The Enemy, But Keep Your Eyes On The Lord

Red Sea Rules #3
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When the king of Egypt was told that the people had fled, Pharaoh and his officials changed their minds about them and said, "What have we done? We have let the Israelites go and have lost their services!"

⁶ So he had his chariot made ready and took his army with him. ⁷ He took six hundred of the best chariots, along with all the other chariots of Egypt, with officers over all of them. **Exodus 14:5-7 (NIV)**

...The devil is your enemy, and he goes around like a roaring lion looking for someone to attack and eat. **1 Peter 5:8b (ERV)**

How do I respond when Satan attacks?

1- I keep trusting The Lord's love.

The God who struck down the Egyptian firstborn, His love never quits.

¹¹ And rescued Israel from Egypt's oppression, His love never quits.

¹² Took Israel in hand with his powerful hand, His love never quits.

¹³ Split the Red Sea right in half, His love never quits. ¹⁴ Led Israel right through the middle, His love never quits.

Psalms 136:10-14 (MSG)

Our ancestors in Egypt did not understand God's wonderful acts; they forgot the many times he showed them his love, and they rebelled against the Almighty at the Red Sea. **Psalms 106:7 (GNT)**

God remembered us when we were down, His love never quits. Rescued us from the trampling boot, His love never quits. Takes care of everyone in time of need. His love never quits. Thank God, who did it all! His love never quits! **Psalms 136:23-26 (MSG)**

The LORD is my light and the one who saves me. So why should I fear anyone? The LORD protects my life. So why should I be afraid?

² Evil people may try to destroy my body. My enemies and those who hate me attack me, but they are overwhelmed and defeated.

³ If an army surrounds me, I will not be afraid. If war breaks out, I will trust the LORD. **Psalms 27:1-3 (NCV)**

2- I give The Lord time to work.

But Moses answered, "Don't be afraid! Stand still and you will see the LORD save you today. You will never see these Egyptians again after today. ¹⁴ You only need to remain calm; the LORD will fight for you."

Exodus 14:13-14 (NCV)

And all those gathered here will know that the Lord doesn't save by means of sword and spear. The Lord owns this war, and he will hand all of you over to us. **1 Samuel 17:47 (CEB)**

Stand silent! Know that I am God! **Psalms 46:10a (TLB)**

Be still in the presence of the LORD, and wait patiently for him to act. **Psalms 37:7a (NLT)**

3- I keep walking on God's path.

Faith opened the way for the Hebrews to cross the Red Sea as if on dry land, but when the Egyptians tried to cross they were swallowed up and drowned! **Hebrews 11:29 (TPT)**

Then the LORD said to Moses, "Why are you crying out to me? Tell the people to get moving! ¹⁶ Use your shepherd's staff—hold it out over the water, and a path will open up before you through the sea. Then all the people of Israel will walk through on dry ground."

Exodus 14:15-16 (NLT)

Lord, lead me as you promised me you would; otherwise my enemies will conquer me. Tell me clearly what to do, which way to turn.

Psalms 5:8 (TLB)

Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea, and all that night the LORD drove the sea back with a strong east wind and turned it into dry land. The waters were divided, ²² and the Israelites went through the sea on dry ground, with a wall of water on their right and on their left. **Exodus 14:21-22 (NIV)**

I have stayed on God's paths; I have followed his ways and not turned aside. **Job 23:11 (NLT)**