

60 March 12, 2022, Army of God

I received the following poem from my daughter, and it expresses my reaction to being one of those Soldiers in the Army of God. You may express the same reaction, so I offer the poem to a wider distribution on the theme of "I Am a Soldier in the Army of God" written over 28 years ago which in reality applies to all Christians today and hereafter:

I am a Soldier in the Army of God.
The Lord Jesus Christ is my Commanding Officer.
The Holy Bible is my Code of Conduct.
Faith and prayer are my weapons of warfare.
I have been taught by the Holy Spirit,
Trained by experience,
Tried by adversity, and tested by fire.
I am a volunteer in this Army
And enlisted for eternity.
I will retire in this Army at the Rapture
And will not get out, sell out,
Talked out, or pushed out.
I am faithful, reliable, capable and dependable.
When God needs me, I am available.
If He needs me in Sunday school
To teach the children, work with the youth,
Help with the adults, or just sit and learn
He can use me because I am there.
I am a Soldier, I am not a baby,
I do not need to be pampered,
Pumped up, picked up, or propped up.
I am a Soldier, and no one has to call me,
Remind me, write me, visit me, type me, or hire me.
I am a Soldier, I am not a wimp, I am in place,
Upholding my team, obeying His orders,
Praising His Name, and building His Kingdom.
No one has to send me flowers, gifts, food,
Cards, candy, or give me handouts.
I do not need to be cuddled, cradled, cared for,
Or catered too as. I am committed.
I cannot have my feelings hurt bad enough to turn me around.
I cannot be discouraged enough to turn me aside.
I cannot lose enough to cause me to quit.
When Jesus called me into this Army, I had nothing.
If I end up with nothing, I will still come out ahead.
I will win as my God has and will continue to supply all of my needs.
I am more than a conqueror as I will always try up.
I can do all things thru Christ who strengthens me.



The devil cannot defeat me, people cannot disillusion me,
Weather cannot weary me, sickness cannot stop me,
Battles cannot beat me, money cannot buy me,
Governments cannot silence me, and hell cannot handle me.
I am a Soldier even death cannot destroy me.
For when my Commander calls me from this battlefield,
He will promote me to Captain and allow me to rule with Him.
I am a Soldier in the Army, and I am marching claiming Victory.
I will not give up; I will not turn around,
Because I am a Soldier marching Heaven bound.

Step up as a Warrior in the Army of God.