

The Invisible War
“Why is the World Our Enemy?”
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Job 7: 1 &2 NLT

1. The Cause
 - a. Rebellion Against God (Romans 5:12 ESV)
 - b. We have all made the same choice (Is. 53:6, Romans 3:23 ESV)
Three Kinds of Rebellion
Sin – missing the mark
Transgression- to go beyond the boundary
Iniquity – causing intentional injury or harm, to do evil
(Psalm 32:5 NIV)
2. The Collateral Damage
 - a. Sin Brought a Curse on Nature (Gen. 3:17-19, Romans 8:22 ESV)
 - b. Sin Causes Emotional Distress and Disappointment (Eccl. 1:14-15 NIV)
 - c. Sin Causes Conflict Between People (Eccl. 4:1, Gen.3:7-13 ESV)
 - d. Sin Causes Financial and Vocational Difficulty (Eccl. 5:13-14, 2 17-20 NIV)
 - e. Sin Brings Spiritual Discontent and Darkness (Job 6:18 NLT, Is. 59:2)
3. We Don't Hate Sin We Laugh at It.
 - a. We need to run from it (Prov. 24:1, 4:14-17 NIV)
4. Who will deliver me from this body of death? (John 16:33, 8:12 NIV)
 - a. I have overcome the world.