

Nehemiah
A Manuel for Serving The LORD
“Determined To Resist”
Nehemiah 6:1-14

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Introduction: Nehemiah was a man who did not serve his own desires, or even the people's. He bravely concentrated on doing what he believed God wanted done. There is always a twofold explanation for the success of any work of God – the one divine, the other human. In eternity past God formulated a perfect plan for the redemption of a lost humanity. In order to accomplish His purposes in redemption He has chosen to use the willful cooperation of men and women. Once He has saved an individual His desire is to use that person and make them useful in fulfilling His eternal purposes. *“For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God has prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.”* (Ephesians 2:10). Nehemiah will succeed in the great work he is engaged in because he was doing a work which God had prepared beforehand for him to do. As we come to chapter six the work on the wall is almost finished at which point we will see the enemy of God's work launch a final phase of opposition in three parts – all aimed at Nehemiah personally. If Satan can't destroy the work of God then he will seek to destroy those cooperating with God in His work. Anyone engaged in God's work must be determined to resist at all cost the onslaughts of Satan upon their lives and follow through to the finish with their Lord and Master...

YOU MUST DETERMINE TO RESIST...

I. The World's _____ – It's _____

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II. The World's _____ - It's _____

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III. The World's _____ - It's _____

"...I AM DOING A GREAT WORK, SO THAT I CANNOT COME DOWN..."