

In the Louvre Museum in France there is a famous painting called Checkmate

The devil is sitting on one side, there is a chess board and there is a man sitting on the other side

And the man sitting on the other side has his hands on his head like this, it is like this man is in desperation.

This is how the devil sees it, in his eyes He is like Peter in the boat, all he sees is the wind and the waves and the boat sinking and Jesus walking on the water looking like a ghost.

Now one day there was a group of world champion athletes that were being given a special tour around the Louvre

And amongst the people in that tour was the world chess champion and He comes walking by the picture and the guide is explaining to him that this is a famous painting of someone who lost the chess battle with the devil

So the group moved on to the next picture to see something else, but the Chess champion, he stayed there still gazing at the painting of the chess game with the devil and he just kept looking at the picture.

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He said. well, i've been looking at this picture and the chess famous player said. Yes and the guide said the painting is called Checkmate

The devil is laughing the man's. and he said, yes said the chess player, but while I have been standing here looking at that painting, I noticed something.

I have Kept looking at the picture and I have a problem he said, what do you mean said the guide.

The chess player said, well, you know, I am a champion chess player. and I spend my life playing chess with normal everyday people

But I don't always see what a world champion chess player should see,

So when you all walked off, I looked at the devil laughing at the whole situation, then i looked closely at the man in desperation.

But he said I noticed something on the chess board and they are going to have to change the play, or they they will have to change the name of the painting

Well said the guide, why are they going to have to do that?

Then the chess player said you know. As a world champion chess player. when I looked at the board,li found out the king still has one more move.

We all experience time in our lives when we come to the place where we think we have been cornered, the stuff that is coming against you is just too overwhelming and too great to get over that wall of problems.

You believe everything is gone and nothing left has any hope, all hope is gone.

But the King of Glory still has one more move left,

In the fullness of time. God sent His Son

I dare to say that the King has one more move, that is the breakthrough into the Spirit, the Holy Spirit has one more move.

Jesus executed that move when He hung on the cross and totally obliterated sin evil and the devil as He rose after three days from the dead in glorious resurrection Power.

Now He has one more move over my finances, He has one more move over my marriage.

He has one more move up with my kids. it is not over, Jesus Christ has One more move, the last word in your life victory.

Philippians 3:10 that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death,

He has one more move over the devils world of rob kill and destroy and His one more move will be the stone that the builders rejected.

The stone that Daniel saw will strike the statue

Daniel 2:34 As you were looking, a stone was cut out without [human] hands, and it struck the statue on its feet of iron and clay and crushed them.

One more move in the stone that will strike this devils evil kingdom, that He has infiltrated into all mankind .

And that stone of Truth will strike at the heart of this Babylon world that we re living in today right now, the stone will strike the feet of the kingdom and down will come the kingdom, Babylon will fall.

Revelation 18:1-3 After these things I saw another angel coming down out of heaven. He had great authority, and the earth was given light by his glory. **2** He called out with a loud voice, saying:

Fallen, fallen, is Babylon the Great.

She has become a dwelling place for demons, and a prison for every unclean spirit,

and a prison for every unclean bird, and a prison for every unclean and hated beast.

3 For all the nations have drunk from the wine of her adulterous desire,

and the kings of the earth committed adultery with her, and the merchants of the earth became rich from the abundance of her luxury.

Revelation 18:18 “And merchants of the earth will weep and grieve over her, because no one buys their cargo (goods, merchandise) anymore