

## THE BATTLE IS YOURS



**Deuteronomy 31:6 Be strong and courageous, do not be afraid or tremble at them, for the LORD your God is the one who goes with you. He will not fail you or forsake you.**

Lord, here I am before you again, weepy and humbled. You HAVE called me out upon the water, God. You know it has not been easy. You never promised it would be. The road is not smooth nor the burdens light. But you find me and keep me. You *are* all-knowing and I rely on you in it all. Thank you for sending me your Holy Spirit who utters groans and prayers over me. Thank you for sending me a savior whose life is so beautiful that the thought of Him can bring me to tears. Thank you, Lord, for calling me by name so that I am never alone. I am here, just as you planned, God, standing battle and close to you in ways unfamiliar while I fight for your purpose of everlasting life. It is precious, it is purposeful, it is a gift. You are my protection, Lord - my armor, my everything. I pray you guide me and teach me so that I may never let go. I pray in Jesus' name, Amen.