

JOHN VEAL

PASTOR, AUTHOR



John Veal is the Senior Pastor/Prophet of Enduring Faith Christian Center (non-denominational) in Chicago and the CEO of John Veal Ministries, Inc. He is passionate about pursuing God's mandate to preach, teach and activate people within the prophetic. John is a regular contributor to Charisma Magazine Online, The Elijah List, IMAG, Spirit Fuel, Reformation Today and other publications. He's been featured on various media outlets, including Sid Roth's It's Supernatural, Elijah Streams, Glory Road TV and The Shaun Tabatt Show. Dr. Veal is a highly sought-after conference speaker due to his uncanny prophetic accuracy, humor, candor and unconventional preaching style. He has traveled the nations, presenting a myriad of prophetic training and ministry. John currently resides in Chicago, Illinois, with his wife, Elisa, and their three children.

AVAILABILITY

- Weekdays preferred after 4pm CT, though exceptions can be made. Weekends available, if not traveling on ministry business.
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PODCAST



Click to listen to John's podcast, *Supernaturally Prophetic*, on the *Destiny Image* podcast network.

DOWNLOADS

- [John's headshot](#)
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- [Full book \(PDF\)](#)

EXPERTISE

- **Prophetic ministry and spiritual insight:** Activating and training others in the prophetic.
- **Spiritual warfare strategies:** Dr. Veal reveals tactics and battle plans with deliverance prayers and supernatural declarations. Equipping believers to combat demonic strongholds and prevail against the "god of this age".
- **Deliverance ministry:** Through prophetic decrees and hands-on strategies, Dr. Veal equips Christians to destroy demonic lies and break strongholds.

CREDENTIALS

- Long-time senior pastor, experienced leader
- Featured voice on major Christian media
- Regular contributor to leading Christian publications
- Globally-recognized conference speaker
- Author of multiple books on spiritual warfare
- B.A. in Political Science (Chicago St., 1995)
- Masters degree in Special Education (Dominican University, 1998)
- Masters degree in Educational Leadership (American College of Education)
- Honorary doctorate in theology and ministry (Healing Waters Biblical Institute & Seminary)
- US Navy veteran, 1989 -1995

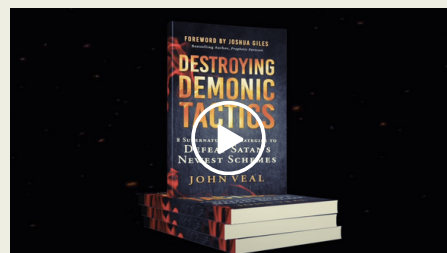
"Every day, evil threatens to snuff out the last bits of light and threads of hope your heart has held on to. But God—the One who provides a way of escape, the One who teaches your hands to war, the One who gives unlimited grace and wisdom—sees you and has a battle plan that will ensure your peace, freedom, and victory."

MEDIA

Hear John Veal discuss his previous books and impactful moments from his life in the clips below.



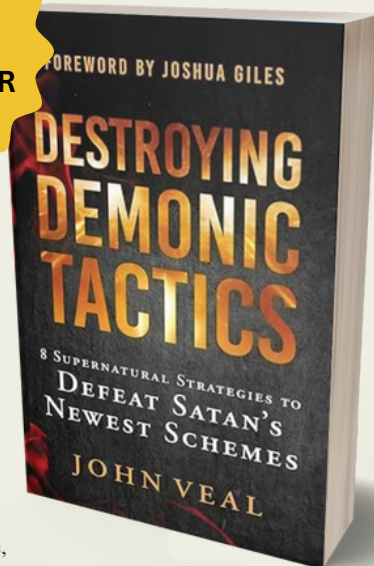
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ABOUT THE BOOK

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- Chosen Books, December 3, 2024
- Paperback : 224 pages
- Categories:
 - Christian Angelology & Demonology
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Many Christians are aware that times are changing—and not for the better. That evil is morphing into more and more insidious manifestations ... and that the hearts of many are growing cold. Fear, due to a lack of knowledge, apathy due to blinded eyes and weariness from fighting the enemy at every turn keep many bound in demonic cycles they desperately want to be delivered from. As our world advances, so does the enemy, modernizing his age-old weapons. So we, too, must modify our weapons in order to resist and defeat him at every turn. Exposing the enemy's eight updated tactics and strategies, leading prophetic voice Pastor John Veal offers a customized, hands-on battle plan for today. Complete with prophetic revelations and decrees, deliverance prayers, and supernatural declarations, he equips you with eight practical strategies to: upgrade and supercharge your weapons; stand for God in this day of evil; identify and combat the lies of our age; destroy our era's demonic strongholds; and live out your divine assignment and destiny.

WHY IS IT RELEVANT?

- Deliverance ministry is gaining momentum. The pandemic influenced a stronger and almost desperate desire, by many, to engage in practices that relieved them of the mental health issues that arose and still linger today. Many are hungry for healing and freedom from anxiety, depression, performance, competition and comparison, dissatisfaction with themselves and their lives, always achieving yet never arriving, the addictive cycles of escapism.
- Culture and media are more and more often introducing and normalizing dark spiritual practices, the occult, witchcraft and all manner of demonic influence into our lives via social media, television and other mediums. Many people unknowingly allow these influences and ideas into their hearts and minds where they can become strongholds.

THE BOOK WILL:

- Educate readers by identifying six demonic acts and weapons at work in new ways in this new era.
- Equip readers by teaching spiritual strategies for destroying demonic activity and providing them with a custom, supernatural battle plan derived from eight actions they can take in order to walk in victory.
- Empower readers by walking them through prayers, declarations, and decrees they can confess to build their faith and affirm their position in God concerning each of the enemy's tactics.
- Encourage believers by announcing the arrival of a new breed of believers they can be part of as they embrace this message of freedom. They will know they can wrestle and prevail.

WHO ARE THOSE READERS?

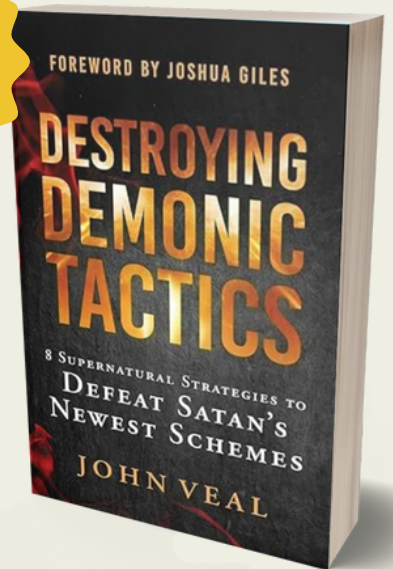
- Believers of all ages who sense a new age is upon us, want to learn the strategy of Satan (lower-cased on purpose), and want to remain vigilant and free by applying God's stratagems to thwart the intentions of the enemy. They are interested in the supernatural and have some understanding of deliverance ministry. This group may include those who feel trapped by the devices of the enemy and are seeking healing and freedom.

SUGGESTED QUESTIONS

- How have demonic tactics evolved in the modern world, and why is it important for believers to be aware of these changes in the enemy's strategy?
- What are some signs that someone might be experiencing spiritual warfare?
- In your introduction, you mention experiencing spiritual attacks while writing your previous book. How did these experiences shape your approach to writing *Destroying Demonic Tactics*?
- You emphasize the importance of identity in spiritual warfare. Can you elaborate?
- You mention that Satan often attacks those closest to us. How can believers protect their loved ones during times of intense spiritual battle?
- What advice would you give to someone feeling overwhelmed by spiritual attacks?
- How can readers apply the strategies from your book in their daily lives?
- How can church leaders use your book to strengthen their congregations against spiritual attacks?
- Your book exposes eight updated tactics the enemy uses in these perilous times. With society facing increasing division—politically, morally, and spiritually—what's one demonic strategy you see most at play today, and how can believers counter it with the practical battle plan you've outlined?
- How do you see the prophetic gifting evolving in the church today, especially as people crave clarity amid global uncertainty and technological upheaval?
- You emphasize activating people in the prophetic. What's the biggest misconception Christians have about prophecy, and how does your unconventional preaching style—humor and candor included—help break that down?
- Your book offers deliverance prayers and supernatural declarations to combat modern demonic strongholds. With mental health struggles and cultural pressures spiking, how can these spiritual tools bring lasting peace to believers feeling overwhelmed in 2025?
- You've traveled globally as a conference speaker, seeing the enemy's tactics firsthand. What's one victory story from your ministry that shows how upgrading our spiritual weapons can shift the tide against evil—and why does that matter now more than ever?



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The devil has done quite a number on the Church. He has significantly impaired the spiritual vision of both unbelievers and believers. He does this by creating elaborate smoke screens and encouraging division and disobedience, as well as masquerading evil as good. His ultimate plan is to get us to accept a false gospel that is geocentric (earth-centered) instead of theocentric (God- focused or God-centered). He wants to shift our focus from wor- shipping Jesus Christ to *world worship*. His desire is to convince us to accept a false narrative that exalts social media status over servanthood, a smartphone over a Bible, and a worldly stage over a pulpit. He aims to create such a convincing storyline that it will ultimately spiritually blind us to the privileges, benefits, bless- ings, and promises that are readily available in the Word of God.

When I read 2 Corinthians 4:4, the verse I quoted at the be- ginning of this introduction, my focus centered on the word unbelievers. This word is not just about people who don't believe in God, but also about actual churchgoers who seemingly cannot discern, accept, and apply divine strategies that could help them overcome the many diabolical trials and tribulations they face daily. Satan frequently blinds unbelievers and creates doubt in believers. He habitually uses seemingly innocuous people, places, and things to infiltrate our homes, churches, and workplaces.

Believer or unbeliever, you don't have to stay blind or doubtful. The Holy Spirit will teach you all you need to know about the promises in the Bible. When storms come, you can stand firm in faith and victory. Loss, betrayal, disappointment, depression, doubt, oppression, and sorrow can cloud our vision of our vic- tories in Christ Jesus. The disciples didn't initially believe that Jesus was the prophesied Messiah. The apostle Thomas would not accept Jesus as the risen Savior until he saw the nail wounds in His hands, put his fingers into them, and placed his hand into the wound in His side (see John 20:25).

Just as Jesus did for His closest friends and followers, God can remove the scales of doubt from our eyes. He will expose the enemy so we won't be deceived. This book will help you see with your spiritual eyes what the god of this age doesn't want you to see. It will assist you in pulling back the curtain on satanic counterfeits disguised as godly ventures. Satan has a tendency to infiltrate what can be beneficial resources, such as the internet, media, and social media, in an attempt to undermine the teaching of the Gospel that is currently reaching the entire world.

Through revelation, study, and my own warfare experiences, the Lord has downloaded battle plans and prayers to me that will help you effectively ward off premeditated demonic assaults before they arise. I earnestly want to equip you with tools to de- feat an old devil in a new age, on a new stage. The enemy of our souls has placed a new spin on his old tricks in both the physical and the spiritual. While his tactics remain relatively the same, the avenues have dramatically changed in our modern era. In 2 Timothy 3:1–5, we learn that, *In the last days perilous times will come: For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, unloving, unforgiv- ing, slanderers, without self- control, brutal, despisers of good, traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away!*

Are we not witnessing these very things? As we advance in technology and our access to enlightenment (i.e., the digital era, artifi- cial intelligence or AI, and automation), and as the distance closes in our physical world (which is one impact of the internet and social media), the enemy also advances. While he is not creative enough to come up with anything entirely new, he modifies his weapons to meet every level humanity advances to in each new era. We should not be “ignorant of his devices” (2 Corinthians 2:11). When we are uninformed, we will not discern his devices.



ENDORSEMENTS

As this anointed author expounds on the Word of God in these pages, you will receive divine strategies, insight, practical knowledge, and a course of action that you can apply in your everyday life. You will be challenged to look beyond the surface level and discern what's really going at the root of the issues that may be coming up in your soul. You'll be inspired to create the right environment for God's prophetic words to come alive in your spirit. And you'll be given the strategic weapons to outwit and dismantle demonic spirits that have tried to stand in the way of the new level that you are walking into. As you read this book, don't just view it as an ordinary message. This is a strategic battle plan to help you annihilate demonic systems and ploys that have tried to stop your spiritual and natural progress. Open your heart to receive the instructions of the Lord that exude from these pages. As you apply these principles and methodologies to your everyday life, your world will be revolutionized. You will experience a level of freedom and deliverance that can only come from God.

Joshua Giles

Author, Mantled For Greatness; Founder, Joshua Giles Ministries and Mantle Network

John has been given battle plans from God to help you win the war against your enemy. This book will show you how to disrupt demonic agendas, prevent an attack before it happens, and recognize the devil's old tricks disguised as new ones. After reading it, you will be equipped with strategies to destroy the various demonic tactics you face daily. This book is a game-changer!

Sid Roth

Host of Sid Roth's It's Supernatural

In *Destroying Demonic Tactics*, Prophet John Veal offers a profound roadmap to spiritual victory in an increasingly complex world. From the deep dive into the essence of identity in "Identity and the Danger of 'If Thous'" to the urgent discussion on the mental health crisis in "The Current Pandemic: Mental Illness and Emotional Imbalances," Veal illuminates the spiritual battles we face daily. His insights into the mind's role as a battlefield, the pitfalls of ego and celebrity, and the lurking demon of distraction are both enlightening and timely. As we grapple with the pervasive influence of technology, Veal's forthcoming chapter promises to shed light on its spiritual ramifications. The book crescendos with potent strategies, such as the power of fasting and prayer, and concludes with a rousing affirmation of the emerging "Jacob Generation." This is more than just a book—it's a spiritual arsenal for those determined to overcome. Every chapter stands as a testament to Veal's deep spiritual insight and his unwavering belief in the believer's ultimate triumph. This is an essential read for anyone committed to rising above the challenges and securing their spiritual destiny.

Tomi Arayomi

Founder of RIG Nation; Author of Eat, Sleep, Prophecy, Repeat; The Cosmopolitan Christian; and The Occupy; Handbook: Your Prophetic Guide for Uprooting Demonic Strongholds and Establishing Atmospheres for God's Glory

Spiritual warfare is raging in the earth and will only grow more fierce as we go deeper into the end times. No longer can we get by with a weekend-warrior mentality. We need to stay armored up and ready for battle. John Veal is preparing the church to destroy demonic tactics that many may not discern. His strategies and solutions for spiritual warfare victory will inspire you to fight and win.

Jennifer LeClaire

Founder, Awakening House of Prayer Global Movement; Author, 101 Tactics for Spiritual Warfare

John Veal's book, *Destroying Demonic Tactics*, is full of practical wisdom and common sense, everyday advice that is biblically grounded and actively worked out in his own life for a victorious Christian life. Every believer will have to discover and employ their authority in Christ and the power of the blood of Jesus for themselves in their own unique circumstances, but this book will guide you through the minefield of potential failures so that you can step out of whatever difficult circumstances you encounter with your life and joy intact. Closing our eyes to spiritual warfare won't make it go away just because we don't want to be bothered to deal with our own issues. Read this book and apply its advice to your daily walk, and you will gain great victory over the enemy of your soul.

Joan Hunter

Evangelist, Host of Miracles Happen TV Show

This book is one of the most essential teachings and trainings I have read on spiritual warfare. For too long, believers have been left without strategic training on how to engage in and destroy the works and schemes of Satan and his army of darkness. Once we are saved, we are enrolled in the most powerful army of the universe. John maps out an exceptional teaching in this manuscript, teaching victorious strategies to overcome, prevail, and conquer. Friends, *Destroying Demonic Tactics* is a must-read for every believer. Thank you, John, for this timely and needed message.

Rebecca Greenwood

Co-founder, Christian Harvest International; Strategic Prayer Apostolic Network

Author of Authority to Tread, Glory Warfare, Let Our Children Go, Defeating Strongholds of the Mind, Breaking the Bonds of Evil, and Discerning the Spirit Realm

