

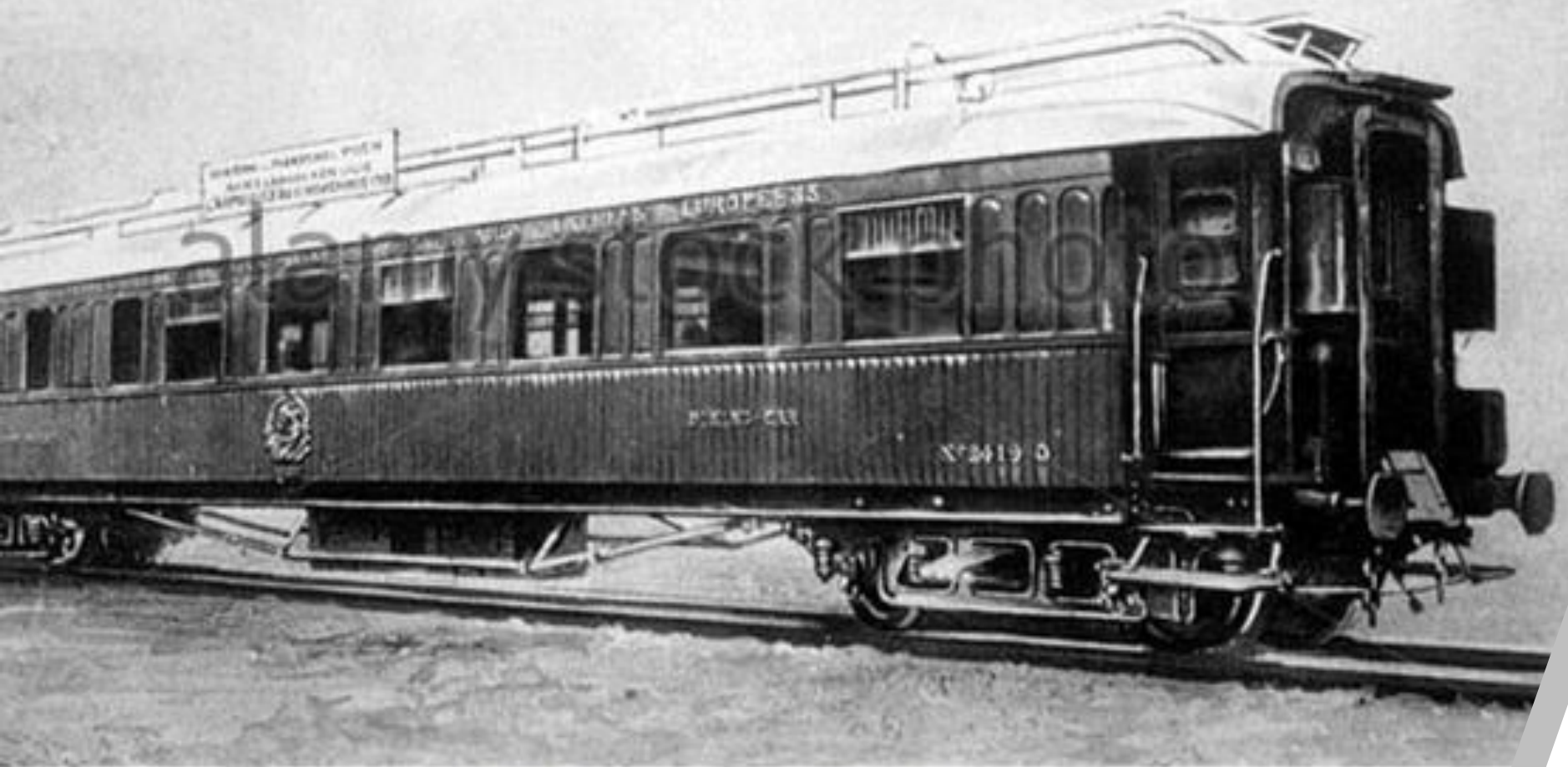


# VETERANS DAY

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# VETERANS DAY - A GOOD SOLDIER OF CHRIST JESUS

- *3 Join with me in suffering, like a good soldier of Christ Jesus. 4 No one serving as a soldier gets entangled in civilian affairs, but rather tries to please his commanding officer.*



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- John 18:36 (HCSB) 36 *“My kingdom is not of this world,”* said Jesus. *“If My kingdom were of this world, My servants would fight, so that I wouldn’t be handed over to the Jews. As it is, My kingdom does not have its origin here.”*
- John 18:36 (LBLA) 36 *Jesús respondió: Mi reino no es de este mundo. Si mi reino fuera de este mundo, entonces mis servidores pelearían para que yo no fuera entregado a los judíos; mas ahora mi reino no es de aquí.*

First of all they would be a  
volunteer.



- 1 Timothy 2:4 (NASB) ... *God desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.*
- 1 Timothy 2:4 (LBLA) *4 Ningún soldado en servicio activo se enreda en los negocios de la vida diaria, a fin de poder agradar al que lo reclutó como soldado.*

- 2 Peter 3:9 (NASB) *The Lord is not slow about His promise, as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance.*
- 2 Peter 3:9 (LBLA) *9 El Señor no se tarda en cumplir su promesa, según algunos entienden la tardanza, sino que es paciente para con vosotros, no queriendo que nadie perezca, sino que todos vengán al arrepentimiento.*

- Acts 2:36-38 (NASB) 36 "Therefore let all the house of Israel know for certain that God has made Him both Lord and Christ—this Jesus whom you crucified." 37 Now when they heard this, they were pierced to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brethren, what shall we do?" 38 Peter said to them, "Repent, and each of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.

- Acts 2:36-38 (LBLA) 36 Sepa, pues, con certeza toda la casa de Israel, que a este Jesús a quien vosotros crucificasteis, Dios le ha hecho Señor y Cristo. 37 Al oír esto, compungidos de corazón, dijeron a Pedro y a los demás apóstoles: Hermanos, ¿qué haremos? 38 Y Pedro les dijo: Arrepentíos y sed bautizados cada uno de vosotros en el nombre de Jesucristo para perdón de vuestros pecados, y recibiréis el don del Espíritu Santo.



- Acts 2:41 (NASB) *41 So then, those who had received his word were baptized; and that day there were added about three thousand souls.*
- Acts 2:41 (LBLA) *41 Entonces los que habían recibido su palabra fueron bautizados; y se añadieron aquel día como tres mil almas.*

Acts 2:47 (KJV) *Praising God, and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.*

Acts 2:47 (LBLA) *47 alabando a Dios y hallando favor con todo el pueblo. Y el Señor añadía cada día al número de ellos los que iban siendo salvos.*

# BUT WHAT ABOUT MY PAST?

- 1 John 3:4 (NASB) says, “*Everyone who practices sin also practices lawlessness; and sin is lawlessness.*”
  - 1 John 3:4 (LBLA) 4 *Todo el que practica el pecado, practica también la infracción de la ley, pues el pecado es infracción de la ley.*

- Acts 22:16 (NASB) 16 *'Now why do you delay? Get up and be baptized, and wash away your sins, calling on His name.'*
- Acts 22:16 (LBLA) 16 *“Y ahora, ¿por qué te detienes? Levántate y sé bautizado, y lava tus pecados invocando su nombre.”*

Hebrews 10:17 - *“Their sins  
and lawless acts I will  
remember no more.”*

Hebrews 10:17 (LBLA) *17 Y  
NUNCA MAS ME ACORDARE  
DE SUS PECADOS E  
INIQUIDADES.*

- Romans 6:16-18 - *“Don’t you know that when you offer yourselves to someone to obey him as slaves, you are slaves to the one whom you obey - whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness? “But thanks be to God that, though you used to be slaves to sin, you wholeheartedly obeyed the form of teaching to which you were entrusted. You have been set free from sin and have become slaves to righteousness.”*

- Romans 6:16-18 (LBLA) *16 ¿No sabéis que cuando os presentáis a alguno como esclavos para obedecerle, sois esclavos de aquel a quien obedecéis, ya sea del pecado para muerte, o de la obediencia para justicia? 17 Pero gracias a Dios, que aunque erais esclavos del pecado, os hicisteis obedientes de corazón a aquella forma de doctrina a la que fuisteis entregados; 18 y habiendo sido libertados del pecado, os habéis hecho siervos de la justicia.*

# First, we must completely love our Commander:

- Matthew 22:37-38 - *“Jesus replied: ‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’ This is the first and greatest commandment.”*
- Matthew 22:37-38 (LBLA) *37 Y El le dijo: AMARAS AL SEÑOR TU DIOS CON TODO TU CORAZON, Y CON TODA TU ALMA, Y CON TODA TU MENTE. 38 Este es el grande y el primer mandamiento.*

# Second, we are required to lay down our lives!

- Romans 12:1-2 (NASB) *Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.*
- Romans 12:1-2 (LBLA) *Por consiguiente, hermanos, os ruego por las misericordias de Dios que presentéis vuestros cuerpos como sacrificio vivo y santo, aceptable a Dios, que es vuestro culto racional. 2 Y no os adaptéis a este mundo, sino transformaos mediante la renovación de vuestra mente, para que verifiquéis cuál es la voluntad de Dios: lo que es bueno, aceptable y perfecto.*



**Finally, once you sign up to be a soldier  
of the army of Jesus Christ you are in  
for eternity!**

- Ephesians 6:11-13 - *“Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil’s schemes. “For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. “Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.”*

- Ephesians 6:11-13 (LBLA) *11 Revestíos con toda la armadura de Dios para que podáis estar firmes contra las insidias del diablo. 12 Porque nuestra lucha no es contra sangre y carne, sino contra principados, contra potestades, contra los poderes de este mundo de tinieblas, contra las huestes espirituales de maldad en las regiones celestes. 13 Por tanto, tomad toda la armadura de Dios, para que podáis resistir en el día malo, y habiéndolo hecho todo, estar firmes.*

- 1 Peter 5:8 says, *“Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.”*
- 1 Peter 5:8 (LBLA) 8 *Sed de espíritu sobrio, estad alerta. Vuestro adversario, el diablo, anda al acecho como león rugiente, buscando a quien devorar.*

- Ephesians 6:17-18 says, *“Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.”*
- Ephesians 6:17-18 (LBLA) *17 Tomad también el YELMO DE LA SALVACION, y la espada del Espíritu que es la palabra de Dios. 18 Con toda oración y súplica orad en todo tiempo en el Espíritu, y así, velad con toda perseverancia y súplica por todos los santos;*

- Romans 14:17-18 says, *“For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking, but of righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit, because anyone who serves Christ in this way is pleasing to God and approved by men.”*
- Romans 14:18 (LBLA) *18 Porque el que de esta manera sirve a Cristo, es aceptable a Dios y aprobado por los hombres.*

- Romans 15:13 says, *“May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.”*
- Romans 15:13 (LBLA) *13 Y el Dios de la esperanza os llene de todo gozo y paz en el creer, para que abundéis en esperanza por el poder del Espíritu Santo.*