

## Writers: Warriors NOT Wimps

### Listening sheet

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**Goal:** Understand why you must put on the whole armor of God and utilize training gleaned in conference workshops, from coaches and mentors to withstand the attack of the enemy as a writer.

**Outcome:** To increase productivity effectively utilizing tools for spiritual rejuvenation, mental focus, and physical stamina to produce lasting fruit.

1. Writing for God is \_\_\_\_\_ we must expect trials.
2. Questions you might ask:
  - How do I stay \_\_\_\_\_?
  - How do I manage \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_?
  - How do I develop a \_\_\_\_\_?
3. Why should you stay alert and vigilant as a Christian writer? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Writing can be lonely, and you will need strength for the journey toward authorship.**

- Success of publishing can appear unachievable.
- Disappointment /rejections are difficult to bear
- We are easily broken
- We are vulnerable to attacks and defeat with lack of knowledge
- We fall prey to resentment, discouragement, comparison, and negative self-talk
- Less flexible, not willing to bend or change title or content because God said.... **Community helps another perspective from God.**

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4. How do you arm yourself? \_\_\_\_\_
  5. What are the 5 advisors?
    - a. \_\_\_\_\_
    - b. \_\_\_\_\_
    - c. \_\_\_\_\_
    - d. \_\_\_\_\_
    - e. \_\_\_\_\_