

The Prayer Life Of . . .

ASA

SECOND CHRONICLES 14:9-12; 15:1-9

1. Asa, king of Judah, had an army of 580,000. Zerah the Ethiopian had a million soldiers. Have you ever felt like you were facing odds like that?
2. In Asa's prayer, how is God described?
3. In Asa's prayer, how is the Ethiopian force described?
4. In Asa's prayer, how is Judah described?
5. On what basis does Asa believe God should help Judah?
6. Is it ever possible for man to prevail against God? If so, how? If not, why pray that he won't in this case?
7. Who won the battle?
8. How did this event become a turning point in Asa's reign?
9. What fringe benefit did this have on Israel and Judah? How might this relate to us?
10. In chapter 16, Asa sought help from Ben-Hadad, king of Aram, in defending against Baasha, king of Israel. What was wrong with that, and what's the lesson for us?