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- Opening prayer
- Introductions
- Praise reports
- **How to *Build* a Godly Business**

Today's topic: **Common attacks of the adversary as we build God's businesses:**

- 1) As CBOs, we will grieve & provoke enemies of God. (Neh 2:10). Response: don't flinch!
- 2) Enemies of God will laugh at us & despise us (Neh 2:19). Response: trust God & rebuke!
- 3) Enemies of God will insult & intimidate us (Neh 4:1-3). Response: keep building!
- 4) Enemies of God will attack us (Neh 4:7-8). Response: prayer and set watch—be diligent!
- 5) Our employees will get discouraged (Neh 4:10-11). Response: be a bold, fearless leader!
- 6) Our employees may get into financial bondage (Neh 5:1-6). Response: seek their freedom!
- 7) Enemies of God will try to compromise with us (Neh 6:1-2). Response: don't give in!
- 8) Enemies of God will lie about us & slander us (Neh 6:1-9). Response: rebuke, keep moving!
- 9) Enemies of God will try to paralyze us with death threats (Neh 6:10-13). Response: rebuke!

Looking back, have you experienced any of these attacks? Mark it down: the closer you are to the frontlines of the spiritual battle, the more likely you are to be attacked. There's more safety and security in the rear, but as CBOs we are called to be frontline leaders, *aren't' we?*

If we are strong and courageous, we will experience Victory and dumbfound our adversaries big-time (Neh 6:15-16), but don't be naïve: our adversaries will harass us until we're in Glory.

- Local Christian events & news
- Next meeting on August 5 here, 7:30 am (1st and 3rd Wednesdays)
- Closing prayer
- Fellowship