

PETRA

Artist:

PETRA
PETRA.COM

Album Title & Record Company:

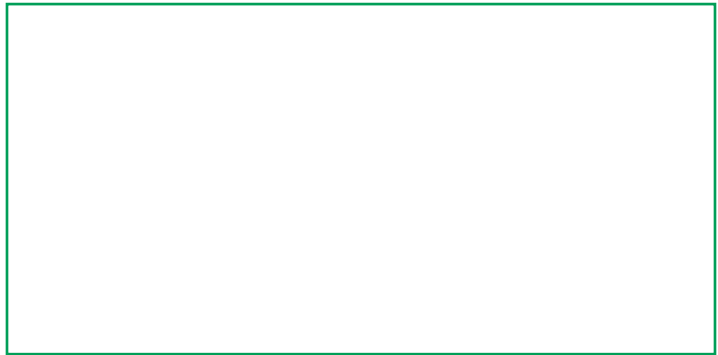
HOPE
ROWN RECORDS

Song:

DELIVER US

Theme:

SPIRITUAL WARFARE, PRAYER,
FREEDOM



Deliver Us

• What stood out to you? Did the song feel hopeful, intense, or dramatic? Why?

• Why does the song repeat the plea "Deliver Us"?

• Does it sound like they are confident or desperate?

• Where do you see spiritual struggle in everyday life- in big tragic events, or in quiet thoughts like "I'm not good enough"?

The Enemy (The Reality)

Ephesians 6:10-12

• Who does Paul say our real enemy is?

• Why is it important that our battle isn't "against flesh and blood"?

• How does knowing this change how you handle conflict with people?

• Paul talks about "rulers" and "authorities" in the heavenly realms. Does it scare you or relieve you to know there are spiritual forces at work?

The Armor (The Defense)

Ephesians 6:13-18

• Which piece of the armor of God do you struggle to live out?

• The "Shield of Faith" is used to extinguish "flaming arrows." What are the "flaming arrows" in your life right now?

• Verse 13 says, "and after you have done everything, to stand." Why is standing your ground sometimes the hardest part of a battle?

The Plea (The Weapon)

Matthew 6:9-13

• Jesus specifically includes "Deliver us from evil" in the Lord's Prayer. Why would He teach us to pray this regularly?

• How is praying for deliverance different from just trying harder or using willpower?

• To ask for "deliverance" implies you can't escape on your own. Why is admitting weakness actually a sign of spiritual strength?

My "Real" Prayer

• This week I need deliverance from:

• One way I can pray intentionally this week:

• One truth I want to remember: