1. The enemy is a liar. John 8:44

You are of *your* father the devil, and the desires of your father you want to do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own *resources,* for he is a liar and the father of it. NKJV

2. You do not want to side with him. Matthew 18:16

But if he will not hear, take with you one or two more, that 'by the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.'

The enemy does not get real creative. He uses what has always worked, so we hear the same lies over and over again. A stronghold is created when he speaks a lie and it is believed. Some may even sound silly, but when their "breathing down your neck," a lie can be confusing and even compelling. It's the truth that sets the captive free...so imagine what a lie does!

Lies During or Before Deliverance	Post Deliverance Lies
 I won't go. I'm not going. 	• I didn't go.
• I'll be back.	 I'm back. (If it was backit wouldn't announce it.)
 You can't live without me, not even a week. 	• You won't last a week. You can't do this.
 How are you going to cope when you're 	 You won't last a month.
hurt?I'll hurt you or I'll kill/hurt a loved one.	 No one notices you're changed. You're the same.
 I'm too strong to go. 	 It was easier before freedom. (OR) It was better.
• You won't be free. Othersbut not you.	 That was crazy. You didn't get free. It's not
• The person praying with you is crazy.	real.
• The person praying with you is fake.	• This is not who you are. Stop pretending.
• You're fake.	• You're fake.
 I'm not real. 	
 is not going to like you if you change. 	
• But, I'm your friend.	
 I've been here a too long. 	
 You're taking too much time. You're an inconvenience to those praying. 	