

Prayer and Spiritual Warfare

ARMOR OF GOD MESSAGE 8



Reviewing The Armor of God

The Belt of _____

The Breastplate of _____

The Shoes of the Gospel of _____

The Shield of _____

The Helmet of _____

The Sword of the Spirit - _____

In Short, Put on _____! (Rom. 13:11-14)

The Importance of Prayer in Spiritual Warfare

Prayer is how we _____ the _____ of _____!

“Pray at all times in the Spirit with every prayer and request, and stay alert with all perseverance and intercession for all the saints. Pray also for me....” (Eph. 6:18-20)

1) PRAY . . . _____.

“Pray at all times in the Spirit....” (v. 18)

“In the same way the Spirit also helps us in our weakness, because we do not know what to pray for as we should, but the Spirit Himself intercedes for us with inexpressible groanings. And He who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because He intercedes for the saints according to the will of God.” (Rom. 8:26-27)

- _____ on the Holy Spirit.
- _____ to the Holy Spirit.

2) PRAY . . . at _____ and in _____.

“Pray at all times...with every prayer and request....” (v. 18)

“Pray constantly.”(1 Th. 5:17) “...be persistent in prayer.” (Rom. 12:12)

“First of all, then, I urge that petitions, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for everyone.” (1 Tim. 2:1)

3) PRAY . . . with _____ and _____.

“...and stay alert with all perseverance....” (v. 18)

“Now He told them a parable on the need for them to pray always and not give up.” (Luke 18:1)

“But be alert at all times, praying that you may have strength to escape all these things that are going to take place....” (Luke 21:36)

“Devote yourselves to prayer; stay alert in it with thanksgiving.” (Col. 4:2, see also Matt. 21:40-41)

4) PRAY . . . for _____.

“...and intercession for all the saints. Pray also for me that the message may be given to me when I open my mouth to make known with boldness the mystery of the gospel. For this I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I might be bold enough to speak about it as I should.” (Eph. 6:18-20)

“...pray for one another....” (James 5:16)

“So Peter was kept in prison, but the church was praying fervently to God for him.” (Acts 12:5)

“Simon, Simon, look out. Satan has asked to sift you like wheat. But I have prayed for you that your faith may not fail.” (Luke 22:31)

“Epaphras, who is one of you, a servant of Christ Jesus, sends you greetings. He is always wrestling for you in his prayers, so that you can stand mature and fully assured in everything God wills.” (Col. 4:12)

“...strive together with me in prayers to God on my behalf.” (Rom. 15:30)

“...We have put our hope in Him that He will deliver us again while you join in helping us by your prayers. Then many will give thanks on our behalf for the gift that came to us through the prayers of many.” (1 Cor. 1:10b-11)

“...for I know that this will turn out for my deliverance through your prayers and the provision of the Spirit of Jesus Christ....” (Phil. 1:19)