

House of Prayer - 3 Shields of God's Protection

When you were scared as a kid, what did you turn to for protection?

Read: Job 1:6-11, Ephesians 4:27, Psalm 139:23-24

How have you found yourself dealing with a hole in your hedge of protection?

When you are under attack from the enemy, first ask, "Did I open a door?" Look at the attitudes of your heart; examine your motives; rehearse what you have said because "out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks."

- Mike Servello

Have you ever found yourself going through a testing that God allowed? What was the result? Who determines that?

In the sermon Kelly said, "In every situation we are called to trust in the character of the God who loves you." Why is this so important for us?

Is this hard or easy for you to do?

Read: Colossians 1:13-14, Revelation 1:4-5, Revelation 1:4-5

What do these verses tell us about how the Blood of Jesus protects us?

Read: Zephaniah 3:17, Psalm 18:19, Psalm 147:11, Revelation 8:15, Genesis 15:1, Galatians 3:29

How have you found God the Father protecting you?

Read: Psalm 91:9-13, Hebrews 1:14, Exodus 23:20, Psalm 34:7, 2 Kings 19:35-36

The Angels of God are given to serve Him and protect us! We aren't given direction to command the angels, but to trust that God uses them to watch over us. Does this increase your faith? Why or Why not?

Use these shields, but add to them perseverance...

Read: 2 Thessalonians 3:13, Hebrews 12:1-2, Philippians 3:14

Why is perseverance such an important piece of remaining in the protection of the Lord?

How does all of this affect how you pray?

How can we pray for each other?