



The Belt of Truth

Ephesians 6:14a

1. The _____

The very elemental aspect of what holds it all together is: truth. Truth is the substance of your Christian life, it is the reality of all that we believe. We must understand, no one will ever be saved through a lie.

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." ~ John 14:6

2. The _____

Everything attaches to the belt. It was the support for a soldier's sword, he used it to attach his pack, his shield would hang on it till needed. Truth is the structural support for our very Christian life.

Everyone who comes to me and hears my words and does them, I will show you what he is like: he is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid the foundation on the rock. ~ Luke 6:47-48a

3. The _____

Entering into battle, a Roman soldier would tuck his loose-fitting garments into his belt and be ready to face the enemy. Beloved, God's strategy is that you are girded up with truth and are prepared for spiritual combat.

Therefore, preparing your minds for action, and being sober-minded, set your hope fully on the grace that will be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ~ 1 Peter 1:13

2 Corinthians 13:8

For we cannot do anything against the truth, but only for the truth.



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Additional Scripture References
(And Rabbit Trails Bible Study)

Isaiah 45:19

"I did not speak in secret, in a land of darkness; I did not say to the offspring of Jacob, 'Seek me in vain.' I the Lord speak the truth; I declare what is right."

John 17:17

"Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth."

Psalms 86:11

Teach me your way, O Lord, that I may walk in your truth; unite my heart to fear your name.

John 16:13

When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come.

2 Peter 1:12

Therefore I intend always to remind you of these qualities, though you know them and are established in the truth that you have.

1 Corinthians 3:11

For no one can lay a foundation other than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ.

Jeremiah 9:3

They bend their tongue like a bow; falsehood and not truth has grown strong in the land; for they proceed from evil to evil, and they do not know me, declares the Lord.

Amos 5:10

They hate him who reproves in the gate, and they abhor him who speaks the truth.

Luke 12:35

"Stay dressed for action and keep your lamps burning."