Conclusion





A DEVOTED LIFE

Understanding and Expecting Opposition

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Text: Ephesians 1:16–23

Introduction

"16 Cease not to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers; 17 That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of him: 18 The eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that ye may know what is the hope of his calling, and what the riches of the glory of his inheritance in the saints, 19 And what is the exceeding greatness of his power to us-ward who believe, according to the working of his mighty power, 20 Which he wrought in Christ, when he raised him from the dead, and set him at his own right hand in the heavenly places, 21 Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come: 22 And hath put all things under his feet, and gave him to be the head over all things to the church, 23 Which is his body, the fulness of him that filleth all in all."

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EPHESIAN 5:8 8 For ye were sometimes da walk as children of light:	rkness, but now are ye light in the Lord:
•	st flesh and blood, but against rs, against the rulers of the darkness of wickedness in high places.
God, Help Me	in the Fight
	e these things; and follow after with, love, patience, meekness. 12 Fight the

ROMANS 7:23

But I see another law in my members, warring against the law of my mind, and bringing me into captivity to the law of sin which is in my members.

EPHESIANS 6:10

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. 11 Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to

stand against the wiles of the devil. 12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness.			
n high places. 13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of Go hat ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done al o stand. 14 Stand therefore,			
od, Help Me	to the Wi		
2 TIMOTHY 2:3 3 Thou therefore endure hardness, as a good	d soldier of Jesus Chris		
2 TIMOTHY 4:5 5 But watch thou in all things, endure afflict evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry.	tions, do the work of an		
JAMES 5:10–11 10 Take, my brethren, the prophets, who have of the Lord, for an example of suffering affl. 11 Behold, we count them happy which endupatience of Job, and have seen the end of the very pitiful, and of tender mercy.	iction, and of patience. ure . Ye have heard of th		