

SPIRITUAL WARFARE

“Battle Stations, Part 2”

Ephesians 6:10-18 (NKJV)

¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might.

¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. ¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.

¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

¹⁴ Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness, ¹⁵ and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace; ¹⁶ above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one.

¹⁷ And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; ¹⁸ praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints—

Main Idea: In the midst of spiritual warfare, stand strong!

1. We need to know our enemy!

2. We need the Lord's strength!

3. We need the Lord's armor! (vs 11, 13)

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A. The Belt vs 14

B. The Breastplate vs 14

Matthew 15:18-19 Proverbs 4:23

C. The Shoes vs 15

D. The Shield vs 16

E. The Helmet vs 17

4. We need the Lord's weapons! (vs 17)

A. The Sword vs 17

“The Bible as a whole is an armory from which to select swords for specific battles”.
David Jeremiah

B. The Prayer vs 18

“A Christian who has no conflict is a Christian who has retreated from the front lines of service”.
John MacArthur