

## THE WORTHY WALK AMIDST SPIRITUAL WARFARE Pt. 3 (Ephesians 6:14)

### II. GOD'S WORTHY CONDUCT FOR THE CHURCH BY HIS SPIRIT (Ephesians 4-6)

#### A. Your SPIRITUAL WALK. (4:1- 6:9)

#### B. Your SPIRITUAL WARFARE. (6:10-24)

1. **The Believer's ENABLEMENT. (6:10)** *Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might.*
2. **The Believer's ENGAGEMENT. (6:11a)** *Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand...*
3. **The Believer's ENEMIES. (6:11b -12)** *Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 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.*
4. **The Believer's EXHORTATION. (6:13)** *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. Stand therefore...*
5. **The Believer's EQUIPMENT / ARMOR. (6:14-20)**

- **Some general observations about the whole armor of God:**

- 1) The exhortations of 6:10, 11, and 13 relate to \_\_\_\_\_ God has provided.
- 2) All believers are to \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ the whole armor of God regardless of what stage of \_\_\_\_\_ they are at or \_\_\_\_\_ they have been saved.
- 3) There are \_\_\_\_ pieces of armor along with a \_\_\_\_\_ that describe the believer's resources in this spiritual battle. All are needed! (6:14-18)
- 4) Verses 14-16 contain a series of \_\_\_\_\_ that precede the action of the main verb – \_\_\_\_\_, followed by an \_\_\_\_\_ in vs.17. These explain what is necessary to be ready or prepared for battle.

- **The whole armor of God that He has provided for every believer includes the ...**

a. \_\_\_\_\_ - which refers to the doctrines and truths of the Bible.(6:14)

- Why was the "belt" so important to the Roman soldier?

- What can we observe about the phrase “*with truth*”?
- Ephesians 1:13, 4:15, 4:21, 4:25, 5:9, 6:14
- What are Satan’s relationships regarding God’s “truth”?
  - 1) Satan works to \_\_\_\_\_, or to \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Mark 4:15; 2 Thess.3:1-2)
  - 2) Satan \_\_\_\_\_ the truth, and replaces it with \_\_\_\_\_. (Gen. 3:4-5)
  - 3) Satan \_\_\_\_\_ the truth to misrepresent it or mistake its meaning.  
(Matthew 4:5; 2 Peter 3:16)
  - 4) Satan seeks to encourage \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to the truth.
- How is the “truth” viewed in our day by the world?
- How is the “truth” too often viewed by the church?
- Is sound doctrine really that important to grasp and value?
- What is needed if you are going to be victorious in this spiritual battle?
- How important is learning and responding to the Word of God to you?
- Are you standing for Jesus Christ in the evil day?
- Some closing verse to remember: