

# Put on the Full Armor of God - Ephesians 6

## Truth

Put on the belt of Truth

### God is truth

- The Lord is abundant in goodness and truth [Exodus 34:6](#)
- God of truth, just and right, without iniquity [Deut. 32:4](#)
- God's truth endures forever [Psalm 100:5; 117:2](#)

### Jesus is truth

- Jesus is the way, the truth and the life [John 14:6](#)
- The Word (Jesus) became flesh- full of grace and truth [John 1:14](#)
- The truth is in Jesus [Ephesians 4:21](#)
- Grace and truth came by Jesus [John 1:17](#)

### The Spirit is truth

- The Holy Spirit (the Helper) is the Spirit of Truth [John 14:16-17; 15:26](#)
- The Spirit of Truth will guide you in all truth [John 16:13](#)
- Walk as children of the - the fruit of the light is goodness, righteousness and truth [Ephesians 5:8-9](#)

### The test of truth: Jesus Christ is fully man and fully God

- Jesus Christ came in the flesh [1 John 4:2](#)
- Jesus is the Son of God [1 John 5:5-6](#)
- Confess Jesus [1 John 4:3](#)
- Spirit of Truth vs spirit of error [1 John 4:6](#)

### Thy Word is truth

- The Word of God is truth/ we are sanctified by truth [John 17:17-19](#)
- Be a workman who accurately speaks the word of truth [2 Timothy 2:15](#)

### The gospel is truth

- God desires all men to be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth [1 Timothy 2:4](#)
- The truth will make you free [John 8:32](#)
- The truth - the gospel of salvation [Ephesians 1:13](#)
- The word of the truth of the gospel [Colossians 1:5](#)

### We must worship in truth

- God must be worshipped in spirit and truth [John 4:23-24](#)
- Fear the Lord and serve Him in truth [1 Samuel 12:24](#)

### We must speak the truth

- Speak truth in love to each other [Ephesians 4:15, 25](#)
- Walk uprightly, work righteousness and speak the truth in your heart [Psalm 15:2](#)

### We must desire to walk in truth

- We must desire truth in our inward parts [Psalm 51:6](#)
- We will walk in truth and fear Your name [Psalm 86:11](#)

### God's commandments are truth

- All the commandments are truth [Psalm 119:151](#)

### The fruit of the Spirit is truth

- The fruit of the Spirit is goodness, righteousness and truth [Ephesians 5:9](#)

## Righteousness

Put on the breastplate of Righteousness

### A blessing for pursuing righteousness

- Blessed are those who hunger and thirst after righteousness for they shall be filled [Matthew 5:6](#)
- Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake [Matthew 5:10](#)

### Seek righteousness

- Seek God's righteousness [Matthew 6:33](#)
- Yield oneself to righteousness, not to sin [Romans 6:13](#)
- One becomes a slave to that which they obey either sin or righteousness [Romans 6:16-20](#)
- Flee sin and follow righteousness [1 Timothy 6:11; 2:22](#)
- Yield oneself to righteousness, not to sin [Romans 6:13](#)
- If Christ is in you, the Spirit is alive because of righteousness [Romans 8:10](#)
- We must die to sin and live to righteousness [1 Peter 2:24](#)

### God's righteousness revealed in the gospel

- I am not ashamed of the gospel for in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith [Romans 1:16-17](#)

### Jesus Christ is righteous

- Jesus had to be righteous to remove our sins [Romans 3:25-26](#)
- Jesus is faithful, true and righteous [Revelation 19:11](#)

### Believers have a righteous standing before God

- Believers are imputed with the gift of righteousness [Romans 5:17](#)
- Grace reigns through righteousness to eternal life [Romans 5:21](#)
- A person believes resulting in righteousness [Romans 10:9-10](#)
- Christ's took on our sin so that we might have the righteousness of God [2 Corinthians 5:21](#)
- Not of righteousness of our own but through faith in Jesus Christ [Philippians 3:9](#)
- Not by our righteousness but by His mercy [Titus 3:5](#)

### Discipline yields the fruit of righteousness

- Discipline is sorrowful but yields the fruit of righteousness [Hebrews 12:11](#)

### The weapon of righteousness

- Use the weapon of righteousness [2 Corinthians 6:7](#)
- Put on righteousness like a breastplate [Isaiah 59:17](#)

### Righteousness: the fruit of the Holy Spirit

- For the fruit of the Spirit is righteousness and truth [Ephesians 5:9](#)

### Scripture is to instruct us in righteousness

- All scripture is profitable for instruction in righteousness [2 Timothy 3:16](#)

### Crown of righteousness

- A crown of righteousness for those who love His appearing [2 Timothy 4:8](#)

## Gospel of Peace

Shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace

### We are commanded to preach the gospel

- Go into all the world and preach the gospel [Mark 16:15](#)
- Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them and teaching them [Matthew 28:18-20](#)

### We are not ashamed of the gospel

- For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation [Romans 1:16](#)
- Do not be ashamed of the testimony of our Lord but join with me in suffering for the gospel according to the power of God [2 Timothy 1:8](#)

### Satan has blinded the minds of those who don't believe the gospel

- The god of this world has blinded the minds of those who don't believe lest the light of the gospel would shine on them [2 Corinthians 4:4](#)

### The gospel is the message of truth

- After listening to the message of the truth, the gospel of your salvation, you believed and you were sealed in Jesus with the Holy Spirit of promise [Ephesians 1:13](#)
- The hope laid up in heaven of the word of truth, the gospel [Colossians 1:5](#)

### Boldly proclaim the gospel

- Pray that utterance be given to me in opening my mouth to boldly proclaim the gospel [Ephesians 6:19-20](#)
- We had the boldness in our God to speak to you the gospel of God amid much opposition [1 Thessalonians 2:2](#)

### Proclaim the gospel in power, in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction

- Our gospel did not come to you in word only but in power, and in the Holy Spirit and with full conviction [1 Thessalonians 1:5](#)

### Eternal destruction waits for those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel

- The Lord will be revealed from heaven to deal retribution to those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel [2 Thessalonians 1:7-9](#)
- What will be the outcome of those who do not obey the gospel of God - if it is with difficulty that the righteous is saved, what will become of the Godless man and the sinner? [1 Peter 4:17-18](#)

## Salvation

The helmet of salvation

### Put on the hope of salvation

- Put on the helmet, the hope of salvation [1 Thessalonians 5:8](#)
- Put on a helmet of salvation on your head [Isaiah 59:17](#)

## Faith

Take the shield of faith to extinguish the flaming arrows of Satan

### Nothing is impossible with faith

- If you have faith as a mustard seed, nothing will be impossible to you [Matthew 17:20-21](#)
- Faith heals [Matthew 9:22, 29; 15:28](#)
- The prayer of faith can save the sick [James 5:15](#)

### Will Jesus find faith at His Coming?

- When the Son of Man comes will He find faith on the earth [Luke 18:8](#)

### We are justified by faith

- A man is justified by faith without deeds [Romans 3:28](#)
- Having been justified by faith we have peace with God [Romans 5:1](#)
- Knowing that a man is not justified by the works of the law but by the faith of Jesus Christ [Galatians 2:16](#)

### Faith comes by hearing the Word of God?

- Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God [Romans 10:17](#)

### Faith is a gift of the Holy Spirit

- To another faith by the same Spirit [1 Corinthians 12:9](#)

### We walk by faith and not by sight

- For we walk by faith and not by sight [2 Corinthians 5:7](#)
- I am crucified with Christ and the life which I now live I live by faith of the Son of God [Galatians 2:20](#)
- Put on the breastplate of faith and love and the helmet, the hope of salvation [1 Thessalonians 5:8](#)
- Let us draw near to God with a full assurance of faith [Hebrews 10:22](#)
- The just shall live by faith [Hebrews 10:38](#)
- Faith is the assurance of our hope know an invisible God created a visible earth [Hebrews 11:1, 3](#)

### Testing of our faith produces endurance

- The testing of our faith produces endurance [James 1:3-4](#)
- The proof of your faith is more precious than gold [1 Peter 1:7](#)

## Word of God

Take the sword of the Spirit

### The Bible is our food for living

- Man shall not live by bread alone but my every word that proceeds from the mouth of God [Matthew 4:4, Luke 4:4](#)

### Faith comes from hearing the Word of God

- Faith comes from hearing and hearing by the Word of God [Romans 10:17](#)

### The worlds were created by the Word of God

- The worlds were created by the Word of God [Hebrews 11:3](#)

### The Word of God endures forever

- But the Word of God endures forever [1 Peter 1:25](#)

## Prayer

Pray at all times in the Spirit

### Pray for your enemies

- Pray for those who persecute you [Matthew 5:44](#)

### Pray to God the Father

- Our Father who is in heaven... [Matthew 6:5-13; Luke 11:2-4](#)

### Pray so you will not fall into temptation

- Watch and pray that you will not fall into temptation, the spirit is willing but the flesh is weak [Matthew 26:41; Luke 22:40, 46](#)

### Pray with faith

- Whatever you pray and ask, believe that you will receive them [Mark 11:24](#)

### Pray together

- Many were gathered together praying [Acts 12:12](#)

### Ephesians 1:15-19 prayer

- That God may give *me* a spirit of wisdom
- That God may reveal to *me* the knowledge of Him
- That the eyes of *my* heart may be opened
- That *I* may know the hope of His calling
- That *I* may know the riches of the glory of His inheritance
- That *I* may know the surpassing greatness of His power

### Ephesians 3:14-19 prayer

- That *I* may be strengthened with power through His Spirit
- That Christ may dwell in *my* heart through faith
- That *I* may be rooted and grounded in love
- That *I* may comprehend what is the breadth, length, height and depth of Christ
- That *I* may know the love of Christ
- That *I* may be filled with the fullness of God

### Philippians 1:3-11 prayer

- That *my* love may abound in knowledge and discernment
- That *I* may approved the things which are excellent in order to be sincere and blameless
- That *I* may be filled with the fruit of righteousness through Jesus Christ to the glory and praise of God

### Colossians 1:9-12 prayer

- That *I* may be filled in the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding
- That *I* may walk in a manner worthy of the Lord
- That *I* may glorify Him in all respects
- That *I* may bear fruit in every good work
- That *I* may increase in the knowledge of God
- That *I* may be strengthened with all power by His might
- That *I* attain to all steadfastness and patience joyously
- That *I* may give thanks to the Father

### 1 Thessalonians 3:11-13 prayer

- That *I* may increase and abound in love for all men
- That the Lord may establish *my* heart unblameable and holy