

In Christ: Spiritual Warfare (Part 2)  
"Armed for Battle" - Eph 6:10-20

THE REAL ENEMY - Eph 6:11,12

- "Our Battle Is Not with Flesh and Blood" - Gen 3:15; Eph 6:12; I Cor 2:14
  - ...it is with the devil and his schemes - Eph 6:11; Matt 24:4; I Jo 3:7
  - ...mischaracterization (II Cor 11:14)... accusation (Rev 12:10)... maligning God's goodness (Gen 3:1-5)...  
Lying (Jo 8:44)... peddling fear (II Tim 1:7)
- An "Anti-Christ" spirit - I Jo 2:22
  - ..."Not Thy will, but mine!" - Matt 26:39

THE CHRISTIAN'S VICTORY - Phil 4:12,13; Ro 8:37

- We Have the Dynamic, Energizing, Operational Ability of Christ - Eph 6:10; 1:18-19
  - ...according to the power of Indestructible Life - Heb 7:16; I Jo 4:4; II Cor 2:14; Ro 8:37
- We Have the Full Armor of God - Eph 6:13-18
  - ✓ Girded with Truth - Eph 6:13
    - When we stand in what God says, no enemy can enslave us - Jo 8:32,36; II Cor 3:17
  - ✓ Covered in Righteousness - Eph 6:14
    - When we stand in the righteousness of Christ the devil's accusations find no place to land - Ro 3:24;  
II Cor 5:21; Ro 8:1
  - ✓ Standing Upright in Peace - Eph 6:15
    - When we stand in our peace with God and the peace of God we are not easily shaken - Eph 2:14;  
Ro 5:1; Phil 4:8; Ps 62:1-2
  - ✓ Shielded with Faith - Eph 6:16
    - When we stand in the faithfulness of Christ and our faith in Him we extinguish every un-Christ-like idea  
- Ga 2:20; Ro 6:12; I Jo 5:4,5
  - ✓ Helmeted with Salvation - Eph 6:17
    - When we stand in the mind of Christ - intelligence fueled by love - the devil cannot make use of  
God's love for his purposes - Ro 8:35ff; I Cor 2:16; I Jo 4:18; Eph 6:26
  - ✓ Armed with the Living Word of God - Eph 6:17; Jo 6:63
    - When we stand submitted to the words that Spirit of God brings to life in us, the devil flees - Ja 4:7;  
Lk 4:13; I Pet 5:8-10