Suit Up for Battle - The Warrior and His Combat - A Workshop David Hinds

Ephesians 6:10-18

The Armor of God 10 Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. 11 Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes. 12 For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. 13 Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. 14 Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, 15 and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. 16 In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. 17 Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. 18 And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.

Verse 10

What is the first command?

Verse 11-12

What is the second command?

Who is our enemy?

1 Peter 5: 8-9

Do we have sufficient power to win this battle?

Ephesians 1: 17-21

Verse 13

What is repeated?

Why do we put on our armor?

How did Paul know so much about armor? Acts 28: 16, 30

Verse 14, the Belt of Truth

John 1: 14-17

John 17: 17

1 Corinthians 2: 13

2 Timothy 2: 15

The Breastplate of Righteousness

Definition of Breastplate

Ecclesiastes 4: 9-12

Definition of Righteousness

Question: This is a diagnostic: am I as I should be? How vulnerable am to attack?

Verse 15

Shoes of Readiness

What is the gospel of peace?

Romans 15: 13 What is God's part?

What is our part?

Romans 15: 4-6

Verse 16

Shield of Faith

What do we know about this particular shield?

What is faith? Hebrews 11: 1-3, 6

Name some "flaming arrows"

Verse 17

Helmet of Salvation 2 Corinthians 5: 17

Sword of the Spirit

What does the sword look like?

What are two things we can use the sword against?

John 14: 26

Weapons of War: 2 Corinthians 10: 3-5

How? We speak

, found in the

as explained to us by the

Surgeons scalpel: Hebrews 4: 12-13

Verse 18

What is our other weapon?

What two things are required for use