

THE ARMOR OF GOD

LESSON 3

THE SHIELD OF FAITH

EPHESIANS 6:10-18

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IN BATTLE FOR THE SOULS OF MEN

CANNOT WIN ALONE

Strong in the strength of the Lord

ARMOR OF GOD

Take up and put on

Full armor

Engaged in battle

SERIES OF LESSONS THIS WEEK

BELT OF TRUTH

BREASTPLATE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

TONIGHT THE SHIELD OF FAITH

Purpose

Construction

Use

PURPOSE

DEVIL IS REAL FOE ATTACKING US

PROTECT AGAINST ARROWS OF ENEMY

Ronald Reagan

QUENCH ALL FIERY DARTS

2 PETER 1:3

His divine power has given us everything we need for life and godliness through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness.

CONSTRUCTION

ROMANS SHIELD

2 feet wide, 6 feet high, 6 inches wide

Plywood linen in between

Animal hide and bronze strips

CURVED

Room inside

Arrows hit at angle bounce off

MAINTAINED

Oil leather or dry out and crack

Soak with water so fire go out

SPIRITUAL SHIELD IS FAITH

HEBREWS 11:1

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

PATON –DEFINITION OF FAITH

HOW DO I OBTAIN FAITH?

STUDY THE WORD ROMANS 10:17

Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ.

GET WORD OF GOD INTO YOU I JN.2:14

and the word of God lives in you, and you have overcome the evil one.

USE IT JAMES 2:17

In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.

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USE YOUR SHIELD

LITTLE WHITE LIE REV.21:8

But the cowardly, the unbelieving, the vile, the murderers, the sexually immoral, those who practice magic arts, the idolaters and all liars--their place will be in the fiery lake of burning sulfur. This is the second death."

BUSINESS ROMANS 12:17

Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody.

ACT LIKE WORLD 1 TIM.4:12

Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity.

STOLEN CAR

GOD NOT THERE HEB.13:5

Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you."

CAN'T BE SURE OF SALVATION 1 JOHN 5:13

I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life.

YOU CANNOT WIN 1 JOHN 4:4

You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

TAKE CARE OF SELF ROMANS 12:10

Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. Honor one another above yourselves.
