

Putting on the Whole Armor of God October Series 2026



The armor of God is a metaphor in the Bible (Ephesians 6:10-18) that describes the spiritual protection, and strength God gives believers to stand firm against temptation, deception, and spiritual conflict. Paul compares spiritual readiness to the gear of a Roman soldier, where each piece represents a vital part of a Christian's faith and character: Living with integrity and anchoring yourself in God's truth rather than worldly deception.

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Ephesians 6:10-18

¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.

¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

¹² For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against power, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

¹³ Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

¹⁴ Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;

¹⁵ And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

¹⁷ And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:

¹⁸ Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;



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Isaiah 11:5

⁵And righteousness shall be the girdle of his loins, and faithfulness the girdle of his reins.

Isaiah 59:17

¹⁷He put on righteousness as a breastplate, and an helmet of salvation upon his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance for war and clothed himself with zeal as a garment.

Psalm 51:6

⁶Thou desirest truth in the inward parts: and in the hidden part thou shalt make me to know wisdom.

Romans 3:21–26

²¹But now the righteousness of God is revealed without law, being witnessed by the law and the prophets,

²²Even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe: for there is no difference:

²³For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

²⁴Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus:

²⁵Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his righteousness for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God;

²⁶To declare, I say, at this time his righteousness: that he might be just, and the justifier of him which believeth in Jesus

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2 Corinthians 5:21

⁵¹ For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might be made the righteousness of God in him.

Philippians 3:8-9

⁸ Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ,

⁹ And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith:

