

SECURITY MEASURES

Part 7: Shield of Faith

Text: Ephesians 6:10-13 NKJV

WE NEED GOD'S ARMOR

- A. Armor tells us what we stand against (***Ephesians 6:14-15 NKJV***)
 - 1. This is insight into what the strategies of the enemy are in our lives
 - 2. Belt of truth (***1Timothy 4:1 NKJV***)
 - 3. Breastplate of righteousness (***Romans 5:1 NKJV***)
 - 4. Shoes of peace (***John 14:27 NKJV***)

SHIELD OF FAITH (***Ephesians 6:16 NKJV***)

- A. God's shield gives us the ability to stand against
 - 1. We take it up ourselves
 - 2. With the shield of faith we can quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one
- B. What faith is (***Hebrews 11:1 NKJV***)
 - 1. "And faith is of things hoped for a confidence, of matters not seen a conviction".
Young's Literal
 - 2. "Faith perceiving as real fact what is not revealed to the senses". Amplified Classic
- C. Believing and acting (***John 4:46-53 NKJV***)
 - 1. The nobleman believed Jesus could heal his son
 - 2. He (nobleman) had some courage about him
 - 3. He was not easily discouraged
 - 4. He believed the word Jesus spoke to him
 - 5. The nobleman had a 16+ mile walk of faith - perceiving as fact what was not revealed to his senses