- 1. The enemy is seeking to destroy us. <u>1 Peter 5:8</u>.
- 2. <u>Ephesians 6:10-13</u> Put on the whole armor of God because the power of evil is too great for us to withstand.
- 3. Ephesians 6:14: Loins girt about with truth...
 - "All intentional overstatement, every hint or insinuation calculated to convey an erroneous or exaggerated impression, even the statement of facts in such a manner as to mislead, is falsehood." (Patriarchs and Prophets, Page 309)
 - John 17:17: "Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth."
 - John 14:6: Jesus said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me."
 - <u>2 Timothy 2:15:</u> "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing(explaining) the word of truth."
- 4. Ephesians 6:14: The Breast plate of righteousness...
 - When we "confess our sins, He is faithful and just to [not only] forgive us our sins [but also] to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" <u>1 John 1:9</u>
 - Luke 22:42-45: Example of angels ministering to Jesus as He surrendered...
 - 1 Corinthians 10:13: God limit's how far the devil can go to temp us...
- 5. Ephesians 6:15: And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace
 - <u>Revelation 12:11</u> "they overcame [not only] by the blood of the Lamb, [but also] by the word of their testimony..."
 - <u>James 1:6-7:</u> "Ask in faith, nothing wavering. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed. Let not that man think that he will receive any thing of the Lord."
 - Jesus said... verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, you... [will be able to move] mountain[s]... and nothing shall be impossible unto you" (<u>Matthew 17:20</u>).
- 6. <u>Ephesians 6:17:</u> And take **the helmet of salvation**
 - Jesus said, "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled" (<u>Matt. 5:6</u>).
 - Basics of salvation: <u>Romans 3:22-27; Romans 4:5,24; Romans 5:1,2,5,6,8-11</u>
- 7. Ephesians 6:17: It is the sword of the Spirit the word of God
 - "All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:" (<u>2 Timothy 3:16</u>).
 - Philippians 4:13: "I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me."
- 8. <u>Ephesians 6:18:</u> **Praying always** with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints.
 - "...pray for each other so that you may be healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results. (James 5:16).