

reWIND reVIEW ... 1<sup>st</sup> Piece of God's Armor for Believers - **Belt of TRUTH** (v14a)  
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3<sup>rd</sup> Piece of God's Armor for Believers - **Feet Protected** by the **GOSPEL of PEACE** (v15)  
4<sup>th</sup> Piece of God's Armor for Believers - **Shield of FAITH** (v16)  
5<sup>th</sup> Piece of God's Armor for Believers - **Helmet of Salvation** (v17a):  
6<sup>th</sup> Piece of God's Armor for Believers - **Sword of the SPIRIT** (v17b):

As Kingdom Warriors, we must \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ **use** the *Sword of the Spirit* in our **battles** w/Satan!  
A sword unused will become **rusty, dull** and **pitted**. **Proverbs 27:17** <sup>ESV</sup>, **Hebrews 5:13-14** <sup>NLT</sup>

Understand, they'll be **times of real** \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ along our **life journey** – when \_\_\_\_\_ will even seem \_\_\_\_\_. It's at these **critical moments** that we become a more strategic \_\_\_\_\_ to our adversary, **Satan!**

**Revelation 12:12** <sup>NKJV</sup>, **John 10:10**, **1 Peter 5:8** <sup>NLT</sup>

"**Devil**" means "\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_" and **John 8:44** calls Satan the "\_\_\_\_\_ of lies."  
The **ONLY** way to \_\_\_\_\_ the enemy's lies / half-truths is by using the **Sword of Truth (God's Holy Word)**!  
**Proverbs 30:5-6** <sup>NLT</sup>, **Deuteronomy 4:2** <sup>NLT</sup>

The \_\_\_\_\_ & **PROMISES** of **God's Word** are \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_! **1 Peter 1:23-25** <sup>Amplified</sup>, **Isaiah 55:11**

A major point of Biblical Truth in Battle Tactics in Spiritual Warfare with our Enemy, Satan ... **James 4:7**

"\_\_\_\_\_ **to God**" - stop fighting & surrender fully to the Lord as our ultimate and final authority over our lives by obeying His Word and His Spirit's directing us in our life journey. **Proverbs 3:5-7**

"**resist**" comes from the Greek word meaning "to **defensively** \_\_\_\_\_ / to \_\_\_\_\_ / to \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ **an act or operation.**" **Ephesians 6:13-18**, **1 Peter 5:8-9a**

"**Resisting the devil**" must always be \_\_\_\_\_ by our "**submitting to God**" **fully / completely / humbly**.  
A disobedient or unsubmitive believer will **not** see \_\_\_\_\_ in their battles with sin and Satan / darkness!

**No** \_\_\_\_\_ in one's sheath=**no** \_\_\_\_\_ **in you** = **no** \_\_\_\_\_ = an **easy** \_\_\_\_\_ @ the hands of our enemy!

The **Sword of the Spirit** is **both** a \_\_\_\_\_ **weapon** to defend against Satan's fiery darts / flaming arrows attacks **AND** an \_\_\_\_\_ **weapon** to preemptively attack the enemy **before** he attacks us!

Why will "**resistance**" **cause** the **devil to flee**? Because Satan knows he **cannot** have \_\_\_\_\_ over us if we are truly \_\_\_\_\_ to do battle against him with ALL of God's weaponry & spiritual authority (**Luke 10:19-20**).  
**1 Corinthians 16:13**

**James 4:8** - One of the greatest ways to draw near to God is spend quality \_\_\_\_\_ in coming to know His Holy Word which, in turns, allows us to get to know the Word (Jesus Christ) and ourselves as well!  
**Colossians 3:16a** <sup>Amplified</sup>, **John 15:4**

A **strong, divine** \_\_\_\_\_ **from His Word** ... **Ephesians 4:27** <sup>Amplified</sup>

A **closing note of Biblical truth** ... **Are Christians Biblically called to** "\_\_\_\_\_ and/or \_\_\_\_\_ **Satan and his demons?**" **Zechariah 3:2**, **Jude 1:9**, **Hosea 4:6**, **Ephesians 6:13**

What we are clearly told / commanded to do as Christians through God's Word is to (**James 4:7-8**)...  
**submit fully (completely) to God, resist the devil** and **draw ever closer to God!**  
So let's simply obey that command and watch the enemy flee just as His Word promises he will!

**A<sup>3</sup> (Accept, Apply & Act)**