

Putting on the Armor from God

- The Christian life: thought—counter thought.
 - A mental process.
- A.** Take Satan seriously (1 Pet. 5:8-9).
- a. Be sober/serious.
 - b. Be vigilant/alert, awake.
 - c. Resist/stand against by the faith.
- B.** Follow God's provision (Jam. 4:7).
- a. Submit for benefits to God, *cf.* "in Lord".
 - b. Keep being empowered with inherent power (Eph. 6:10).
 - a) Know, v. 6; believe, v. 8, reckon v. 11, yield v. 13 (Romans Chapter 11).
 - b) Frame mind (Col. 3:1-2).
 - c) Be being filled by the Spirit (Eph. 5:18).
- C.** Use gained experiential knowledge (Eph. 6:10).
- a. Be empowered by His manifest strength.
 - b. Use experience of victory over flesh as evidence Satan will be defeated.
- D.** Use the enduement from Him (Eph. 6:10).
- a. Put on the whole armor.
 - b. Stand, then stand against (Eph. 6:11, 13).
 - c. Use armor only when attacked (Eph. 6:13).
- E.** Using enabling from God (the armor), Satan will flee (Jam. 4:7)