Put on the Whole Armor of God

Ephesians 6:10-20 (focus on vs 10-13)

This passage teaches us something that is foreign to our modern scientific worldview. There is more to the world around us than we can perceive with our five senses. We learn that we need to be equipped so that we can effectively engage the spiritual forces of evil.

Armor Is Needed to Be Strong in the Lord

"Be Strong – passive verb tense – work of God

God's gracious gifts are sufficient

All – not part

Purpose Is to Stand Against the Schemes of the Devil

Spiritual world and battle are real

Knowing our enemy is important

Christ won the victory so that the battles may be won

Our Battle Orders Are to Stand Firm

Not standing still, but with resolve

Be prepared for temptation and attacks

We are to move forward and gain new ground