

Walk By Principle

Ephesians 6:1-9

What We Learn Now We Will Live Later

A. Learn When A Child (6:1-3)

1. Starts with obedience (6:1)

a. Right action

Colossians 3:20

b. Builds faith

Hebrews 11:8

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Ephesians 6:1-9

What We Learn Now We Will Live Later

A. Learn When A Child (6:1-3) - continued

2. Supported by respect (6:2)

a. Important to God

First interpersonal command

Exodus 20:12

b. Important to us

For your future

1 Timothy 4:8

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What We Learn Now We Will Live Later

A. Learn When A Child (6:1-3) - continued

3. Sustains in life (6:3)

a. Prosperity

Joshua 1:8

b. Prolonged life

Proverbs 10:27

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B. Lead When A Parent (6:4)

1. Give them a chance to learn

Colossians 3:21

2. Give them instruction

Deuteronomy 11:19

3. Give them direction

Proverbs 22:6

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C. Labor When A Worker (6:5-9)

1. With intent (6:5)

a. With humility

Ephesians 5:21

b. With heart

Colossians 3:23

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C. Labor When A Worker (6:5-9) - continued

2. With integrity (6:6-8)

a. With honesty (v 6)

Colossians 3:22

2 Thessalonians 3:10

b. With helpfulness (v 7)

Hebrews 13:16

c. With hope (v 8)

Galatians 6:8-9

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C. Labor When A Worker (6:5-9) - continued

3. With insight (6:9)

a. Following Christ's example

John 13:14-15

b. Following Christ's expectation

James 2:1

Learn To Live

Learn To Lead

Learn To Labor

Matthew 11:29

Walk In God
Ephesians 6:10-24

Walking In God IS Winning With God

I. The Action To Take (6:10-13)

A. The request – to be strong (6:10)

Ephesians 6:10

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.

Joshua 1:9

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the LORD thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

I. The Action To Take (6:10-13)

B. The requirements – to be equipped (6:11)

Ephesians 6:11

Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

1. Put on

Romans 13:14

But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make not provision for the flesh, to fulfil the lusts thereof.

1 Corinthians 16:13

Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.

I. The Action To Take (6:10-13)

B. The requirements – to be equipped (6:11)

Ephesians 6:11

Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

2. Every piece needed

Colossians 2:10

And ye are complete in him, which is the head of all principality and power:

3. Ability to stand

Philippians 4:13

I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

I. The Action To Take (6:10-13)

C. The reason – there is opposition (6:12)

Ephesians 6:12

For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

Daniel 10:20

Then said he, Knowest thou wherefore I come unto thee? and now will I return to fight with the prince of Persia: and when I am gone forth, lo, the prince of Grecia shall come.

I. The Action To Take (6:10-13)

D. The result – victory (6:13)

Ephesians 6:13

Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

Luke 6:47-48

47 Whosoever cometh to me, and heareth my sayings, and doeth them, I will shew you to whom he is like:

48 He is like a man which built an house, and digged deep, and laid the foundation on a rock: and when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently upon that house, and could not shake it: for it was founded upon a rock.

II. The Armor To Wear (6:14-17)

A. Allows you to stand (6:14)

Ephesians 6:14

Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;

Ephesians 4:21

If so be that ye have heard him, and have been taught by him, as the truth is in Jesus:

2 Corinthians 6:7

By the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armour of righteousness on the right hand and on the left,

II. The Armor To Wear (6:14-17)

B. Allows you to step out (6:15)

Ephesians 6:15

And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

Romans 10:15

And how shall they preach, except they be sent? as it is written, How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings of good things!

II. The Armor To Wear (6:14-17)

C. Allows you to stop the advance of the enemy (6:16)

Ephesians 6:16

Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

1 John 5:4

For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.

II. The Armor To Wear (6:14-17)

D. Allows you to succeed (6:17)

Ephesians 6:17

And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:

1 Thessalonians 5:8

But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation.

1 John 4: 4

Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

III. The Asking To Make (6:18-24)

A. For boldness (6:18-19)

1. That perseveres (v 18)

Ephesians 6:18

Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

Colossians 4:2

Continue in prayer, and watch in the same with thanksgiving;

1 Thessalonians 5:6

Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober.

III. The Asking To Make (6:18-24)

A. For boldness (6:18-19) - continued

2. That proclaims (v 19)

Ephesians 6:19

And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel,

Romans 1:16

For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.

III. The Asking To Make (6:18-24)

B. For brotherhood (6:21-22)

Ephesians 6:21-22

21 But that ye also may know my affairs, and how I do, Tychicus, a beloved brother and faithful minister in the Lord, shall make known to you all things:

22 Whom I have sent unto you for the same purpose, that ye might know our affairs, and that he might comfort your hearts.

1 Thessalonians 5:11

Wherefore comfort yourselves together, and edify one another, even as also ye do.

III. The Asking To Make (6:18-24)

C. For blessing (6:23-24)

Ephesians 6:23-24

23 Peace be to the brethren, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

24 Grace be with all them that love our Lord Jesus Christ in sincerity. Amen.

Ephesians 1:2-3

2 Grace be to you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

Walk In Victory!!