

THE FULL ARMOR OF GOD



MY NAME IS _____

EPHESIANS 6:10-11

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power.
Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your
stand against the devil's schemes.

PUT ON GOD'S ARMOR

In Ephesians 6:10-18, God says that we are engaged in a war with our enemy, the devil. This war cannot be seen with our eyes, nor can we fight it with our fists. To fight, God has given us a very special armor.

The Armor of God protects us and makes us victorious in this invisible war. This armor is like the armor which superheroes wear to protect themselves from harm. However, ours is much **stronger** and more **powerful** and it protects our spirits! Each time we do what is right, we are wearing God's Armor.

Ephesians 6:11 "Put on the full Armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes*."

As we learn about the Armor of God, we must remember:

- 🛡️ We must wear the full Armor of God **at all times**.
- 🛡️ Our Armor works best when we **wear all the parts together**.
- 🛡️ When we **please God, we wear the Full Armor of God**, for example, worshiping, obeying our parents and praying.



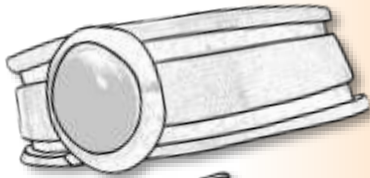
*The Armor of God is my protection!
I will wear it at all times!*

Vocabulary Highlight:

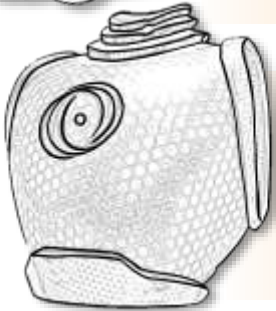
* Schemes (noun) – Naughty tricks or plans.

PARTS OF GOD'S ARMOR

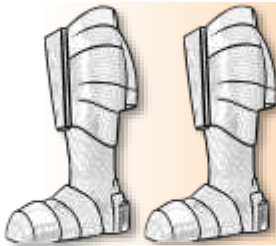
Read Ephesians 6:10-18 and write the verse that names the part of the armor. Color the parts of the armor.



BELT OF TRUTH
Ephesians 6:___



BREASTPLATE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS
Ephesians 6:___



BOOTS OF PEACE
Ephesians 6:___

SHIELD OF FAITH
Ephesians 6:___



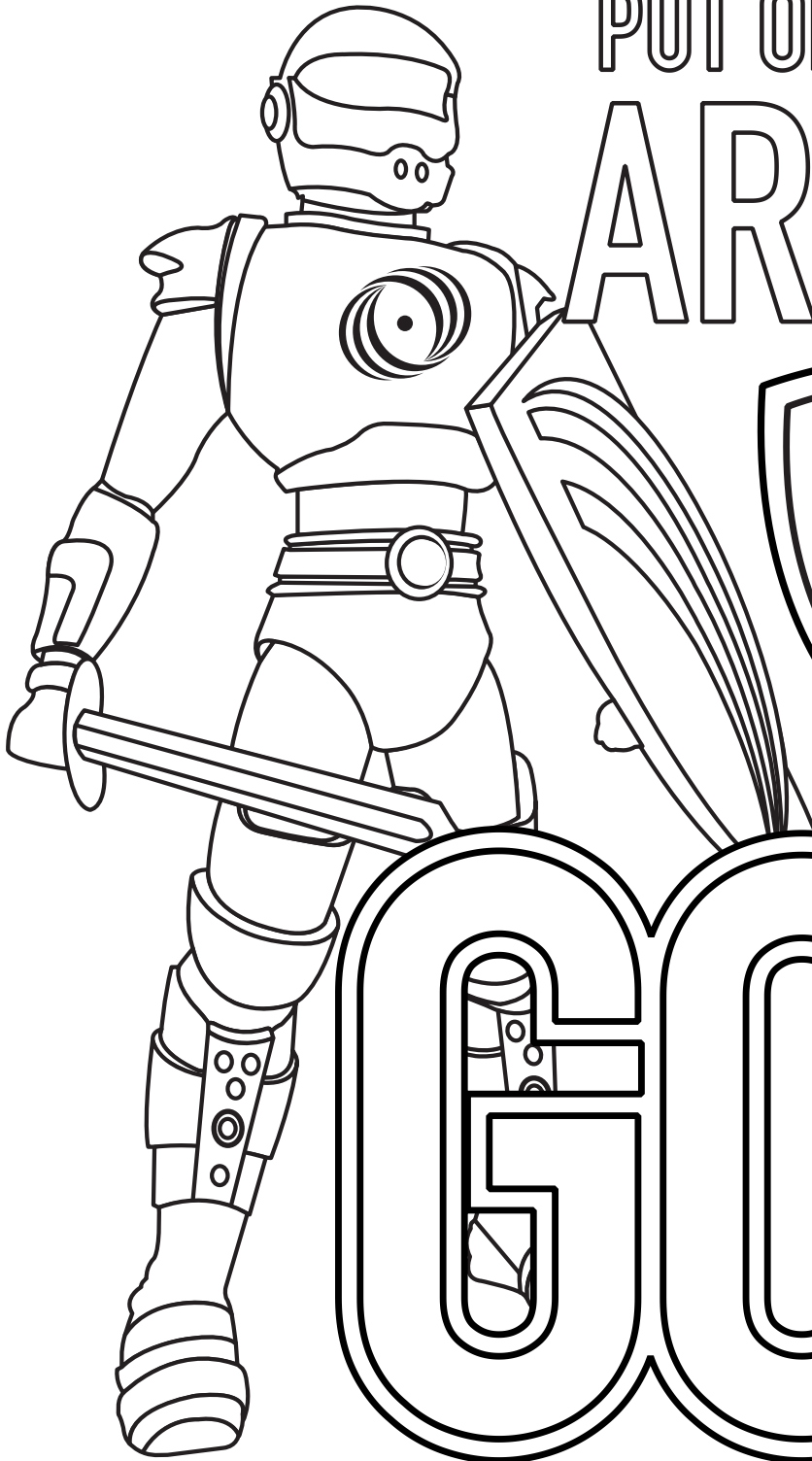
HELMET OF SALVATION
Ephesians 6:___



SWORD OF THE SPIRIT
Ephesians 6:___



PUT ON THE FULL
ARMOR



OF

GOOD

Color and print out the poster! Stick the poster in your room as a reminder to always wear the Armor of God.

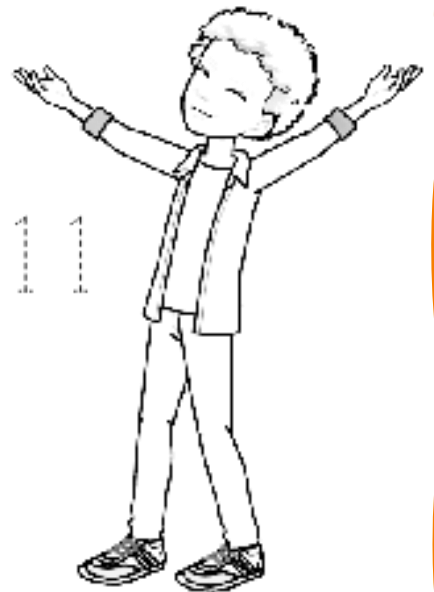
WRITE THE WORD

Read and trace the bible verse below.

Put on the full armor of
God so that you can
take your stand against
the devil's schemes.



Ephesians 6:11



THE ARMOR OF GOD PROTECTS US

Read each scripture and fill in the word to describe the behavior which will ensure you wear your armor correctly.

Draw a line from the scripture to match the correct picture.

Hebrews 13:16

I must H



2 Timothy 2:24

I must not Q E



Philippians 2:14

I must not C



Colossians 3:23

I must be D I L G *



* To be hardworking



PUZZLE TIME

Do you know all the parts of God's armor? Read Ephesians 6:10-18 and fill in the blank spaces in the sentences below. When you have filled in the blank spaces, use your answers to complete the puzzle.

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ACROSS

1. Finally, be _____ in God, and in the strength of His might.

3. We do not wrestle against _____ and blood.

4. Take also the sword of the Spirit which is the _____ of God.

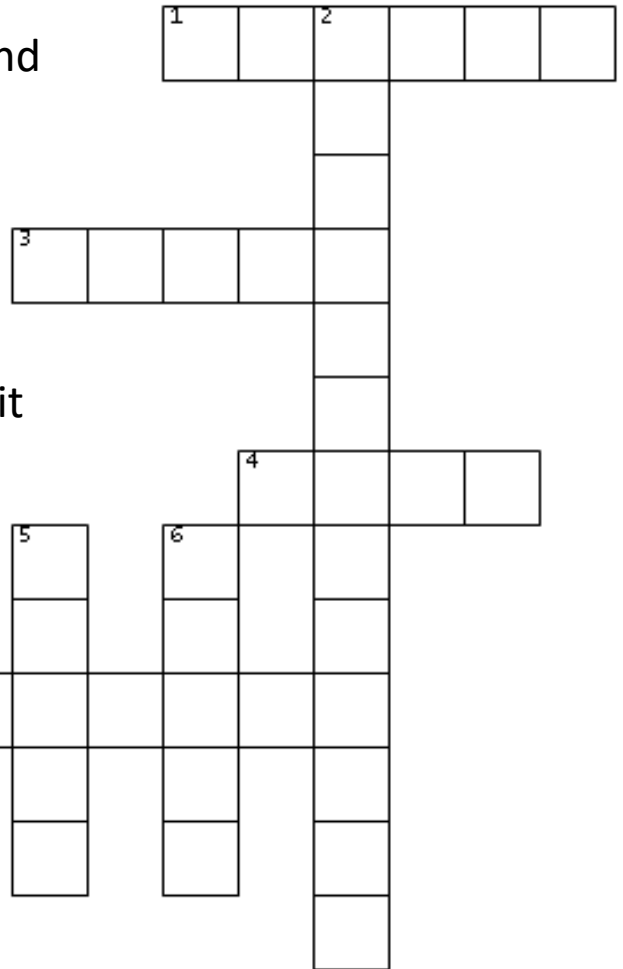
7. Take the helmet of _____.

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2. Put on the breastplate of _____.

5. Have your feet fitted with the gospel of _____.

6. In all circumstances take up the shield of _____.



*I wear God's full
Armor
at all times!*



Answers
Across
1. Strong
2. Righteousness
3. Flesh
4. Word
5. Peace
6. Faith
7. Salvation

LET'S REFLECT

Ephesians 6:12 tells us that our war is not against flesh and blood but fought in the spiritual realm. Our daily choices determine how well we wear our armor. Is there an area in your life where your armor needs to be strengthened such as obeying your parents, watching less television, being focused when worshipping? Think about one area of your life where your armor needs strengthening. Write a prayer, poem, song or you can even draw!

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Pray and ask God to give you strength to always wear your full armor, even when it feels difficult.

ARMOR IN NATURE

Some animals use their armor to protect themselves from predators that try to harm them. Let's watch some videos to learn more about these animals! Click the video icons to watch.



A turtle's shell protect it from predators.



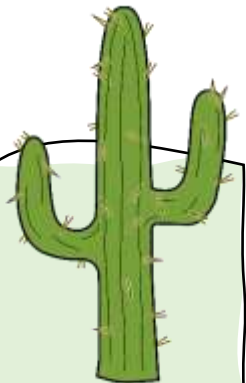
An armadillo is covered in armor! Its name in Spanish means "little armored one".



Porcupines have hidden armor called quills. They launch their quills against predators!



Did you know what even some plants have armor? God has given plants many different ways to protect themselves from animals and insects that try to eat them.



Here's a science experiment that shows how the Armor of God protects us. You can try it with a parent or guardian.

Parents'
Tip #2



Materials Needed:



1. Two Oranges, Portugals, Tangerines or any other citrus
2. Clear bowl of water

SCRIPTURE VERSES FOR REFLECTION



The Word of God is our guide to understand what it means to wear God's Armor. Here are some scriptures which will help to remind you of how to wear your armor. Discuss with a parent or guardian. Use your Armor in Action Journal to write or draw your thoughts.

Ephesians 6:11

Ephesians 6:1

James 4:7

Galatians 6:9

Psalms 34:14

Colossians 1:10

Psalms 119:11

PARENTS' TIPS



Parents' Tip

#1

Have your child declare the parts of the armor as they color them.



Parents' Tip

#2

Explain to your child that God's Armor is just like the peel/skin of an orange. When we put on our armor by doing what is right, we are protected from the enemy schemes.