

Part 5

Ephesians 6:17

Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

2 Samuel 23:9-10

Next to him was Eleazar son of Dodai the Ahohite. As one of the three mighty men, he was with David when they taunted the Philistines gathered at Pas Dammim for battle. Then the men of Israel retreated, 10 but he stood his ground and struck down the Philistines till his hand grew tired and froze to the sword. The Lord brought about a great victory that day. The troops returned to Eleazar, but only to strip the dead.

Psalm 18:34

He trains my hands for battle,

Message notes:

The enemy doesn't want us to see ourselves in the way that _____ is dressing us.

The helmet identifies what _____ you are on.

When you put on the helmet of salvation, you declare _____.

There is no _____ helmet.

We are in a more _____ battle against evil, lies, and fears, than the battles in the Old Testament.

You will get _____ in battle because you have fought against the enemy.

Additional notes:

Discussion Questions:

Have you been experiencing any new attacks from the enemy as you have been putting on the armor of God?

Why is it important to take a side—put on the helmet—and stand for Jesus?

What does your “helmet” say about who you are?

What does it mean for the Father to “train your hands for war”?

What did Jamie mean when he said “the only thing worse than being wounded in battle is not being wounded at all”?

What Bible verses have you learned to rely on as your sword against the enemy?

Ministry Time Questions:

Does anyone need to take a step of faith to acknowledge Jesus as Lord in your life?

Can we pray for anyone who has laid down their sword instead of standing against the enemy that is attacking your life?