

# **“Art of War” Bookmarks pt 2**

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*“Therefore let us leave the elementary teachings about Christ and go on to maturity, not laying again the foundation of repentance from acts that lead to death and of faith in God, instruction about baptisms, the laying on of hands, the resurrection...” Hebrews 6:1-2*

## **Know Your Enemy - Ephesians 6:10-13**

### **1. He LIES to you.**

*“When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies” Jn 8:44*

### **2. He sets TRAPS for you.**

*“...that they will come to their senses and escape from the trap of the devil” 2 Timothy 2:26*

### **3. He distorts your VISION**

*“The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel” 2 Corinthians 4:4*

### **4. Devils plan is ULTIMATE DESTRUCTION**

*“Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour” 1 Peter 5:8*

## **Prepare for Battle - Ephesians 6:14-18**

### **Belt = TRUTH**

*“In fact, for this reason I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone on the side of truth listens to me” John 18:37*

### **Breastplate = RIGHTEOUSNESS**

*“The good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and the evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For out of the overflow of his heart his mouth speaks” Luke 6:45*

*“Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life.” Proverbs 4:23*

### **Shoes = PEACE**

*“to shine on those living in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the path of peace” Luke 1:79*

### **Shield = FAITH**

*“So the churches were strengthened in the faith and grew daily in numbers” Acts 16:5*

### **Helmet = SALVATION**

*“The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet” Romans 16:20*

### **Sword = WORD OF GOD**

*rhema is the spoken word of God*

*“Resist the devil, and he will flee from you” James 4:7*