

The Reality of War

Ephesians 6

Introduction:

- 2 polarizing views of spiritual warfare
- The reality of spiritual warfare
- Matthew 6:13; Luke 22:31-32; John 17:15

I. The Command to Be Strong (v10)

- Living the Christian life requires strength
- Examples of strength:
- 4 areas young Christians tend to lack strength:
 1. P _____
 2. A _____
 3. S _____
 4. D _____
- Our source of strength is the Lord

II. The Challenge to Be Aware (v11-12)

- Tapping into the strength that is available
- “wiles” means...
- Satan and demons are very effective

III. The Call to Be Armed (v13)

- Taking up the whole armor of God

Conclusion:

- Are you standing strong?