

Introduction to Spiritual Warfare
Ephesians 6.10-13

1. **Is this “spiritual warfare” a side skirmish or a serious battle?**
 - a. It requires the strength of the Lord – **vs. 10**
 - b. It requires the “whole armor of God” – **vs. 11**
Isaiah 59.15-17, 11.5
 - c. This battle is against the DEVIL! – **vs. 11**

2. **What are the “schemes of the devil”?**
 - a. Job 1-2 – accusation & attack on family and wealth
 - b. 1 Thessalonians 2.18 – preventing ministry
 - c. Matthew 9.32 & 12.22 – demon possession, sickness
 - d. Revelation 2.18 – imprisonment
 - e. Hebrews 2.14 – death, fear of death
 - f. **2 Corinthians 11.13-15, 1 Timothy 4.1, and 1 John 4.1 – attacks on the truth of God**

3. **Why do we need the “whole armor of God”?**

4. **Who are these rulers & authorities, cosmic powers & spiritual forces?**

5. **What is spiritual warfare? And what is it NOT?**
 - a. Spiritual warfare is normal Christian living... – **vss. 14-18**
 - b. Spiritual warfare is standing firm... - **vss. 11, 13, 14**
 - c. Spiritual warfare is believing and proclaiming the truth of God! – **2 Corinthians 10.3-5**

Key Words for Kids:
Hey kids, see how many times
Pastor uses these words:

equipment -

battle -

opposition -

warfare -

devil -

evil -

armor -

stand -

truth -