

# Dude, Where's my Armor?

Online Version

Ephesians 6:10-20...put on the full armor of God...

"The majority of teens in evangelical churches will leave their church and their faith by the time they are adults. What makes it so difficult to stay in church as a teenager? I believe it has to do with how we dress." – Ryan Marchi

What do you wear?

1. **Belt**
2. **Breastplate**
3. **Feet fitted (with boots, sandals or shoes)**
4. **Shield**
5. **Helmet**
6. **Sword**

"At school I don't have a lot of friends who are Christians."

"Lord Jesus, I strip off the identity of the world, and this morning I clothe myself with Christ, with his lifestyle. That's what I want to be known for."  
– Prayer led at Teen Mania conference



**Ephesians 4:14,15** *Then we will no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves, and blown here and there by every wind of teaching and by the cunning and craftiness of men in their deceitful scheming. Instead, speaking the truth in love, we will in all things grow up into him who is the head, that is, Christ.* NIV

**vs. 25** *therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to his neighbor, for we are all members of one body.*

**Zechariah 8:16** *these are the things you are to do: speak truth to each other, and render true and sound judgment in your courts; do not plot evil against your neighbor, and do not love to swear falsely.* NIV

**Psalms 15:1, 2** *Lord, who may abide in your tabernacle? Who may dwell in your holy hill? He who walks uprightly, and works righteousness, and speaks the truth in his heart.* NIV

**Psalms 51:6** *Behold, you desire truth in the inward parts, and in the hidden part you will make me to know wisdom.* NIV

**2 Corinthians 5:21** *God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.* NIV

**1 John 5:4, 5** *for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world? Only he who believes that Jesus is the son of God.* NIV

**Ephesians 6:18** *and pray in the spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests.* NIV

**John 17: 22, 23** *and the glory which you gave me I have given them, that they may be one just as we are one. I in them and you in me, that they may be made perfect in one and that the world may know that you have sent me, and have loved them as you have loved me.* NIV

**Matthew 16:18** *on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell will not prevail against it.* NIV

**Ephesians 4:11-16** *And he himself gave some to be apostles...to prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith... that we should no longer be infants, tossed back and forth by the waves and blown here and there by every wind of teaching...instead speaking the truth in love, we will in all things grow up into him...from whom the whole body...grows and builds itself up in love.* NIV