

Discussion Guide for Ephesians 6:5-9

1. Read Ephesians 6:10-13 and briefly review the sermon outline.

What parts of Saturday's lesson did you find helpful, enlightening, unclear or troubling?

2. Truth: We have been called onto God's mission to reach His world. As we shine in the darkness, we can expect opposition from the Devil and demons.

Read 2 Corinthians 10:3-6

What is the nature of these "fortresses" or "strongholds" of darkness that try to block the work of God?
(Physical?, Spiritual?, Intellectual?, Combination?)

What are the potential effects of these strongholds of darkness on the people around us?

How do we combat this darkness?

What is our goal in combating this darkness?

A worldview is a theory of the world used for living in the world. It is a framework of ideas and attitudes about God, the world, ourselves, and life that helps us to answer the big questions of life.

What are the basics of a Christian worldview?

Read 1 Peter 3:13-16

What are the attitudes that we should have when explaining or defending our Christian beliefs?

What is the central point that we are to defend about our Christian beliefs?