



EPHESIANS 6:16

SHIELD OF FAITH

The Bottom Line:

Those who stand _____ in the Lord will
withstand the _____ of the liar

Ephesians 6:16 (NKJV)

16 above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one.

_____ is the key to living a victorious, blessed and overcoming life.

Faith gives us _____ to all God's promises.

Faith _____ us to stand against anything the enemy or just life in general throws our way.

1. Faith is _____

Hebrews 11:6 (NKJV)

6 But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

It is _____ to please God without faith.

We must always remember God is a _____ of those who diligently seek Him.

_____ is revealed not in the flash bang of miracles, signs and wonders but in diligently pressing through every circumstance of life with our eyes of God.

2. _____ is faith?

Hebrews 11:1 (NKJV)

1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Faith is not in what we can work _____, but in trusting what God can work _____.

Faith

pistis (Strong's 4102)

_____ of the truth of anything,

Faith is not wishing on a star. Faith is believing in the one who _____ the stars.

Substance

Hypostasis (Strong's 5287)

*confidence, confident, substance, a setting or placing _____
thing put under, substructure, foundation, that which has foundation, is firm, that which has actual
existence, a substance, substantial quality, nature, of a person or thing, the steadfastness of mind,
firmness, courage, resolution, confidence, firm trust, assurance*

3. Faith _____ the enemy's attacks

Grace (Ephesians 1:2)

Charis (Strong's 5485)

_____ Favor

of the merciful kindness by which God, exerting his holy influence upon souls, turns them to Christ, keeps, strengthens, increases them in Christian faith, knowledge, affection, and kindles them to the exercise of the Christian virtues

Peace (Ephesians 1:2)

Eirene (Strong's 1515)

Peace between individuals, i.e. harmony, concord

Security, safety, prosperity

Of Christianity, the tranquil state of a soul _____ of its salvation through Christ, and so fearing nothing from God and _____ with its earthly lot, of whatsoever sort that is



Life Group Application Questions

1. What role does faith play in living a life that is pleasing to God? (Hebrews 11:6, Psalm 103:1-5)

2. What is the difference between biblical faith and "The power of positive thinking?" (Hebrews 11:1)

3. How is faith a shield against the enemies "fiery darts?" (Ephesians 6:16)

4. What question was not asked here that should have been?

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