

The Plumbline

Scriptures to use for Searching your Soul

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Amo 7:7 Thus he shewed me: and, behold, the Lord stood upon a wall [made] by a plumbline, with a plumbline in his hand.

How is it with your soul?

Are you prepared for battle against the enemy? Have you put on the whole armor of God? Do you put the whole armor of God on daily, rising from the night's rest preparing for what lies before you? Are you standing alone trying to do it your way, or are you seeking the Lord to strengthen you for what lies before you that you might not go astray? Do you have the body of Christ praying with you and fasting with you that you might be strengthened in His might? Are you emptying yourself of you and all that is not of the Lord God, fasting with your heart turned to the Lord to hear His voice and obey?

We need to be empty of ourselves, come aside, and spend time with the Lord that we might be filled with Him, His presence, His Word, to go forth in the might of the Lord.

Take time this day and each day to put on the whole armor of God – for we cannot fight the battle with Satan alone. **Do not let Satan even begin to come near you.**

Plumbline: Ephesians 6.11

Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

Perhaps there needs to be some soul searching as King David prayed:

Psa 139:23 Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts:

Psa 139:24 And see if [there be any] wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

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Rom 10:17 So then faith [cometh] by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

Everyone wants and uses a GPS; they could not function without the guide to get them where they want to go. This is central to a lot of people's lives today. They would not think of saying, I purchased the GPS, so now I am okay whatever road I drive on; I am sure I will get to where I am going. Indeed they will.

And, yet, they have no direction concerning their destination when life on this earth is ended. Some say, I went to church and was baptized." Others, "I got saved many years ago, so I am alright living as I am. I will get where I am going. Indeed they will.

They will get where they are going, so the enemy, Satan tells them – and they will.

But, if you want to walk with the Lord now and through all eternity, if you want to know that you are on the road, the *Via Dolorosa*, *The Way* of the Cross, you must seek the Lord, the Living Word **and** the written Word, the Holy Bible – for directions, every day for every step you take. Below is the armor of God to keep you on that road, "Living for Jesus, a life that is true . . ."

Eph 6:11 Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

Eph 6:12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high [p.laces].

Eph 6:13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

Eph 6:14 Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;

Eph 6:15 And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

Eph 6:16 Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

Eph 6:17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:

Eph 6:18 Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

Psa 119:11 Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee