Stand Fast On God's Word Wed 9/21/16

2 Thessalonians 2:13-17 (NKJV)

- ¹³ But we are bound to give thanks to God always for you, brethren beloved by the Lord, because God from the beginning chose you for salvation through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth,
- ¹⁴ to which He called you by our gospel, for the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- ¹⁵ Therefore, brethren, stand fast and hold the traditions which you were taught, whether by word or our epistle.
- ¹⁶ Now may our Lord Jesus Christ Himself, and our God and Father, who has loved us and given *us* everlasting consolation and good hope by grace,
- ¹⁷ comfort your hearts and establish you in every good word and work.

1 Corinthians 16:13-14 (NKJV)

- ¹³ Watch, stand fast in the faith, be brave, be strong.
- ¹⁴Let all *that* you *do* be done with love.

Ephesians 6:10-14 (NKJV)

- ¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might.
- ¹¹Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual *hosts* of wickedness in the heavenly *places*.

¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

¹⁴ Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness,

God's Word Is True

Numbers 23:19 (NKJV)

¹⁹ "God *is* not a man, that He should lie, Nor a son of man, that He should repent. Has He said, and will He not do? Or has He spoken, and will He not make it good?

1 Samuel 15:29 (NKJV)

²⁹ And also the Strength of Israel will not lie nor relent. For He *is* not a man, that He should relent."

Hebrews 6:18 (NKJV)

¹⁸ that by two immutable things, in which it *is* impossible for God to lie, we might have strong consolation, who have fled for refuge to lay hold of the hope set before *us*.

In Right Standing With God

Romans 5:1-2 (NKJV)

5 Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ² through whom

also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Ephesians 6:15 (NKJV)

¹⁵ and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace;

Philippians 4:7 (NKJV)

⁷ and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

Isaiah 26:3 (NKJV)

³ You will keep *him* in perfect peace, *Whose* mind *is* stayed *on You*, Because he trusts in You.

John 14:27 (NKJV)

²⁷ Peace I leave with you, My peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

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.

Hebrews 11:1 (NKJV)

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

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.

Ephesians 6:17-18 (NKJV)

¹⁷ And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; ¹⁸ praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, being watchful to this end with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints—

Hebrews 4:12 (NKJV)

¹² For the word of God *is* living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

Proverbs 23:7 (NKJV)

⁷ For as he thinks in his heart, so *is* he. "Eat and drink!" he says to you, But his heart is not with you.

Romans 12:1-2 (NKJV)

12 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, *which is* your reasonable service.

² And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.