

## The Armor of God

Digging In – Day 17

1. From day 1, make a list of any characteristics of the caliga that were most memorable to you.
  
2. From these four options, choose one Old Testament and one New Testament verse to study. In what sense can you, as an individual, expect God’s peace to keep you steady and stable?
  - Psalm 119:165
  
  - Isaiah 54:10
  
  - Luke 1”78-79
  
  - Philippians 4:6-7
  
3. Ephesians 4:1-16 goes into great detail about the church and why its internal unity is of paramount important. Turn to this passage in your bible. Read it slowly and meet me back here. How does the church benefit when the individuals within it pursue peace?
  
4. Have you seen the enemy breach the “holes in the line” of your local church? If so, how?
  
5. How about in the global church community – between denominations and segments of the church?
  
6. Using Ephesians 4:16 as a reference point, what would be the ill effects of a body that isn’t “fitted and knit together”?
  
7. Take time to stop and pray right now for your church. Ask the Lord to bridge any “holes in the line” and revitalize your congregation with a fresh passion for pursuing peace with one another.

8. Prayerfully read Colossians 3:12-15 in the margin.

- Ask the Lord to reveal to you people in your life who most need to experience each of the following from you. Record their names in the spaces provided. (It might need to be the same person for all of them.)

- i. Compassion
- ii. Kindness
- iii. Humility
- iv. Gentleness
- v. Patience
- vi. Acceptance
- vii. Forgiveness
- viii. Love

9. Turn to Ephesians 4, focusing on verses 1-3 and also verse 15. Record any similarities you detect from Colossians 3:12-15.

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