

PREPARING FOR THE BATTLE—5

The Hands Must Hold The Buckler Of FAITH

Ephesians 6:16

“Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith we shall be able to quench the fiery darts of the wicked.”

Introduction: _____

Does the Bible tell us what we should do BY FAITH? **YES!**

1. We should stand by faith (2 Corinthians 1:24).
2. We should walk by faith (2 Corinthians 5:7).
3. We should live by faith (Galatians 2:20).
4. We should resist the devil by faith (1 Peter 5:6-9).
5. We should overcome the world by faith (1 John 5:4).

Note the follow truths about the shield of FAITH:

- I. **FIRST, NOTICE HOW THE BUCKLER OF SHIELD OF FAITH IS DESIGNED**

- II. **SECONDLY, NOTE HOW THE BUCKLER OR SHIELD OF FAITH IS _____.**

- III. **THIRDLY, CONSIDER HOW THE BUCKLER OF SHIELD OF FAITH IS _____.**

APPLICATION:

How do Satan’s “*fiery dart*” operate?

- A. They can come _____ like arrows sped from a bow.
- B. They may come from _____ sources, like arrows shot suddenly from an enemy in ambush.
- C. They can pierce and penetrate and _____ the soul like arrows would that are on fire.
- D. And then they set the soul on fire, and _____ up the worst passions, as fiery darts do to a building, ship or tent against which they are sent.