

# Family Devotion

## “The Armor Of God”



### Watt's Up:

“I Will Suit Up With The Armor Of God!”



### Power Verse:

“Put on all of God's armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies and tricks of the Devil.” - **Ephesians 6:11**

Tell your kids that you're going to see if they're ready to become soldiers by giving them a physical test. Have them stand in front of you and then you do the following:

- Pretend like you're going to punch them in the stomach
- Swing your arm like you're going to hit them in the head
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As you do each of these things, your kids will probably react by covering their heads or moving so they won't get hit (*and make sure you don't really hit them!*)

### Ask:

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- What kind of equipment do soldiers use to protect themselves?
- Why do they need to protect themselves? (Make sure your kids understand that soldiers expect to be attacked)
- What would happen if the soldiers had all of their equipment on but didn't have any weapons to fight with?
- Do you remember from the lesson what weapon you have to fight Satan?
- What is it?

### Say:

It's important to defend ourselves against the devil by living in truth and righteousness and using all of the armor of God that Paul talks about in Ephesians 6:10-17 (*you may want to read that passage to your kids*). In order to attack the devil, you need to know God's word.

### Pray:

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