

Receiving the Victory

Keeping the Right Mental Picture

Review:

Armor	Action	Protects
Belt of <i>Truth</i>	Buckled	<i>No Doubts</i>
Breast Plate of <i>Righteousness</i>	In Place	<i>Heart</i>
Shoes of <i>Peace</i>	Fitted	<i>Foundation</i>
Shield of <i>Faith</i>	Take Up	<i>Attacks of Satan</i>
Helmet of <i>Salvation</i>	_____	<i>Mind</i>
Sword of the Spirit <i>Word of God</i>	Grasp	<i>Defend</i>

Notice:

They are in Pairs:

Truth & Righteousness

Peace & Faith

Salvation & Spirit & Word

They all require Action:

They all have the purpose of protection:

No Doubts—Heart

Foundation / Footing—Attack of Satan

Mind / Mental—Defend

Historic Details

While all the previous pieces of armor were laid out to be picked up; the helmet and the sword were _____ to each soldier.

The word “taking” (dexasthe) could be translated to accept.

Because it’s in a verb form it could be translated . . .

The “givenness” of salvation

What difference does it make if our mental picture

Is that we grabbed it / Acquired—Achieved / or that God gave it to us? John 3:16

*But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, putting on faith and love as a breastplate, and the hope of salvation as a helmet. For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to **receive** salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.
1 Thessalonians 5:8-9*

The Enemy’s Mind Games:

D _____ need it

D _____ it myself

D _____ it’s real

D _____ include me

Next Week: Eph. 6:17