

Bless This Home Sermon Outline-Purity

- Recap of previous teaching
 - Difference between "Christian" home and "Christ-centered" home
 - Galatians 2:20 as a guide
 - Practical ideas for teaching kids about God
- Today's topic: Importance of purity in the home
 - Big Idea: God-honoring home requires purity
 - Standard for Christian behavior
 - Following scriptural mandates
 - No Christian liberty to violate clear scriptural teachings
- Purity in the home leads to Power in the family
 - Reasons Christian homes lack purity and power
 - Failure to understand God's standard of holiness
 - Failure to recognize spiritual battle
- Spiritual battle for the home
 - Ephesians 6:10-12
 - Areas of purity: body, soul, spirit
- Need for regular spiritual cleansing of homes
 - Influence of media and technology
 - No neutral ground in spiritual battles
- Galatians 5: Acts of the flesh
 - Dangers of allowing worldly influences

- Ephesians 6: Armor of God for maintaining purity and power

1. Belt of Truth

2. Breastplate of Righteousness

3. Feet fitted with Gospel of Peace

4. Shield of Faith

5. Helmet of Salvation

6. Sword of the Spirit (Word of God)

- Importance of creating environments for faith and salvation

- Romans 10:17: Faith comes by hearing the Word of God