



Questions for Further Study

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God is righteous

1. Our culture is driven by feelings and people think they have the authority to determine whether something is right because of how it makes them feel. What difficulties does this present to us in our workplaces or with people who are not Christians? Have you ever been shouted down for taking a stand for your beliefs?
2. In Eph 6:15 Paul exhorts us to put on the Breastplate of Righteousness. What does that mean? (*This does not mean we should insist that our way is the only way. It does not mean we should read the Bible more, or pray more, or be "better" people. Talk about the fact that we are not worthy in ourselves, but that we have imputed righteousness because Jesus swapped our sins for his holiness.*)
3. God is right and will forever be right. We can trust him in every circumstance in our life. How have you experienced God's righteousness in your own life?
4. We are in a battle, yet often we are not prepared each day. What is the first thing you do each morning? What do you need to do to make sure that God comes first? What battles are you facing right now?
5. Satan attacks our eternal assurance and wants us to believe that we are not good enough. How can we counter these lies? What Scriptures can you hold on to when doubts hit you? (*If no-one can bring any to mind, you might want to look at 1 John 1: 5-9; Gal 4:4-7; John 3:16.*)
6. Read Romans 13:11-12. What truths can you gain from this passage? How can you make this happen in your own life?
7. Spend time praying for the battles you each face. Pray that you will know the truth of God's righteousness and your eternal salvation.