

# Heart <sup>2</sup> Heart With God

## BE STRONG IN THE LORD

“10. Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. 11. Put on the whole armor of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. 12. For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.” (Ephesians 6:10-12).

The Bible very clearly says that, we need not to be strong in ourselves but to be strong in the Lord. When we think that we are strong in ourselves it leads us to total disappointment and sometimes in depression. We always need to be strong in the Lord. This phrase leads to another phrase in verse 11, “Put on whole armor of God...” Our strength lies in putting on whole armor of God and next several verses describe the each and every piece of the armor of God.

Believers` strength is in the Lord, and we are so dependent on the Lord for our strength. We, believers have authority through Christ that is delegated authority. That authority is our strength to overcome.

But that strength is available for us through the vital union with Christ: “7. If you remain in Me and My Words remain in you (that is, if we are vitally united and My message lives in your heart), ask whatever you wish and it will be done for you.” (John 15:7).

So let the Word of God richly dwell in us so that we receive the timely strength needed for us to overcome any battle which challenges us almost every day. If you see and observe that you and I we all are who call upon His Name are having daily battles waiting for us to face and we are in the battle every day. But thank the Lord that strength comes from the union with our Lord Jesus Christ and we are ultimately the winner as we put on the whole armor of God.

So let us take courage from the Word of God today as we are in the midst of this critical time and “Be strong in the Lord” And let us shout and say out loud, “With Christ in the vessel, we can smile at the storm!”

May our good Lord continue to bless you and your family! Prema and I love you so dearly and pray for you daily! Write us for we love to hear from you!

Remember, **Jesus is Lord** and take with you **the Word of God and Faith**, excellent traveling Companions.  
(Psalms 119:106; II Corinthians 5:7)

What a Friend we have in Jesus,  
All our sins and griefs to bear!  
What a privilege to carry  
Everything to God in prayer!  
O what peace we often forfeit,  
O what needless pain we bear,  
All because we do not carry  
Everything to God in prayer!



### PRAY FOR US!

We need your prayers very much at the time such as this.  
For the our safety and for the provision and protection at this time.

**Thank you  
for your  
partnership!**