

# Ephesians 6

Alte englische Darby-Übersetzung



**1** Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is just. **2** Honour thy father and thy mother, which is the first commandment with a promise, **3** that it may be well with thee, and that thou mayest be long-lived on the earth. **4** And ye fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and admonition of the Lord. **5** Bondmen, obey masters according to flesh, with fear and trembling, in simplicity of your heart as to the Christ; **6** not with eye-service as men-pleasers; but as bondmen of Christ, doing the will of God from the soul, **7** serving with good will as to the Lord, and not to men; **8** knowing that whatever good each shall do, this he shall receive of the Lord, whether bond or free. **9** And, masters, do the same things towards them, giving up threatening, knowing that both their and your Master is in heaven, and there is no acceptance of persons with him.

**10** For the rest, brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the might of his strength. **11** Put on the panoply of God, that ye may be able to stand against the artifices of the devil: **12** because our struggle is not against blood and flesh, but against principalities, against authorities, against the universal lords of this darkness, against spiritual power of wickedness in the heavenlies. **13** For this reason take to you the panoply of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and, having accomplished all things, to stand. **14** Stand therefore, having girt about your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness, **15** and shod your feet with the preparation of the glad tidings of peace: **16** besides all these, having taken the shield of faith with which ye will be able to quench all the inflamed darts of the wicked one. **17** Have also the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is God's word; **18** praying at all seasons, with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching unto this very thing with all perseverance and supplication for all the saints;

**19** and for me in order that utterance may be given to me in the opening of my mouth to make known with boldness the mystery of the glad tidings, **20** for which I am an ambassador bound with a chain, that I may be bold in it as I ought to speak. **21** But in order that ye also may know what concerns me, how I am getting on, Tychicus, the beloved brother and faithful minister in the Lord, shall make all things known to you; **22** whom I have sent to you for this very thing, that ye may know of our affairs and that he may encourage your hearts. **23** Peace to the brethren, and love with faith, from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. **24** Grace with all them that love our Lord Jesus Christ in incorruption.