

Review Ephesians 6:18.

Let's talk about models.

Think back to when we started this series. What were the three enemies?

The _____, the _____ and the _____.

The Armor of God helps us especially when dealing with the _____. James gives us some help when dealing with the other two enemies.

Read James 4:1-6. Underline or **highlight** all the words that deal with fighting.



What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you? ²You desire and do not have, so you murder. You covet and cannot obtain, so you fight and quarrel. You do not have, because you do not ask. ³You ask and do not receive, because you



ask wrongly, to spend it on your

passions. ⁴You adulterous people! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with God? Therefore whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. ⁵Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? ⁶But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble."

Wow! That's a lot of fighting!

What causes the fighting? _____

Who can help? _____

How does He help? _____

To whom does He give help? _____

Read James 4:7-10 and begin building the model.

Find 10 commands in verses 7-10 and list them below with the first three on the left.

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These three have to do
with your relationship
with whom?

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Commands 4 & 5 have to do with what?

Commands 6-9 have to do with what?

Command 10 has to do with what?

Memorize Ephesians 6:19 & 20b. (ESV)

*“And also for me, that words may be
given to me in opening my mouth boldly
to proclaim the mystery of the gospel . .
. . . that I may declare it boldly as I ought
to speak.”*

