



**DARKNESS NO MORE • Part 5**

## **Armor of Light**

**Romans 13:12-14**

**Romans 13:11-14**

<sup>12</sup> The night is nearly over; the day is almost here. So **let us put aside the deeds of darkness and put on the armor of light.** <sup>13</sup> Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in carousing and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and debauchery, not in dissension and jealousy. <sup>14</sup> Rather, clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh.

## **Putting on the Armor of Light**

**Living with Integrity**

**Romans 13:12**

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**Opla (hop' lon) - Armor, Instrument, Weapon / Offensive Tool**

**Romans 6:11-14**

<sup>11</sup> In the same way, count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus. <sup>12</sup> Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its evil desires. <sup>13</sup> **Do not offer any part of yourself to sin as an instrument of wickedness,** but rather offer yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life; and **offer every part of yourself to him as an instrument of righteousness.** <sup>14</sup> For sin shall no longer be your master, because you are not under the law, but under grace.

**Aggressive Anticipation / Aggressive Sanctification / Aggressive Integration**

## **Walking in Daylight**

**Turning Away from Sin**

**Romans 13:13**

<sup>13</sup> Let us behave decently, as in the daytime, not in **carousing** and **drunkenness**, not in **sexual immorality** and **debauchery**, not in **dissension** and **jealousy**.

**Not Hiding / Not Sliding / Not Dividing**

## **Clothing Ourselves with Light**

**Wanting the Life Jesus Wants Us to Live**

**Romans 13:14**

<sup>14</sup> Rather, **clothe yourselves with the Lord Jesus Christ**, and do not think about how to gratify the desires of the flesh.

**Colossians 3:12-15**

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with **compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness** and **patience.** <sup>13</sup> Bear with each other and **forgive one another** if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. <sup>14</sup> And over all these virtues **put on love**, which binds them all together in perfect unity. <sup>15</sup> **Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts**, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And **be thankful.**

**Wanting to Please Christ**

**Wanting to Share His Grace**

**Wanting to Live His Family**