HOLD ON • Job 2:1-10

God's promise to us in the midst of the battle:

THE LORD BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU

Numbers 6:24 The Lord bless you:

and keep you:

Background:

1Peter 5:8 Be _____and _____ your enemy the devil is going around like a roaring lion loooking for someone to devour. Be prepared (Ephesians 6:10-13): _____

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THE LORD MAKE HIS FACE SHINE UPON YOU AND BE GRACIOUS TO YOU

Numbers 6:25 The Lord make His face shine upon you:

v.9 His wife said to him, "Are you still maintaining your _____?
Integrity:

Jesus: I Am the _____ of the world, whoever follows me will never walk in _____ but will have the light of life. (John 8:12)

Curse God and die:

THE LORD TURN HIS FACE TOWARD YOU AND GIVE YOU PEACE

Numbers 6:26 The Lord turn His face toward you:

Psalm 121:8

And give you peace:
(John 16:33)

1. Read Job 2:1-10. It is plain from the story of Job that we are in a battle for our souls. Satan's goal is that Job will turn away from God. How aware of this battle are we?

2. Read 1 Peter 5:8. What does the apostle Peter say that we are to do so that we are not 'devoured' by Satan. Explain.

3.Read Job 2:4-5. How great is the temptation, for us to turn away from God when we struggle with our health and well-being? Explain.

4.Read Ephesians 6:10-13. What do these verses tell us about:
-How we must be strong?
-What we must do in order to, 'take our stand?'
-The struggle we are in?
-Our response to ***when*** the day of evil comes?

5.Read Ephesians 6:14-18. Define each element of the armour of God.
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How do we utilise each of these pieces of armour in order to stand our ground against the enemy?

6. Read Job 2:9. What did Job's wife mean by her statement? Have you been tempted to go that route in our own life?

7. Define integrity? What does it mean to be a person of 'integrity' when it comes to our relationship with God? (Also read Job 1:1,1:8; 1:20-22; 2:3, 2:10).

8. Read Numbers 6:24-26. This is known as the Aaronic blessing. It is the blessing that God placed upon His people. It foreshadows the reality of who we are in Jesus Christ. Jesus is the embodiment of God's shining face watching over us, protecting and guiding us, with truth and grace in the situations we face. Examine each phrase and see how they speak to your own life.