

**THE ARMOR OF GOD SERIES (#11)**  
**HELMET OF SALVATION PT 2**  
**Ephesians 6:10-17**

To live in spiritual victory the Bible tells us we must be filled with the Holy Spirit and put on the full Armor of God...The Belt of Truth, Breastplate of Righteousness, Gospel of Peace, Shield of Faith, Sword of the Spirit, and the Helmet of Salvation. If we're saved, why do we need to add the Hemet of Salvation? Because...

**I. SATAN WIELDS A TWO-EDGED SWORD**

**A. One side is doubt.**

1. Primary function of a helmet: to ward off blows from a sword.
2. The helmet of salvation wards off Satan's attacks of doubt.

**B. The other side is discouragement.**

1. Satan asks, "You give lot, what are you getting in return?"
2. If you are not wearing God's helmet of salvation (His assurance and confidence), you'll be easily discouraged.

**C. Elijah battled Satan's doubt and discouragement.**

1. God gave him a fiery, triumphant victory over 450 false priests.
2. When one woman threatened him...he ran and hid.
3. He was so discouraged he wanted to die. (1 Kings 19:3-4)
4. God knew where Elijah was and what he needed; He was waiting for Elijah to quit running, be still, and listen!

**II. IT'S A RELENTLESS BATTLE!**

1. We grow tired, but our enemy doesn't. (Galatians 6:9)
2. The Helmet of Salvation is trusting that God has us covered.
3. We will reap a reward if we do not lose heart (faint).
  - Lose heart/faint = to unstring your bow.
  - Don't unstring your bow...don't quit (ask/trust God for help).