

## MADE ALIVE: You've Been Made Alive to Stay Alive

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The Letter to Ephesus: Ephesians 6:10-22

The first question you should be asking:

We will need the strength of God to survive the plans of the enemy. (6:10-12)

Don't do something, just stand there. (6:13-17)

God's armor is Jesus and the last time He wore it, He won it all.  
(Colossians 2:13-15)

The second question you should be asking.:  
(Ephesians 3:8-10)

The one thing you are asked to do:  
(6:18-20)

God is not looking for superheroes. (6:21-22)



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