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¹⁵ Therefore, brethren, **stand** fast and hold the traditions which you were taught, whether by word or our epistle.

Ephesians 6: 11, 13, 14 (NKJV)

- ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to **stand** against the wiles of the devil.
- ¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to **stand**.
- ¹⁴ **Stand** therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness,

Message: Believers in Jesus can and should stand spiritually in the last days

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IV. STAND AGAINST **SATAN AND EVIL**

SPIRITS (Ephesians 6:10-12)

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- ¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might.
- ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.
- ¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual *hosts* of wickedness in the heavenly *places*.

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