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Enduring Faith

— The Living Word Series —



Faithful to God



Focus Thought

As the world becomes more wicked,
we must stand strong in our faith.

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Focus Verse

Jude 1:3

Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

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Lesson Text

Genesis 5:21–24

21 And Enoch lived sixty and five years, and begat Methuselah:

22 And Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years, and begat sons and daughters:

23 And all the days of Enoch were three hundred sixty and five years:

24 And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him.

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Lesson Text

Hebrews 11:5

5 By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God.

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Lesson Text

Jude 1:3–4

3 Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

4 For there are certain men crept in unawares, who were before of old ordained to this condemnation, ungodly men, turning the grace of our God into lasciviousness, and denying the only Lord God, and our Lord Jesus Christ.

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Lesson Text

Jude 1:14–15

14 And Enoch also, the seventh from Adam, prophesied of these, saying, Behold, the Lord cometh with ten thousands of his saints,
15 To execute judgment upon all, and to convince all that are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which they have ungodly committed, and of all their hard speeches which ungodly sinners have spoken against him.

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I. Enoch Was Faithful to God

A. He Prophesied to the Unfaithful



How should the knowledge of Christ's return and coming judgment affect our daily lives?

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I. Enoch Was Faithful to God

- A. He Prophesied to the Unfaithful
- B. He Contended for the Faith



Who do you know of who successfully
“contended for the faith” in a previous
generation and has influenced you to do so
in the present?

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I. Enoch Was Faithful to God

- A. He Prophesied to the Unfaithful
- B. He Contended for the Faith
- C. He Was Translated and Did Not Experience Death



How does being a Christian change your perception of death?

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II. God Wants Us to Stand Strong in Our Faith

A. We Must Contend for the Faith

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What does it mean to “contend for the faith”?

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II. God Wants Us to Stand Strong in Our Faith

- A. We Must Contend for the Faith
- B. We Must Seek to Please God



Why do you think faithfulness pleases God more than talent or accomplishments?

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