

Series on Jude

Contend for the Faith that God Entrusted



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JUDE 1:20-21

WELCOME Fixing Our Focus

Suggested icebreaker: Who are the people with whom you have developed deep and meaningful relationships? Why has your relationship with these people grown deeper than most?

WORSHIP Adoring Our God

Suggested songs:

- How Deep the Father's Love for Us
- Magnificent Marvelous
 Matchless Love

WORD & WALK:

Understanding & Applying the Word

LESSON AIM

- 1. GG members will regularly spend time communing with God.
- 2. GG members will obey God's commands
- 3. GG members will patiently wait for Christ's return.

INTRODUCTION

In our previous lesson, we learned how we can protect ourselves from falling away by being vigilant against false teachers. In this lesson, we will learn that focusing on our spiritual walk can also help us protect ourselves from falling away.

Jude exhorts believers to keep themselves in God's love (vv. 20-21)

- What did Jude mean by the faith that believers should build themselves up in? (cf. Jude 1:3)
- 2. How can believers build themselves up in their faith? (cf. Acts 20:32)
- 3. What does it mean to pray in the Holy Spirit? (cf. Romans 8:26-27)
- 4. How are we to pray in the Holy Spirit? (cf. Ephesians 6:18)
- 5. How can believers keep themselves in God's love? (cf. John 15:10)
- Does the command to "keep yourselves in the love of God" mean that God's love may be lost from believers? What is your understanding of the command? (cf. Romans 8:38-39)
- 7. What is the mercy of Jesus Christ that believers are waiting for? (cf. Titus 2:13; Hebrews 9:28)
- 8. What is eternal life, according to Jesus Christ? (cf. John 17:3)

APPLICATION

 What are some habits you have developed, or should develop, so that you may keep yourself in God's love? Share some tips you found helpful to establish these habits.

PRAYER ITEM

Pray for one another that you will have a regular time set aside for communing with God through the study of His Word and prayer. Pray that all believers around the world be faithful in obeying Christ and thus serve as His witnesses to the people around them. Pray for all of us, as we patiently endure, waiting for our hope of Christ's return and our eternal fellowship with Him.



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