



BE STRONG

Part 4 – In The Lord
January 28, 2018

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(Isaiah 40:29, 31 NLT) He gives power to the weak and strength to the powerless...those who trust in the Lord will find new strength. They will soar high on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not faint.

(Acts 1:8) But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.

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(Acts 2:28) You have made known to me the paths of life; You will fill me with joy in Your presence.

Every Day

1. _____ God.

(Psalm 145:1-3) I will exalt You, my God the King; I will praise Your name for ever and ever. Every day I will praise You and extol Your name for ever and ever. Great is the LORD and most worthy of praise.

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(Psalm 68:19) Praise be to the Lord, to God our Savior, who daily bears our burdens

3. _____ to God's Word.

(Joshua 1:8) Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.

(Psalm 1:1-3) Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on His law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.

4. _____ relationships.

(Hebrews 3:13) But encourage one another daily, as long as it is called "Today," so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness.

5. _____ to God.

(Colossians 3:2-3) Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God.

(1 Corinthians 15:31) I die every day...

(Luke 9:23) Then He said to them all: "If anyone would come after Me, he must deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow Me."

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Every Day

1. Acknowledge and thank God.

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4. Maintain meaningful relationships.

(Hebrews 3:13) But encourage one another daily, as long as it is called "Today," so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness.

5. Surrender my life to God.

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