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MEN

# Becoming A Mighty Man

Five commands to becoming a Mighty Man of God,  
1 Corinthians 16:13-14

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*Be on the alert, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong.  
Let all that you do be done in love.*

**1 Corinthians 3:16** *Do you not know that you are a temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?*

**1 Corinthians 12:13** *For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body*

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## *You are to be alert*

1. Against SATAN in 1 Peter 5
2. For the subtlety of TEMPTATION in Mark 14
3. Against INDIFFERENCE in Revelation 3
4. For FALSE TEACHERS in 2 Peter 2
5. In PRAYER Ephesians 6
6. For the Lord's RETURN in Matthew 24

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***Ephesians 6:1-4*** Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. 2 Honor your father and mother (which is the first commandment with a promise), 3 so that it may be well with you, and that you may live long on the earth. 4 Fathers, do not provoke your children to anger, but bring them up in the discipline and instruction of the Lord.

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**1 Corinthians 15:58** *my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not in vain in the Lord.*



**3. The Mighty Man will reject**  
**PASSIVITY and follow God's Word** (13c)

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***Ephesians 6:10*** *be strong in the Lord*

***2 Timothy 2:1*** *be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus*

***2 Corinthians 12:9*** *My grace is sufficient for you, for power is perfected in weakness. Most gladly, therefore, I will rather boast about my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me.*

## 4. The Mighty Man will LEAD courageously in all of life (13d)

**Spurgeon** *bold hearted men are always called mean spirited  
by cowards*

## 5. The Mighty Man will **LOVE** God and others sacrificially <sup>(14)</sup>

**1 Peter 4:8** *Above all, keep fervent in your love for one another, because love covers a multitude of sins*

**1 John 4:7** *love comes from God*

**1 John 4:19** *Christ loved us first*

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