

Fight The Good Fight

Jude 1-4

Intro – the *internal* threat of false believers and false teachers

I. We need to beware of apostates and false teachers

A. Matt 7:15; Acts 20:29-30; 2 Cor 11:14-15; 1 Tim 4:1; Tit 1:16;
1 John 2:19

B. The Author “Jude”
- Matt 13:55; John 7:5

II. We can rejoice that genuine believers are secure 1-2

- A. “Called”
- B. “Beloved” Eph 1:4; Rom 5:8
- C. “Kept” John 10:27-29
- D. Blessed

III. Contending in the midst of compromise and error 3

A. “Contend Earnestly...”
i. 1 Pet 3:15
ii. 2 Tim 2:24-25

B. “THE faith...” **We contend by standing up for the truth.**
- Lk 6:26
- Rom 1:16

C. “Once for all handed down...” **We contend by acknowledging claims to new revelation are false.**

III. Contend because false teachers have crept into the church 4

- Matt 7:15