

The Church in The Last Days

the apostle Paul's first letter to Timothy / 1:18-20

The Church in The Last Days must “fight the battle _____.” (18d)

How do we “fight the good fight of faith” (1 Timothy 6:12a)?

We're fighting the battle well when we ...

1. Remain _____.

a. Our Lord's _____.

Timothy, my son, *I am giving you this command* [to “... command certain people not to teach false doctrines ... or to devote themselves to myths and endless genealogies. Such things promote controversial speculations rather than advancing God's work ...” (1 Timothy 1:3-4)] in keeping with the prophecies once made about you, (18a-c)

b. Our lasting _____.

so that *by recalling them* [... the prophecies once made about you,] you may **fight the battle well**, (18d)

c. Our life's _____.

holding on to *faith and a good conscience*, (19a)

* Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain. (1 Corinthians 15:58)

2. Remove the “AWOL” (_____).

a. Their _____.

which *some have rejected* [faith and a good conscience] ... (19b)

b. Their _____.

... and so have *suffered shipwreck with regard to the faith*. (19b)

c. Their _____.

Among them are Hymenaeus and Alexander, *whom I have handed over to Satan* to be taught not to blaspheme. (20)

* So when you are assembled ... hand this man over to Satan ... so that his spirit may be saved on the day of the Lord ... Don't you know that a little yeast leavens the whole batch of dough? (1 Corinthians 5:4-6)

“The Christian life is not a playground (nor the local church);
it is a _____.”

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