

FACE OFF: FIGHTING FOR THE FAITH

WHAT TO DO UNTIL HE COMES

Jude 1:17-24 Jeff Schreve

For certain persons have crept in unnoticed, those who were long beforehand marked out for this condemnation, ungodly persons who turn the grace of our God into licentiousness and deny our only Master and Lord, Jesus Christ. Jude 1:4

God told us that in the last days the church would experience:

1. An attack on the grace of God.
2. An attack on the Word of God.
3. An attack on the Son of God.

What are we to do until He comes?

1. Be vigilant.

But you, beloved, ought to remember the words that were spoken beforehand by the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ, that they were saying to you, "In the last time there will be mockers, following after their own ungodly lusts." Jude 1:17

- A. Remember the Word of God has warned us.
- B. Remember how to spot a shark.

2. Be diligent.

But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit, keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting anxiously for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to eternal life. Jude 1:20-21

- A. Spend time in the Word of God.

- B. Spend time talking to God.
- C. Keep in His love by walking in His light.
- D. Wait expectantly for His return.
- E. Share the good news of Jesus.

3. Be confident.

Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to make you stand in the presence of His glory blameless with great joy, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.
Jude 1:24-25

- A. He is able to keep you all the way to heaven.
- B. He is able to make you stand before Him with great joy.

He is able ... are you willing?