

B. Resist In the \_\_\_\_\_

**Quote:** “It is written.’ Stand upon it, and if the devil were fifty devils in one, he could not overcome you. On the other hand, if you leave “It is written,” Satan knows more about reasoning than you do. He is far older, has studied mankind very thoroughly, and knows all our weak points. Therefore, the contest will be an unequal one. Do not argue with him but wave in his face the banner of God’s Word. Satan cannot endure the infallible truth, for it is death to the falsehood of which he is the father.”—**C. H. Spurgeon**

*“But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.” (Matthew 4:4)*

*“There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.” (1 Corinthians 10:13)*

**CONCLUSION**

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# WALKING IN GRACE

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**Text: 1 Peter 5:5–9**

*“Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble. 6 Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time: 7 Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you. 8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: 9 Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.” (1 Peter 5:5–9)*

**INTRODUCTION**

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## 1. A SUBMISSIVE \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 6-7)

*“I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me ye can do nothing.”*  
(John 15:5)

### A. Grace to \_\_\_\_\_

#### GOD RESISTS THE PROUD

*“But he giveth more grace. Wherefore he saith, God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble.”* (James 4:6)

#### GOD EXALTS THE HUMBLE

**Quote:** “Humility, then, is a recognition that we are at the same time “worm Jacob” and a mighty threshing sledge – completely weak and helpless in ourselves, but powerful and useful by the grace of God.”

—**Jerry Bridges**

*“And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. 9 Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: 10 That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth;”* (Philippians 2:8-10)

**Quote:** “Does God ask us to do what is beneath us? This question will never trouble us again if we consider the Lord of heaven taking a towel and washing feet.”—**Elisabeth Elliot**

**Quote:** “The worse we realize we are, the greater we realize God’s grace is.”—**Randy Alcorn**

### B. Grace to \_\_\_\_\_

*“I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.”*  
(Philippians 4:13)

**Quote:** “Our sorrows are all, like ourselves, mortal. There are no immortal sorrows for immortal souls. They come, but blessed be God, they also go. Like birds of the air, they fly over our heads. But they cannot make their abode in our souls. We suffer today, but we shall rejoice tomorrow.”—**C. H. Spurgeon**

**Quote:** “All of God’s greats have been weak men who did great exploits for God because they reckoned on His being faithful.”

—**Hudson Taylor**

*“Cast thy burden upon the LORD, and he shall sustain thee: he shall never suffer the righteous to be moved.”* (Psalm 55:22)

## 2. A SOBER \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 8)

### A. Be \_\_\_\_\_ to Danger

*“See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise,”*  
(Ephesians 5:15)

*“Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.”* (Ephesians 6:11)

### B. Be \_\_\_\_\_ of the Devastation

#### WE MUST BE WATCHFUL FOR THE TEMPTATIONS

**Quote:** “Who better than Peter would know about the prowlings of Satan! Several times Jesus warned Peter that Satan was after him, but he failed to heed the warning. Too many Christians have “gone to sleep,” opening the way for Satan to work.”—**Warren Wiersbe**

*“And he cometh, and findeth them sleeping, and saith unto Peter, Simon, sleepest thou? couldest not thou watch one hour? 38 Watch ye and pray, lest ye enter into temptation. The spirit truly is ready, but the flesh is weak.”* (Mark 14:37-38)

**Quote:** “Satan, like a fisher, baits his hook according to the appetite of the fish.”—**Thomas Adams**

**Quote:** “When thou sleepest, think that thou art resting on the battlefield; when thou walkest, suspect an ambush in every hedge.”  
—**Charles Spurgeon**

#### WE MUST BE MINDFUL OF THE CONSEQUENCES

**Quote:** “I know well that when Christ is nearest, Satan also is busiest.”—**Robert Murray McCheyne**

**Quote:** “While God most often appeals to our wills through our reason, sin and Satan usually appeal to us through our desires.”  
—**Jerry Bridges**

## 3. A STEADFAST \_\_\_\_\_ (v. 9)

### A. Resist with the \_\_\_\_\_

**Quote:** “The readers, however, are not called to fear the devil; they are called to opposition.”—**Tremper Longman**

*“Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.”* (James 4:7)