

LIVING GODLY IN AN UNGODLY WORLD

A STUDY IN 1 CORINTHIANS



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Finish Strong with Eternal Impact

Living Godly In An Ungodly World
1 Corinthians Ch 16
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November 22 & 23, 2025

“There is a wide-open door for a great work here,
although many oppose me”

1 Corinthians 16:9 (NLT)

“Let us run with endurance the race God has set before us.”

Hebrews 12:1 (NLT)

1. Godly People _____ with Eternal Purpose

“Now regarding your **gift** for the believers in Jerusalem...” 1 Corinthians 16:1, 2, Acts 2:2

2. Godly People Live on _____ with Courage & Focus

“Be on guard. Stand firm in the faith. Be courageous. Be strong. And do everything with love.” 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

A. Mission Requires _____ (vv. 8-9)

B. Mission Requires _____ (vv. 10-12)

C. Mission Requires _____ (vv. 13-14)

D. Mission Requires _____ (v. 14)

3. Godly People Finish Well by _____ in Others

You know that Stephanas and his household were the first of the harvest of believers in Greece, and they are spending their lives in service to God’s people.” 1 Corinthians 16:15-16, 20-24



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LifeGroup lessons

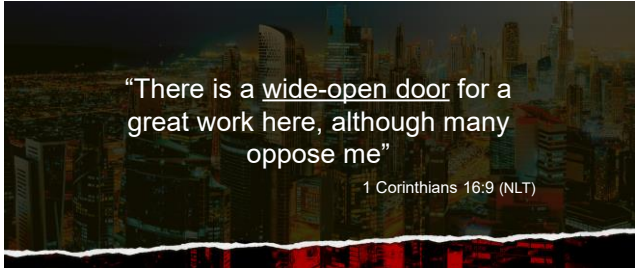


Weekly Enews



You weren't called to fit in,
you were called to stand out

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1 Corinthians 16:9 (NLT)

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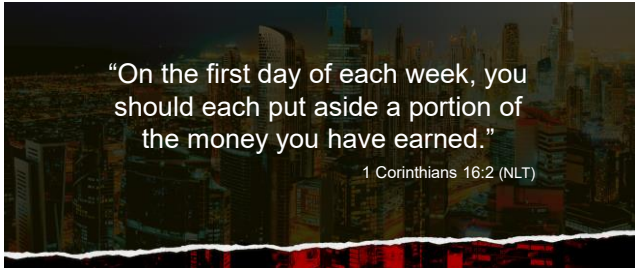


① Godly People **Give** with Eternal Purpose

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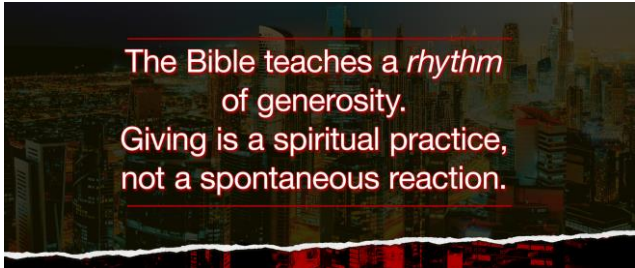
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"On the first day of each week, you should each put aside a portion of the money you have earned."

1 Corinthians 16:2 (NLT)

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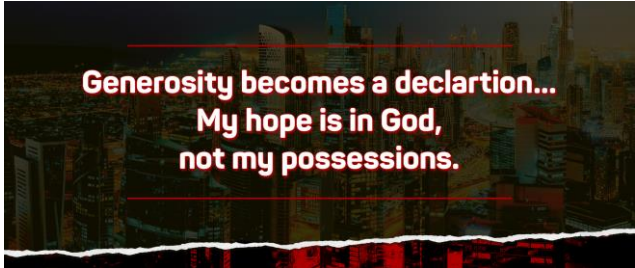
The Bible teaches a *rhythm* of generosity.
Giving is a spiritual practice,
not a spontaneous reaction.

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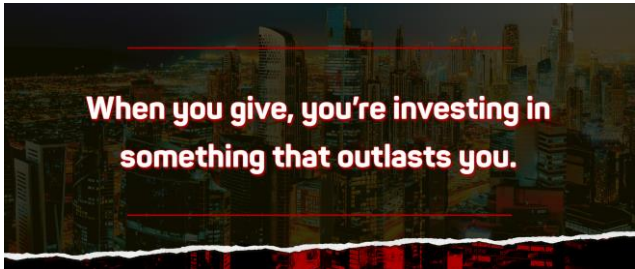
Giving weekly taught us to trust
God before we trusted our
paycheck

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Generosity becomes a declaration...
My hope is in God,
not my possessions.

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When you give, you're investing in
something that outlasts you.

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Whenever God's people give,
God's mission moves.

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UNGODLY WORLD	GODLY LIFE
Protect what's yours	Release what's God's

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Generosity is never about
losing something.
It's always about
investing in something.

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2 Godly People Live on **Mission** with **Courage & Focus**

"Be on guard. Stand firm in the faith.
Be courageous. Be strong.
And do everything with love."

1 Corinthians 16:13-14 (NLT)

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A Mission Requires **Courage**

"In the meantime, I will be staying here at Ephesus until the Festival of Pentecost. There is a wide-open door for a great work here, although many oppose me."

1 Corinthians 16:8-9 (NLT)

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Don't confuse resistance
with the absence of God.
Many times, resistance confirms
you're right where God called you to be.

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The strength of spiritual **opposition**
is often evidence of spiritual **opportunity**

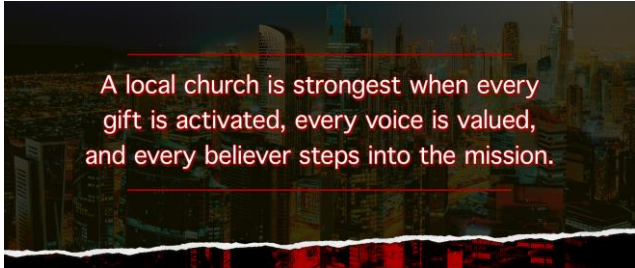
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B Mission Requires **Leadership**

Timothy's ...with gentle hearts
Apollos' ...with bold voices
Priscilla's & Aquila's ...with hospitality
Stephanas' ...with servant leadership

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A local church is strongest when every gift is activated, every voice is valued, and every believer steps into the mission.

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C Mission Requires **Focus**

"Be on guard. Stand firm in the faith. Be courageous. Be strong."

1 Corinthians 16:13 (NLT)

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**UNGODLY
WORLD**

drifts with culture.

**GODLY
LIFE**

stands firm in conviction.

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D Mission Requires **Love**

"Do everything with love"

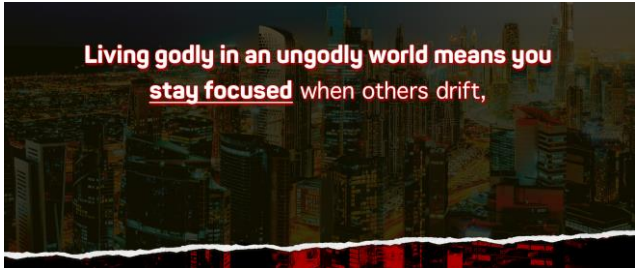
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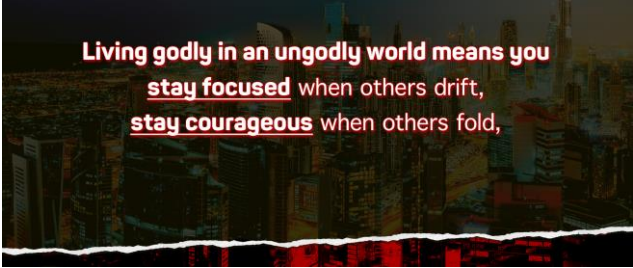
Without love, mission becomes machinery.
With love, mission becomes ministry.

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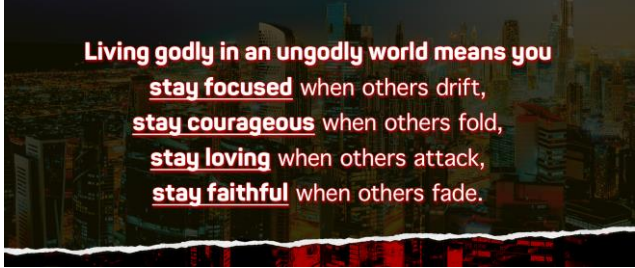
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stay courageous when others fold,

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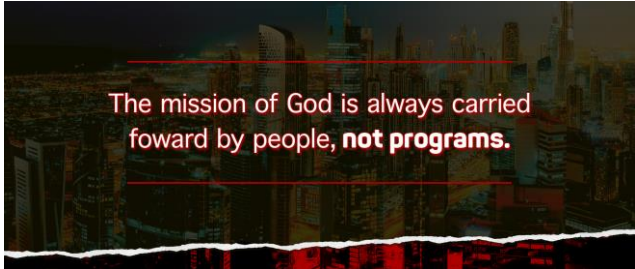
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stay focused when others drift,
stay courageous when others fold,
stay loving when others attack,
stay faithful when others fade.

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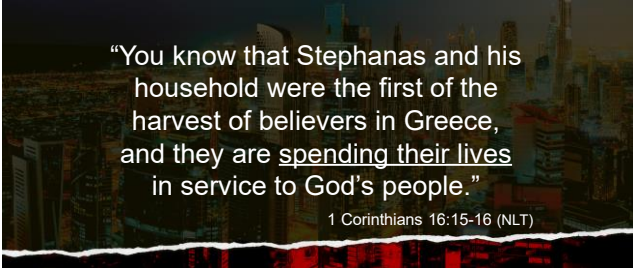
3 Godly People Finish Well by Investing in Others

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The mission of God is always carried
 foward by people, **not programs.**

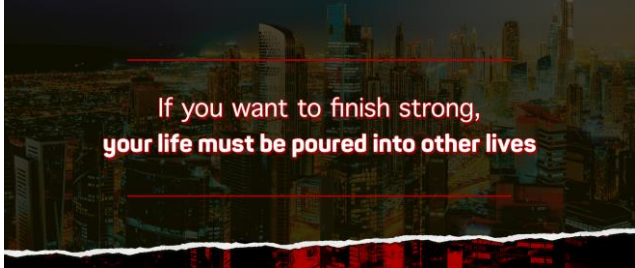
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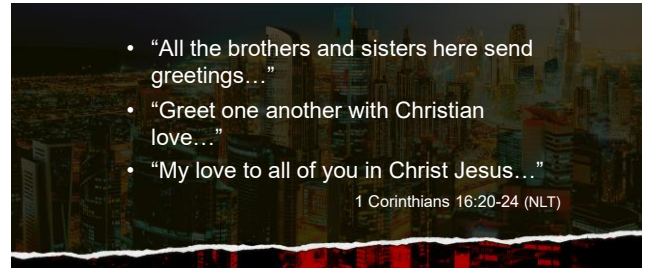


If you want to finish strong,
your life must be poured into other lives

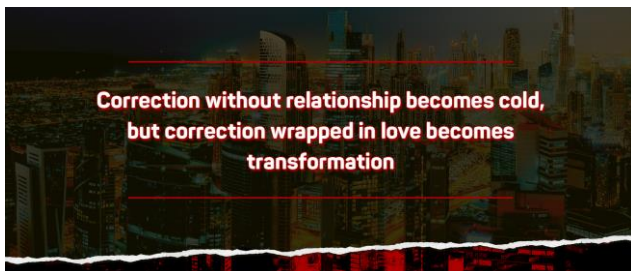
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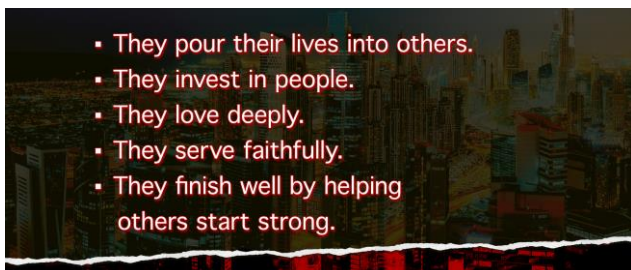
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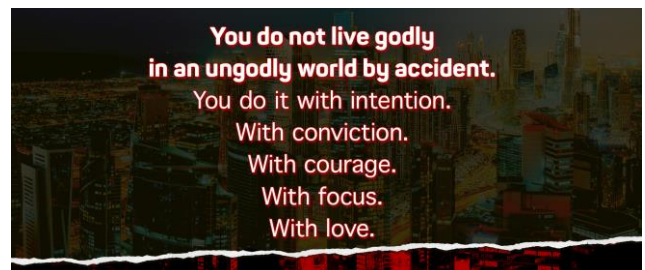
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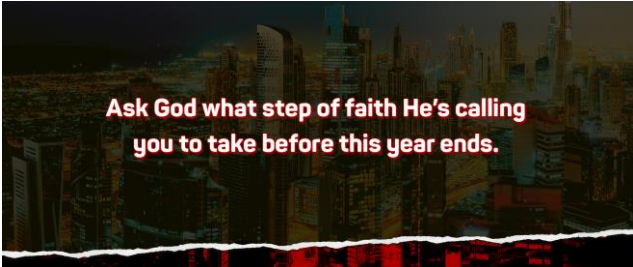
This Week's Challenge
Finish strong!

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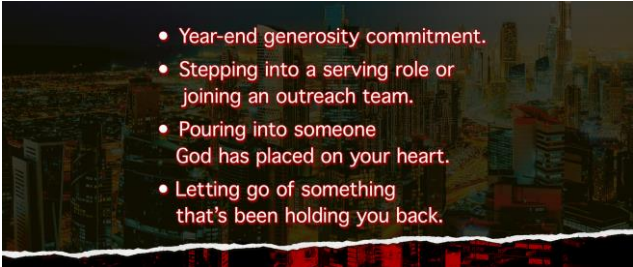
**A local church that stands out
in a world that blends in.**

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**Ask God what step of faith He's calling
you to take before this year ends.**

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- Year-end generosity commitment.
 - Stepping into a serving role or joining an outreach team.
 - Pouring into someone God has placed on your heart.
 - Letting go of something that's been holding you back.

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