-Romans 13:11-14

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-Hebrews 9:27 (LSB) And inasmuch as it is appointed for men to die once and after this comes judgment,

-1 Corinthians 3:10-15 (LSB) 10 According to the grace of God which was given to me, like a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building on it. But each man must be careful how he builds on it. 11 For no one can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. 12 Now if anyone builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, 13 each man's work will become evident, for the day will indicate it because it is revealed with fire, and the fire itself will test the quality of each man's work. 14 If any man's work which he has built on it remains, he will receive a reward. 15 lf any man's work is burned up, he will suffer loss, but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.

-Romans 8:1 (LSB) Therefore there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

-John 3:18 (LSB) "He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.

-Hebrews 10:26-27, 31 (LSB) 26 For if we go on sinning willfully after receiving the knowledge of the truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins, 27 but a terrifying expectation of judgment and THE FURY OF A FIRE WHICH WILL CONSUME THE ADVERSARIES...31 It is a terrifying thing to fall into the hands of the living God.

-2 Peter 3:3-7 (LSB) 3 knowing this first of all, that in the last days mockers will come with their mocking, following after their own lusts, 4 and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all continues just as it was from the beginning of creation." 5 For when they maintain this, it escapes their notice that by the word of God the heavens existed long ago and the earth was formed out of water and by water, 6 through which the world at that time was destroyed, being deluged with water. 7 But by His word the present heavens and earth are being reserved for fire, being kept for the day of judgment and destruction of ungodly men. -Mark 16:16 (LSB) "He who has believed and has been baptized shall be saved; but he who has disbelieved shall be condemned.

-2 Corinthians 5:11 (LSB) So then, knowing the fear of the Lord, we persuade men...

-Romans 12:1-3 (LSB) 1 Therefore I exhort you, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a sacrifice--living, holy, and pleasing to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may approve what the will of God is, that which is good and pleasing and perfect. 3 For through the grace given to me I say to each one among you not to think more highly of himself than he ought to think; but to think so as to have sound thinking, as God has allotted to each a measure of faith.

-1 Corinthians 15:34 (LSB) Become righteously sober-minded, and stop sinning; for some have no knowledge of God. I speak this to your shame.

-1 Thessalonians 5:6, 8 (LSB) so then let us not sleep as others do, but let us be awake and sober...8 But since we are of the day, let us be sober, having put on the breastplate of faith and love, and as a helmet, the hope of salvation.

-2 Timothy 4:5 (LSB) But you, be sober in all things, endure hardship, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

-1 Peter 1:13 (LSB) Therefore, having girded your minds for action, being sober in spirit, fix your hope completely on the grace to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ.

-1 Peter 4:7 (LSB) The end of all things is at hand; therefore, be of sound thinking and sober spirit for the purpose of prayer.

-1 Peter 5:8 (LSB) Be of sober spirit, be watchful. Your adversary, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion, seeking someone to devour.

-Acts 20:8-9 (LSB) 8 Now there were many lamps in the upper room where we were gathered together. 9 And there was a young man named Eutychus sitting on the windowsill, sinking into a deep sleep. And as Paul kept on talking, he sunk into that sleep and fell down from the third floor and was picked up dead.

-Romans 6:5-6 (LSB) 5 For if we have become united with Him in the likeness of His death, certainly we shall also be in the likeness of His resurrection, 6 knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, in order that our body of sin might be done away with, so that we would no longer be slaves to sin;

-Romans 6:12-14 (LSB) 12 Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its lusts, 13 and do not go on presenting your members to sin as instruments of unrighteousness, but present yourselves to God as those alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God. 14 For sin shall not be master over you, for you are not under law but under grace.

-Romans 6:17-18 (LSB) 17 But thanks be to God that though you were slaves of sin, you obeyed from the heart that pattern of teaching to which you were given over, 18 and having been freed from sin, you became slaves of righteousness.

-Romans 7:18-20, 24 (LSB) 18 For I know that nothing good dwells in me, that is, in my flesh; for the willing is present in me, but the working out of the good is not. 19 For the good that I want, I do not do, but I practice the very evil that I do not want. 20 But if I am doing the very thing I do not want, I am no longer the one working it out, but sin which dwells in me...24 Wretched man that I am! Who will deliver me from the body of this death?

-Romans 7:25 (LSB) 25 Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, on the one hand I myself with my mind am serving the law of God, but on the other, with my flesh the law of sin.

-Ephesians 4:1 (LSB) Therefore I, the prisoner in the Lord, exhort you to walk worthy of the calling with which you have been called,

-Philippians 1:27 (LSB) Only live your lives in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so that whether l come and see you or remain absent, I will hear about your circumstances, that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind contending together for the faith of the gospel,

-Mark 13:33-37 (LSB) 33 "See to it, keep on the alert; for you do not know when the appointed time will come. 34 "It is like a man away on a journey, who, leaving his house and giving authority to his slaves--each one his task, also commanded the doorkeeper to stay awake. 35 "Therefore, stay awake--for you do not know when the master of the house is coming, whether in the evening, at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or in the morning-- 36 lest he come suddenly and find you sleeping. 37 "And what I say to you I say to all, 'Stay awake!""

-Luke 21:34-36 (LSB) 21:34 "But be on guard, so that your hearts will not be overcome with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of life, and that day will not come on you suddenly like a trap;35for it will come upon all those who inhabit the face of all the earth.36"But keep on the alert at all times, praying earnestly that you may have strength to escape all these things that are about to take place, and to stand before the Son of Man."

-Ephesians 5:7-16 (LSB) 7 Therefore do not be partakers with them, 8 for you were formerly darkness, but now you are light in the Lord; walk as children of light 9 (for the fruit of that light consists in all goodness and righteousness and truth), 10 trying to learn what is pleasing to the Lord. 11 And do not participate in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead even expose them. 12 For it is disgraceful even to speak of the things which are done by them in secret. 13 But all things become visible when they are exposed by the light, for everything that becomes visible is light. 14 For this reason it says, "Awake, sleeper, And arise from the dead, And Christ will shine on you." 15 Therefore look carefully how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, 16 redeeming the time, because the days are evil.

-1 John 1:5-7 (LSB) 5 And this is the message we have heard from Him and declare to you, that God is Light, and in Him there is no darkness at all. 6 If we say that we have fellowship with Him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not do the truth; 7 but if we walk in the Light as He Himself is in the Light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

-2 Corinthians 10:3-5 (LSB) 3 For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh, 4 for the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh, but divinely powerful for the tearing down of strongholds, 5 as we tear down speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God, and take every thought captive to the obedience of Christ,

-James 1:15 (LSB) Then when lust has conceived, it gives birth to sin, and when sin is fully matured, it brings forth death.

-Ephesians 4:20-24 (LSB) 20 But you did not learn Christ in this way-- 21 if indeed you heard Him and were taught in Him, just as truth is in Jesus, 22 to lay aside, in reference to your former conduct, the old man, which is being corrupted in accordance with the lusts of deceit, 23 and to be renewed in the spirit of your mind, 24 and to put on the new man, which in the likeness of God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth.

-Galatians 3:26-28 (LSB) 26 For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. 27 For all of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ. 28 There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free man, there is no male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus.

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-"I thought that most of you were bowed down too much with the servile fear of man... Unless your hearts are free from worldly hopes and worldly fears you will never speak boldly as you ought to speak."—George Whitefield at Doddridge's Academy

-Do we really know what time it is?