

- I. Stand firm despite the shame of the gospel (8)
  - A. Providing the gospel came with a cost (8a)
  
  
  - B. Accepting the gospel comes with a cost (8b)
  
- II. Stand firm upon the truth of the gospel (9-10)
  - A. God initiated your redemption (9)
  
  
  - B. Christ accomplished your redemption (10)
  
- III. Stand firm to do the work of the gospel (11-12)
  - A. The Lord assigns your role (11-12a)
  
  
  - B. The Lord expects your trust (12b)