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## How To Build A Life Of Courage

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I expect and hope that . . . I will have the courage now, as always, to show the greatness of Christ in my life here on earth.

**Philippians 1:20a NCV**

“Be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or discouraged. For the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.”

**Joshua 1:9b NLT**

### 4. Remember The Lord's Return.

Be patient. Take courage, for the coming of the Lord is near.

**James 5:8b NLT**

The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. He is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.

**2 Peter 3:9 NIV**

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