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First Peter 5.8-10 NASB onscreen

I. Be alert and aware

- **Pride** : An excessive and unhealthy view of oneself without regard for others; considering oneself to be better or more important than others. It is often considered the most dangerous or the root of all other sins.
- **Greed**: An excessive pursuit and desire for material possessions, money, or power beyond what one needs.
- **Wrath**: Uncontrolled feelings of anger, rage, or hatred towards another person, often involving a strong desire for revenge.
- **Envy**: A selfish sadness at the prosperity of others and the intense desire to have an item, quality, or success that someone else possesses.
- **Lust**: A disordered desire for or enjoyment of sexual pleasure, but can also extend to an intense longing for other forms of pleasure, power, or fame.
- **Gluttony**: The overconsumption and inordinate love of food or drink, or consuming beyond necessity.
- **Sloth** : An excessive laziness or the failure to act and utilize one's talents; a form of spiritual apathy or weariness with spiritual goods that leads to the neglect of duties.

These will hurt you and those around you!

Satan Attacks us by What Attracts Us

How to defeat our Adversary, the Devil

1. **Be Aware** (sober-minded) (Nepho).

Don't be like you are Drunk.

2. **Be alert** (Wake Up)

3. Wake up to our own apathy
4. Wake up to the KOG existing only for our comfort
5. Wake up to the Power of the Spirit
6. Wake up to the needs around you. People need you to be doing well in Jesus.
7. Wake up and participate with God to advance your spiritual depth, love and maturity
8. Wake up to being irresponsible with the gift of salvation
9. Wake up to blaming God for the things satan, this world, and just plain life has done to you. Stop
10. Wake up to the fact that you are responsible for desiring transformation
11. Wake up to not changing will bring no change, no matter what your intentions are.

Wake up! To your life and where you are going and what you are doing and who you are becoming.

“This is why it is said: “Wake up, sleeper, rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you.” Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil.” (Ephesians 5:14–16, NIV)

3. Resist: “To Stand Against”

“So humble yourselves before God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Come close to God, and God will come close to you. Wash your hands, you sinners; purify your hearts, for your loyalty is divided between God and the world.” (James 4:7–8, NLT)

Exercise some wisdom and protect yourself from the Devil

4. Standing firm in your faith

Saving faith/Active

Living faith-Faith that gets you through

“Therefore put on the full armor of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand.” (Ephesians 6:13, NIV)

“Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.” (Romans 12:21, NIV)

How Can you have more Faith in Christ

1. Spend time with Jesus
2. Start loving the Word of God, and obeying the Word of God
3. Intentionally be in community.

“All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right.” (2 Timothy 3:16, NLT)

“Above all, you must realize that no prophecy in Scripture ever came from the prophet’s own understanding, or from human initiative. No, those prophets were moved by the Holy Spirit, and they spoke from God.” (2 Peter 1:20–21, NLT)

“So faith comes from hearing, that is, hearing the Good News about Christ.” (Romans 10:17, NLT)