



# TEACHINGS FROM THE NEW TESTAMENT

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“Work for the Lord”



**1 CORINTHIANS  
15:58**



**My dear brothers and sisters, stand strong. Do not let anything move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord. You know that your work in the Lord is never wasted.**



# **What does this Scripture mean?**

- 1. There are a lot of things in life that can and will distract us from God and His work. Things like relationships, money, power, fame, and fitting in. However, we are to be strong and not easily moved by these things!**
- 2. Instead of being moved by things that don't matter, we are called to be moved by something far greater than we could possibly imagine; the work of the Lord, for God never wastes what we do in Him.**
- 3. God's work is simple; to follow Him faithfully, to tell others about Jesus, and to live peaceful lives to the best of our ability.**

**Remember: When you feel small, don't forget that doing God's work makes us, in Christ, bigger than we could ever imagine!**



# **How To Follow Jesus Well**

**When you're not sure  
what to do, be faithful  
to what God has told  
you to do; you'll never  
go wrong that way!**

**When you're feeling  
small, pray to God and  
ask Him to remind you  
how great Jesus' love is!**



# **CROSS CONNECTION**

**When Jesus died on the cross and rose from the grave, He changed the entire world. Now, the things we humans think are important aren't anymore, and the people we think are important aren't anymore. Everything has been changed by Jesus!**

# Reflection Questions

**1. What are we supposed to do when the cares of this world blow against us?**

**Stand strong!**

**2. What is never wasted?**

**The work of the Lord!**

**3. What is God's work?**

**Following God faithfully, telling others about Jesus, and living in peace!**

**Challenge Question: How will you stand strong for Jesus this week?**