

Message Notes

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*People of Hope
Staying Awake
1 Thessalonians 5:1-11
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- Even in _____, Jesus offers us _____ & _____.
- Instead of telling us _____, Paul shares _____ to _____ for it.

The Day of the LORD

- It is a day of _____ & the _____ of God's _____.
- It is also a day of _____ & _____ for all of God's people.
- God will _____ evil & _____ it _____. (Rev 21-22:5)

While people are saying, "Peace and safety," destruction will come on them suddenly, as labor pains on a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. 1 Thessalonians 5:3

- ① The Day of the LORD will come at an _____ time. (Mt 24:36)
- ② It will _____ the _____ of this world's _____ & _____.
- ③ The Day of the LORD will be _____. (Matt 24:50; Rev 22:12-13)

Preparing Today for That Day

So be on your guard, not asleep like the others. Stay alert and be clearheaded.

1 Thessalonians 5:6

- ① Remember the new _____ you have been _____ by Jesus.
 - ② Stay _____ and _____. (Mt 25:1-13; Mk 13:33; Lk 12:13-21; 1 Pet 4:7)
 - ③ _____ appropriately for the _____ ahead. (Is 59:17; Eph 6:10-18)
 - ④ We need to _____ one another while we _____. (v. 11; Heb 10:24-25)
- Believers, don't be _____ because your _____ is _____.
 - Unbelievers, don't be _____ because _____ seems _____.
 - You can be saved _____ that Day & _____ a better life _____. (Jn 10:10)
 - Am I _____ myself _____ for that _____? (Rev 3:11)