

“Standing Strong in the Face of Crisis”

I Peter – Standing Strong – Part 10

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I Peter 5:1-11

1. The _____ of Shepherds.

I Peter 5:1-3 —“To the elders among you, I appeal as a fellow elder and a witness of Christ’s sufferings who also will share in the glory to be revealed: ²Be shepherds of God’s flock that is under your care, watching over them—not because you must, but because you are willing, as God wants you to be; not pursuing dishonest gain, but eager to serve; ³not lording it over those entrusted to you, but being examples to the flock.”

Reference: Titus 1:1-9; Ephesians 4:11-13

2. The _____ of a Flock.

I Peter 5:5-7 – “In the same way, you who are younger, submit yourselves to your elders. All of you, clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because, ‘God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble.’ ⁶Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. ⁷Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.”

3. The _____ of the Chief Shepherd's return.

I Peter 5:10-11—“And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. ¹¹To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen.