



**Start Presentation**

## 2 Corinthians 4:8-11

We are hard-pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed – always carrying about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life of Jesus also may be manifested in our body.



DOOR OF LIFE SUNDAY SERVICE  
GODLY STUBBORNNESS

# **A Stubborn Dedication**

## **Luke 5:4-8**

**When Jesus had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch."**

**But Simon answered and said to Him, "Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net."**

**And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking.**

**So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink.**

## **Proverbs 4:20-23**

**My son, give attention to my words;  
Incline your ear to my sayings.**

**Do not let them depart from your eyes;  
Keep them in the midst of your heart;**

**For they are life to those who find them,  
And health to all their flesh.**

**Keep your heart with all diligence,  
For out of it spring the issues of life.**

**John 8:31-32, Matthew 4:4, Luke 16:17**

**But Jesus answered and said (to Satan), “It is written, ‘Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.’ ”**

**Heaven and earth will disintegrate before even the smallest detail of the word of God will fail or lose its power.**

**Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, “If you continue in my word, then are you my disciples indeed; and you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.”**

## Genesis 32:24-28

Jacob was all alone in the camp, and a man came and wrestled with him until the dawn began to break. When the man saw that he would not win the match, he touched Jacob's hip and wrenched it out of its socket.

Then the man said, "Let me go, for the dawn is breaking!"  
But Jacob said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me."

"What is your name?" the man asked. He replied, "Jacob."

"Your name will no longer be Jacob," the man told him.

"From now on you will be called Israel, because you have fought with God and with men and have won."



# **A Stubborn Stand**

## **Ephesus 6:12-14**

**For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.**

**Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.**

**Stand therefore, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness**

## **1 Peter 5:8-9**

**Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world.**

**Take a decisive stand against him and resist his every attack with strong, vigorous faith. For you know that your believing brothers and sisters around the world are experiencing the same kinds of troubles you endure. [TPT]**

## **Acts 20:22-24**

**And see, now I (Paul) go bound in the spirit to Jerusalem, not knowing the things that will happen to me there, except that the Holy Spirit testifies in every city, saying that chains and tribulations await me.**

**But none of these things move me; nor do I count my life dear to myself, so that I may finish my race with joy, and the ministry which I received from the Lord Jesus, to testify to the gospel of the grace of God.**

## **Luke 18:1-5**

**Then He spoke a parable to them, that men always ought to pray and not lose heart, saying: "There was in a certain city a judge who did not fear God nor regard man.**

**Now there was a widow in that city; and she came to him, saying, 'Get justice for me from my adversary.'**

**And he would not for a while; but afterward he said within himself, 'Though I do not fear God nor regard man yet because this widow troubles me I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.'"**

**Luke 18:6-8**

**Then the Lord said, "Hear what the unjust judge said.**

**And shall God not avenge His own elect who cry out day and night to Him, though He bears long with them?**

**I tell you that He will avenge them speedily. Nevertheless, when the Son of Man comes, will He really find faith on the earth?"**

# **A Stubborn Faith**

The background features abstract geometric shapes in various shades of gray. On the left, a solid gray trapezoidal shape extends from the top edge. On the right, a complex composition of overlapping, semi-transparent gray polygons and lines creates a layered, architectural effect. A thin black line runs diagonally across the lower right portion of the image.

## **Matthew 15:22-28**

**A woman of Canaan came from that region and cried out to Him, saying, “Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David! My daughter is severely demon-possessed.” But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged Him, saying, “Send her away, for she cries out after us.”**

**But He answered and said, “I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.” Then she came and worshiped Him, saying, “Lord, help me!” But He answered and said, “It is not good to take the children’s bread and throw it to the little dogs.” And she said, “Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters’ table.”**

**Then Jesus answered and said to her, “O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire.” And her daughter was healed from that very hour.**



## **Mark 10:46-52**

**A blind beggar named Bartimaeus (son of Timaeus) was sitting beside the road. When Bartimaeus heard that Jesus of Nazareth was nearby, he began to shout, “Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!”**

**“Be quiet!” many of the people yelled at him. But he only shouted louder, “Son of David, have mercy on me!”**

**When Jesus heard him, he stopped and said, “Tell him to come here.” So they called the blind man. “Cheer up,” they said. “Come on, he’s calling you!” Bartimaeus threw aside his coat, jumped up, and came to Jesus.**

**“What do you want me to do for you?” Jesus asked. “My Rabbi,” the blind man said, “I want to see!” And Jesus said to him, “Go, for your faith has healed you.” Instantly the man could see, and he followed Jesus down the road.**

## **Mark 5:25-29**

**Now a certain woman had a flow of blood for twelve years, and had suffered many things from many physicians. She had spent all that she had and was no better, but rather grew worse.**

**When she heard about Jesus, she came behind Him in the crowd and touched His garment. For she said, “If only I may touch His clothes, I shall be made well.”**

**Immediately the fountain of her blood was dried up, and she felt in her body that she was healed of the affliction.**

# Godly Stubbornness

- **A Stubborn Dedication**
- **A Stubborn Stand**
- **A Stubborn Faith**



DOOR OF LIFE SUNDAY SERVICE  
GODLY STUBBORNNESS

**The End**

The background features abstract geometric shapes in various shades of gray. On the left, a solid gray trapezoidal shape is partially visible. On the right, there is a complex arrangement of overlapping, semi-transparent gray polygons and lines, creating a layered, architectural effect.