

**What I Can Do**

**I Can...Be Prepared**



# Prepared For What?

- **Trials and Temptations**

- *They Are Common*

- 1<sup>ST</sup> COR. 10:13; 1<sup>ST</sup> JOHN 2:16;

- 1<sup>ST</sup> PET. 5:9; 2<sup>ND</sup> TIM. 3:12

- *I Must Resist And Stand Fast*

- REV. 2:10; HEB. 10:23, 34, 36



# Prepared For What?

- **Teaching the Lost**

- *Every Disciple's Responsibility*

**2<sup>ND</sup> TIMOTHY 2:24-26**

- *Teaching Others So They Can... Teach Others!*

**2<sup>ND</sup> TIM. 2:2; EPH. 4:1 1, 12**



# Prepared For What?

- **Helping Someone In Need**

- *Again, This Is Expected of Each Disciple*

**1<sup>ST</sup> JOHN 3:17**

- *We Work For This Purpose!*

**EPHESIANS 4:28**



# Prepared For What?

- **The End**

- *We Don't Know The Day*

**2<sup>ND</sup> PET. 3:10; 1<sup>ST</sup> THESS. 5:2**

- *I Don't Know MY Time*

**ECCLESIASTES 9:1 1, 12**



# What Hinders Me From Doing This?

- **Apathy**

- *Lukewarm In Preparation*

**REVELATION 3:15, 16**

- *Thinking God Will Not Act*

**ZEPHANIAH 1:12**



# What Hinders Me From Doing This?

- **Distractions**

- *Work/Career*

**1<sup>ST</sup> TIM. 5:8; LUKE 14:19**

- *Worthless Wisdom*

**ECCLESIASTES 12:12**



# What Hinders Me From Doing This?

- **Misplaced Priority**

- *Materialistic Pursuits*

**LUKE 12:16-21**

- *Selfish Pleasures and Entertainment*

**ECCLESIASTES 2:1-11**





# What Hinders Me From Doing This?

- **Others Who Are Unprepared**

- *Afraid Of Being Excluded*

**JOHN 12:42, 43**

- *Respecting Them More Than God*



# How Can I Do This?

- **Remember**

- *We Are All Individually Accountable*

**2<sup>ND</sup> CORINTHIANS 5:10**

- *Readiness Is Necessary*

**1<sup>ST</sup> PET. 3:15; 1<sup>ST</sup> THESS. 5:4-8**



# How Can I Do This?

- **Focus**

- *On Spiritual Matters*

**COLOSSIANS 3:1, 2**

- *Remembering We Are To Be Spiritual People*

**ROMANS 8:1, 5**



# How Can I Do This?

- **Openness**

- *I Have To Care*

**LUKE 10:33; MATTHEW 22:37**

- *I Have To Act*

**ISAIAH 6:8**

