# IPETER: HOLYAND HOPE-FILLED LIVING IN A HOSTILE WORLD

## 1 PETER 5:8-11

## CODE RED ALERT!!!

SPIRITUAL ENEMY ALERT!!!

#### The Identity Of The Enemy, 5:8

Your Adversary!

Cp. Revelation 12:9-10

The Devil!

Cp. Ephesians 6:10-12, 16

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Legalism (I Timothy 4:1-6)	Walk in Grace!

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The Warnings Concerning The Enemy, 5:8

- Be Sober!
- Be On The Alert!

#### Hindrances To Spiritual Alertness...

- Pride, I Peter 5:5-6
- Worry, I Peter 5:7
- Ignorance, I Peter 5:7; 2:11; 4:7.
- Worldliness, I John 2:15-17
- Carnality, Heb. 5:11-14; Romans 13:11-14; I Corinthians 3:1-4.
- Just plain laziness!

- The Command Concerning The Enemy, 5:9
  - The Statement of the command: Resist him!!
    - ✓ James 4:7...Luke 4:13
      What would constitute an "opportune time" for Satan to tempt us???



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