

Today's Theme

“Fighting Off Loneliness”

Series Title:

“Staying Encouraged”

Part 8 6/21/20

Answers We Need In Staying Encouraged

1. We want & need an _____ to _____.

Ah, look at all the lonely people

Mark 8:36 What good is it for someone to gain the whole world, yet forfeit their soul?

Matthew 28:20 And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

(1) Wise people _____ their _____ loneliness.

(2) How we handle our _____ for _____ is big.

2. We long to have _____ in _____.

Eleanor Rigby - Picks up the rice in the church where a wedding has been - Lives in a dream

1 Cor 10:31 So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.

John 10:10 The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

Jn 11:25 Jesus said to her, “I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die;

(1) What am I _____ for? What is my _____?

(2) Who or what is my _____ in _____?

3. We yearn to be _____ to be the _____ me.

Waits at the window - Wearing the face that she keeps in a jar by the door - Who is it for?

Romans 14:1 Accept the one whose faith is weak, without quarreling over disputable matters.

(1) We all want to be _____ by _____.

(2) With _____ comes _____.

4. We must _____ a _____ in life.

Father McKenzie - Writing the words of a sermon that no one will hear - No one comes near
Look at him working - Darning his socks in the night when there's nobody there - What does he care?

Matthew 5:16 In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

1 Timothy 5:10 and is well known for her good deeds, such as bringing up children, showing hospitality, washing the feet of the Lord's people, helping those in trouble and devoting herself to all kinds of good deeds.
Matthew 6:21 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

(1) We all want to _____ a _____.

(2) What we _____ - Positions our _____.

5. We desire to be _____ to _____.

Eleanor Rigby - Died in the church and was buried along with her name - Nobody came
Father McKenzie - Wiping the dirt from his hands as he walks from the grave - No one was saved

1 Corinthians 13:1 If I speak in the tongues of men or of angels, but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal.

James 3:13 Who is wise and understanding among you? Let them show it by their good life, by deeds done in the humility that comes from wisdom.

Jn 13:34 “A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.

(1) Trying to be valuable _____ love - _____.

(2) Understanding _____ love does makes us _____.

(3) This is what _____ does - It's _____.