

**Be Prepared**  
1 Thessalonians 5:1-8

There are many things in life that we need to be prepared for, but the most important is to be ready for Christ's return. We need to live as if Christ is coming today. We say that Jesus is coming soon and that we are ready, but do we really live in the expectation and excitement that it could be today?

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's return vs. 1&2

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's return vs. 3&4

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's return vs. 5

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's return vs. 6&7

The \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's return vs. 8

How should we live?

Make sure that you are in the faith

Prepare now for that day so that you are not taken by surprise

Demonstrate that you are not of darkness, you are of the light

Refuse to be brought under the control of anything

Protect your mind and your heart