

# FAITH THAT LASTS

A SERMON SERIES THROUGH THE BOOK OF JUDE

8/20-9/17/2023

# WEEK THREE: **THOSE WHO WALK** **JUDE 5-16**

**TARGET STATEMENT: LEARN TO RELY ON JESUS LIKE YOU DID AT THE START.**

- OUTLINE OF JUDE 5-16
  - V 5-7: THREE OLD TESTAMENT EXAMPLES OF GROUPS WHO SINNED.
  - V 8-10: APPLICATION OF THE OLD TESTAMENT EXAMPLES TO JUDE AUDIENCE.
  - V 11-13: THREE OLD TESTAMENT EXAMPLES OF INDIVIDUALS WHO LEAD OTHERS TO SIN.
  - V 14-16 ENOCH'S PROPHECY & GOD'S JUDGMENT

**Jude 5** | Now I want to remind you, although you once fully knew it

WHAT **YOU** KNEW FULLY.

1. You are a sinner.
2. You need a Lord and Savior (Leader of your life and forgiver of your sins)
3. Jesus is the only fit Lord and Savior

**Jude 19** | It is these who cause divisions, worldly people, devoid of the Spirit.

Verse in Jude	Biblical Cross Reference
Verse 5	Numbers 14
Verse 6	Genesis 6:1-4
Verse 7	Genesis 18-19

**Jude 5** | ...that Jesus, who saved a people out of the land of Egypt, afterward destroyed those who did not believe.

**Numbers 14:35** | I, the Lord, have spoken. Surely this will I do to all this wicked congregation who are gathered together against me: in this wilderness they shall come to a full end, and there they shall die.

**1 John 2:19** | They went out from us, but they were not of us...

**Jude 6** | And the angels who did not stay within their own position of authority, but left their proper dwelling, he has kept in eternal chains under gloomy darkness until the judgment of the great day

- Other Text // Isaiah 14:12-21 // Ezekiel 28:12-19
  - **Jude 6 parallel text 2 Peter 2:4**

**2 Peter 2:4** | For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment;

**Jude 7** | just as Sodom and Gomorrah and the surrounding cities, which likewise indulged in sexual immorality and pursued unnatural desire, serve as an example by undergoing a punishment of eternal fire.

**Ezekiel 16:49** | Behold, this was the guilt of your sister Sodom: she and her daughters had pride, excess of food, and prosperous ease, but did not aid the poor and needy

**Jude 8** | Yet in like manner these people also, relying on their dreams, defile the flesh, reject authority, and blaspheme the glorious ones.

**Jude 9** | But when the archangel Michael, contending with the devil, was disputing about the body of Moses, he did not presume to pronounce a blasphemous judgment, but said, "The Lord rebuke you."

Verse in Jude	Biblical Cross Reference
Verse 9	Daniel 12:1, Deut. 34:6, Zech. 3

*\*\*Resource on Assumption on Moses – <https://www.gotquestions.org/Assumption-of-Moses.html> ... Jude did not intend to put a canonical stamp on the Assumption of Moses simply because he cited it. He viewed this story as true or helpful, or he believed it illustrated the truth he desired to teach as Paul does in Acts 17 with non-Christian poets.*

**Jude 10-11** | 10 But these people blaspheme all that they do not understand, and they are destroyed by all that they, like unreasoning animals, understand instinctively  
11 Woe to them! For they walked in the way of Cain and abandoned themselves for the sake of gain to Balaam's error and perished in Korah's rebellion.

Verse in Jude	Biblical Cross Reference
Verse 11	Genesis 4: CAIN
Verse 11	Numbers 22: BALAAM
Verse 11	Numbers 16: KORAH

#### Cain (Other Biblical References)

- Hebrews 11:4
- 1 John 3:12

#### Balaam (Other Biblical References)

- Revelation 2:14
- 2 Peter 2:15

#### Korah's (Other Biblical References)

- none

**Jude 12-13** | 12 These are hidden reefs at your love feasts, as they feast with you without fear, shepherds feeding themselves; waterless clouds, swept along by winds; fruitless trees in late autumn, twice dead, uprooted; 13 wild waves of the sea, casting up the foam of their own shame; wandering stars, for whom the gloom of utter darkness has been reserved forever.

**Jude 14-15** | 14 It was also about these that Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied, saying, "Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of his holy ones, 15 to execute judgment on all and to convict all the ungodly of all their deeds of ungodliness that they have committed in such an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things that ungodly sinners have spoken against him."

*\*\*\*Resource on 1 Enoch: <https://www.gotquestions.org/book-of-Enoch.html> ... Jude isn't saying Enoch should be considered scripture. But he is saying that this statement from it is true. Just like other literature, it has true statements in it. But that does not mean the entire work is inspired like the 66 Books of the Bible are inspired by God.*

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**QUESTION FOR REFLECTION: WHERE DO YOU NEED TO RELY ON GOD THIS WEEK?**