

“Prepare for Opposition”
Psalm 126:6

2Timothy 3:12

John 15:20

I. The _____ of our stewardship = the *seed*

the seed = the word of God

Luke 8:11

1Peter 1:23

Genesis 1:11

Psalm 14:1

Matthew 6:20

1Corinthians 15:42

2Corinthians 2:17

Matthew 24:35

2Timothy 4:2

II. The _____ of our stewardship = *precious*

“precious” (adj) = valuable, of great worth or prize

The seed is RARE these days because of...

- The confusion over the hundreds of “corrupted” versions of seed
- The famine in the land

Amos 8:11-12

- The lack of faithful preachers

1Samuel 3:1

1Peter 2:6

1Peter 1:19

1Peter 1:7

Psalm 49:8

Psalm 116:15

III. The _____ of our stewardship = to *bear*

To “*bear*” = to bring forth amidst adversity

Genesis 1:29

1Thessalonians 2:9

Historical / Biblical examples: the early church

Acts 4:1-3

Acts 4:18

Acts 5:17-18

Acts 5:41-42

Acts 6:12-13

Acts 7:57-58

Acts 8:1

Luke 14:27

2Corinthians 4:7-10

2Corinthians 11:23-30

Galatians 5:11

Philippians 1:29

Philippians 3:10

1Peter 2:21

1Peter 4:16

1Peter 5:10

Ultimately, we are called to bear Jesus’ _____!

Hebrews 13:12-13

1Timothy 3:7

Luke 6:22

1Timothy 4:10

Matthew 10:24-25

2Corinthians 12:10

Hebrews 11:24-26

1Peter 4:14

Be like Jesus: bear _____ of the truth!

John 18:37

2Corinthians 4:16-18

Rom 8:17-18