

(Topics, Lead-in, and Lead-in Devotional Reading below)

# Standing Strong

1 Timothy 6:12; 2 Timothy 2:1-13; Hebrews 12:1-3

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1. Stand - ing strong, look - ing to Je - sus, Fight the fight of sim - ple faith.  
2. Plant the seed, pa - tient - ly wait - ing Thro' the rain and blaz - ing sun,  
3. Run your race look - ing to Je - sus, Leav - ing all that weighs you down.

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Bold in heart and clear in pur - pose, Fol - low your Mas - ter un - a - fraid.  
Sow - ing, tend - ing, watch - ing, work - ing, Know - ing the har - vest soon will come.  
Run with joy and run with cour - age, Know - ing the faith - ful gain the crown!

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Strong in the Spir - it's power, Might - y in joy - ful praise,

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Sure as you wait His time, Trust - ing His love!

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TOPICS: Faith; Patient Endurance; Serving in Christ's Name; Suffering for Christ

LEAD-IN: *Be strong in the grace that is in Christ Jesus.  
Suffer hardship with me, as a good soldier of Christ Jesus.  
(2 Timothy 2:1, 3, NASB)*

LEAD-IN DEVOTIONAL READING:

## **Give Me Boldness**

*“Now, Lord, take note of their threats, and grant that Your bond-servants may speak Your word with all confidence.” (Acts 4:29, NASB)*

Lord, when I face a difficult task,  
    when I'm afraid,  
I look for a way out.  
I rationalize.  
“That's not my personality.”  
“That's not my strength.”  
“Lord, if You don't mind,  
    I'll occupy myself over here,  
    doing this other task instead.”

But when the early Christians faced a fearful, uncomfortable situation,  
they didn't look for a way out.  
They prayed for boldness.  
God, help me to do the same.

*Lord,  
give me boldness  
to do Your will.*