

## **Fear of Disaster**

**Fearless – Part 5**

**Full Life Church – December 13, 2009**  
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*Proverbs 28:1 (NIV) The wicked man flees though no one pursues, but the righteous are as bold as a lion.*

*Matthew 24:3 (NIV) ... What will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age?"*

### **1. Watch out for \_\_\_\_\_**

*Matthew 24:4 (NIV) Jesus answered: "Watch out that no one deceives you."*

### **1A. Many false \_\_\_\_\_ will come**

*Matthew 24:5 (NIV) For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am the Christ,' and will deceive many.*

### **1B. Many false \_\_\_\_\_ will appear**

*Matthew 24:11 (NIV) and many false prophets will appear and deceive many people.*

### **2. Don't be alarmed by \_\_\_\_\_**

*Matthew 24:6 (NIV) You will hear of wars and rumors of wars, but see to it that you are not alarmed. Such things must happen, but the end is still to come.*

### **2A. \_\_\_\_\_ will increase**

*Matthew 24:7 (NIV) Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom.*

### **2B. Natural \_\_\_\_\_ will intensify**

*Matthew 24:7-8 (NIV) ... There will be famines and earthquakes in various places. All these are the beginning of birth pains.*

*Psalm 91:5-7 (NIV) You will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday. A thousand may fall at your side, ten thousand at your right hand, but it will not come near you.*

### **3. Stand firm in your \_\_\_\_\_**

*Matthew 24:13 (NIV) but he who stands firm to the end will be saved.*

### **3A. \_\_\_\_\_ of believers will increase**

*Matthew 24:9 (NIV) Then you will be handed over to be persecuted and put to death, and you will be hated by all nations because of me.*

### **3B. Many believers will \_\_\_\_\_**

*Matthew 24:10-12 (NIV) At that time many will turn away from the faith and will betray and hate each other, ... Because of the increase of wickedness, the love of most will grow cold,*

### **3C. The \_\_\_\_\_ will spread to the whole world**

*Matthew 24:14 (NIV) And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come.*

## Message Study Guide

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(Answer questions based on the message outline and verses)

Intro. How should a believer face danger (Proverbs 28:1)?

2A. Why should disasters not alarm the believer (Matthew 24:6)?

2B. In what ways will future disasters be like the beginning of birth pains (Matthew 24:7-8)?

What disasters do you think people are currently most afraid of?

2C. How could you give hope to someone struggling with fear (Psalm 91:5-7)?

1A. Why do you think that deception will increase (Matthew 24:4)?

3A. What does it mean to stand firm to the end (Matthew 24:13)?

1B. What kind of false messiahs or prophets may deceive people (Matthew 24:5, 11)?

3B. What will happen to believers in the future (Matthew 24:9-12)?

1C. How can you stay protected against deception?

3C. What should be our purpose and hope for the future (Matthew 24:14)?