

## *Questions for Reflection and Discussion*

### **Jude 17-25** ***Standing Strong***

#### ***Getting Started***

Name 3 things that have helped you to stand strong in the faith.

#### ***Background***

Jude has spent the last 13 verses denouncing the false teachers that had infiltrated the church. Now he has some final words of exhortation and encouragement.

#### ***Digging In***

1. **Read vv. 17-19.** What had the apostles predicted?
2. How did the apostles describe the false teachers in v. 18?
3. Why would this be helpful to Jude's readers to recall what the apostles had foretold?
4. What further information does Jude provide in v. 19?
5. **Read vv. 20-21.** What 4 admonitions does Jude give in these two verses?
6. Write a paraphrase of vv. 20-21.
7. **Read vv. 22-23.** Those who had fallen under the influence of the false teachers were not all the same. Jude seems to describe 3 groups of people. How are we to minister to each of these?
8. **Read vv. 24-25.** How would this concluding doxology have been a great encouragement to Jude's readers?



#### ***Getting Personal***

- **Read Jude 1-25.** How has Jude's short letter prepared you to avoid being victimized by false teachers?
- How has it motivated you to pursue godliness?
- Read again vv. 24-25. How do these verses encourage you in your walk with the Lord?
- How do they help you to find security in God, honor him, and delight in him?