

# Be Alert

I THESSALONIANS 5:1-11

I. The return of Christ will happen suddenly (vv. 1-3).

A. Many are looking for signs (vv. 1-2).

B. Many are longing for security (v. 3).

II. The return of Christ will not surprise believers (vv. 4-5).

A. Believers are set for the return of Christ (v. 4).

B. Believers are sons through adoption (v. 5).

III. The return of Christ motivates our service  
(vv. 6-11).

A. We need to be serious about our  
responsibility (vv. 6-8).

B. We need to be convinced of salvation  
through Christ (vv. 9-11).

**Conclusion:**

**Are you prepared for the return of Christ?**

**Are you serving because Christ could return  
at anytime?**