

# Run For Your (Eternal) Life!

“Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.” James 4:7 (English Standard Version)

In a situation of \_\_\_\_\_ we must not delay but \_\_\_\_\_ for our lives.

## Running For Their Physical Lives

- A. Some in the Bible who fled for their physical lives:
1. Genesis 19:17 - \_\_\_\_\_ was told to get out of \_\_\_\_\_ quickly.
  2. Genesis 27:43,44 – Rebekah told \_\_\_\_\_ to flee to Haran until his \_\_\_\_\_’s anger cooled.
  3. Luke 21:20-22 - \_\_\_\_\_ warned His followers to flee to the \_\_\_\_\_ when they saw \_\_\_\_\_ surrounding \_\_\_\_\_.
- B. The Greek *pheugo* pointed to \_\_\_\_\_ danger in Luke 21, but it can also point to \_\_\_\_\_ dangers.

## From What Should Christians “Flee”?

### A. Christians are to flee from sexual immorality:

1. 1 Corinthians 6:18 – To sin in this way is to sin against our \_\_\_\_\_. This was a major problem for Christians in \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Is this a problem? Look at the prevalence of \_\_\_\_\_!
3. Genesis 39:12 - \_\_\_\_\_ left his garment and \_\_\_\_\_ to get out of the house.
4. 1 Peter 2:11 – Passions of the \_\_\_\_\_ war against our \_\_\_\_\_.

### B. Christians are to flee from the love of money:

1. 1 Timothy 6:10,11 – The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is a \_\_\_\_\_ of all kinds of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Matthew 6:24 – We cannot \_\_\_\_\_ God and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Matthew 6:19-21 - Put your \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_, not on earth.

### C. Christians are to flee from idolatry:

1. 1 Corinthians 10:4 - \_\_\_\_\_ was in Corinth; \_\_\_\_\_ from it!
2. Philippians 3:19 – For some people, their \_\_\_\_\_ is their \_\_\_\_\_, i.e., material things versus \_\_\_\_\_ things.
3. Colossians 3:1,2 – To resist idolatry, we must \_\_\_\_\_ our minds on things \_\_\_\_\_, not on things on the \_\_\_\_\_.

James 4:7 – We can make \_\_\_\_\_ flee by \_\_\_\_\_ him. But first we must \_\_\_\_\_ to God.

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