

## How To Keep The Church Strong

**Text:** Revelation 1:10-20

### **Introduction:**

This morning we looked at the things the Lord said in condemnation of some of the churches of Asia. Tonight, knowing the dangers which face the Lord's church, we will look to some of the things Jesus said of a positive nature to these churches. Things which will help us to keep the church strong.

**Discussion:** *To keep the church strong, we must...*

**I. Labor Fervently and Patiently (2:2-3, 9, 13, 19, 25-26; 3:8, 10)**

**II. Not Let False Teachers Continue (2:2, 6)**

**III. Trust In God! (2:7, 10-11, 17, 29; 3:13, 21-22)**

### **Conclusion:**

Sounds simple doesn't it! It really can be summed up in that we do not allow ourselves to be deceived by any means to cease our labors of love for God! The means to accomplish that is plain – trust in God!