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**Scripture Reading  
John 16:33**



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**Memory Verse  
Romans 12:2**

**And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what *is* that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.**

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**Message:**  
**Deuteronomy 31:6-8**



**I. A hostile world**



**A. Nothing new**  
*John 16:33*



**B. It is only going to  
get worse**



**C. We have Peace in  
Jesus**

**D. He has overcome  
the world**

## **II. Courageous**



### **A. Being brave, valor**



**B. encouragement:  
give courage, hope  
and confidence,  
give support**

**C. We are facing a  
hostile world, we  
need courage**





**III. Every believer has enemies**



**A. Many are within**

# **B. The influence of the culture**

A grayscale photograph of a cross on a beach. The cross is made of two simple wooden beams and stands in the distance. In the foreground, a series of dark footprints leads from the bottom left towards the cross. The beach is wide and sandy, with some small puddles or wet spots. The sky is overcast and hazy.

# **C. Those who are hostile to the gospel**

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# IV. The devil's plan



A. Prey on the  
weakest *1 Peter 5:8*

**B. Scare you** *John 19*

**C. Intimidate you**  
*John 19*

**V. In 2024**

**A. Be an encourager**

**B. We are going to  
stand courageous**



**C. Show the love of  
Christ**







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