

Come Before Winter — 2 Timothy 4:6-21

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Description

Reasons for urgency...

A. The Brevity of Life

— **James 4:13-14** | *Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will travel to such and such a city and spend a year there and do business and make a profit." Yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring—what your life will be! For you are like vapor that appears for a little while, then vanishes.* (CSB)

B. The Brevity of Opportunity

C. The Disposition of the Heart

— **Mark 4:4** | *As he sowed, some seed fell along the path, and the birds came and devoured it.* (CSB)

— **Mark 4:15** | *Some are like the word sown on the path. When they hear, immediately Satan comes and takes away the word sown in them.* (CSB)

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I. Relationships

— **Romans 12:18** | *If possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.* (CSB)

— **Matthew 5:23-24** | *So if you are offering your gift on the altar, and there you remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled with your brother or sister, and then come and offer your gift.* (CSB)

II. Resolutions

— **Joshua 24:15b** | *... Choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your fathers served in the region beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.* (ESV)

— **Acts 8:36** | *As they were traveling down the road, they came to some water. The eunuch said, "Look, there's water. What would keep me from being baptized?"* (CSB)