

Deacon's Beacons

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Therefore, stay awake, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. Matthew 24:42

Live every day as if it were your last. That sounds like a call to abandon all cares and do whatever you want. But it really is not. It is a reminder to live in a way that causes no regrets for things done or not done. In the sense of faith, it means that you are always in a right relationship with God. There are no promises for a certain number of days. We do not have an expiration date stamped on us. We cannot know when our time will come. But if we live with a sense that this could be our last day, maybe we can find it within ourselves to forgive, to reach out to someone we miss, to show simple acts of love to our family and friends. Do not presume that you will have time later.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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