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## **Your Works Make a Difference**

1 Corinthians 15:58

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*Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord.*

<p>Ὡστε, ἀδελφοί μου ἀγαπητοί, ἐδραῖοι γίνεσθε, ἀμετακίνητοι, περισσεύοντες ἐν τῷ ἔργῳ τοῦ κυρίου πάντοτε, εἰδότες ὅτι ὁ κόπος ὑμῶν οὐκ ἔστιν κενὸς ἐν κυρίῳ.</p>	<p><i>Therefore brethren my beloved, steadfast be! immovable while abounding in the work of the Lord always, having come to know that the labor of you is not vain in [the] Lord.</i></p>
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1. **The** \_\_\_\_\_ (15:1-57; 51-57): **“Therefore”**

2. **The** \_\_\_\_\_: **“Steadfast Be!”**

*Only here, 1 Cor 7:37, and Col 1:23*

*As noun, only in 1 Tim 3:15 – “pillar and ground of the truth”*

*Seems to be a heart attitude that comes from choice, not circumstances*

*Choice based upon decision and preparation*

*“I choose to stand on the Gospel and God’s Word.”*

3. **Do Not** \_\_\_\_\_:

*“Immovable”*

*Only here. Opposite is in Col 1:23*

*“I will not move from the Gospel and God’s Word.”*

*“Hold the line!”*

4. **Continue to** \_\_\_\_\_

a. \_\_\_\_\_:

*“Abounding”*

b. \_\_\_\_\_:

*“In the work of the Lord”*

c. \_\_\_\_\_:

*“Always”*

5. **Understand Your** \_\_\_\_\_

a. **Know the** \_\_\_\_\_

*“having come to know”*

b. **Embrace the** \_\_\_\_\_

*“your labor”*

c. **Believe the** \_\_\_\_\_

*“is not vain [empty]”*

d. **Understand the** \_\_\_\_\_

*“in the Lord”*