



# Be-Prepared!

Luke 2: 21-27



**BE-PREPARED...**

**ON**

**NOW**

**MOVED**



BE-PREPARED...

ON

- On the eighth day, when it was time...



BE-PREPARED...



NOW

- Now there was a man in Jerusalem called Simeon...

*CHARACTER*



## “SIMEON”

- He was righteous and devout...
- He lived an honorable and devout life. GW
- He was a good, God-fearing man GNT
- He was a good and godly man. NIRV
- in a word he **was consistent** ...
- How **important** is a godly character to me?
- How **consistent** am I in living a honorable and devout life ?



## “FOCUS ”

- He was waiting for the consolation of Israel. NIV
- He was waiting for the one who would comfort Israel. (GW)
- He was constantly expecting the Messiah to come soon
- He was waiting for God’s promise to Israel to come true... NIRV

What’s my focus , am I looking forward... or looking back?

What am I expecting ...or looking forward too ?

- Simon was one in a million... **right- man, right- place, right- time...?**



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**MOVED**

- **Moved** by the Spirit, he went into the temple courts

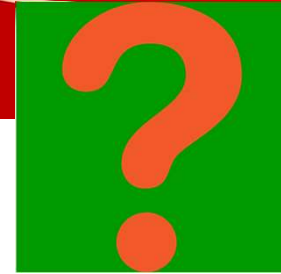
Here's a man in touch with God... how can I do that.?

How much in-tune am I, to prompting of the Holy Spirit?

How willing am I to follow His promptings?



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What Am I Living For?

What has God planted in me that gives purpose  
and meaning for me to go on living ?



