

**Say Amen (Jude)**  
**Jude 24, 25**  
**December 12, 2021**

**James, Joseph, Simon, and Jude (or Judas).**

**Jude 3 (ESV)**

3 Beloved, although I was very eager to write to you about our common salvation, I found it necessary to write appealing to you to contend for the faith that was once for all delivered to the saints.

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**Right relationship**

**Right thinking**

**Righteous moral behavior for God's glory**

**the kind of belief that leads to right behavior**

**Jude 20–21 (ESV)**

20 But you, beloved, building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit, 21 keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life.

**What does it mean to keep ourselves in the love of God**

**John 15:9–10 (ESV)**

As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love. 10 If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love.

**Remain under the influence of his love through obedience.**

**Jude 24–25 (ESV)**

24 Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, 25 to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

**God is able to present you to Himself without blemish.**

**Leviticus 22:21**

21 And when anyone offers a sacrifice of peace offerings to the Lord to fulfill a vow or as a freewill offering from the herd or from the flock, to be accepted it must be perfect; there shall be no blemish in it.

**Numbers 6:14**

14 ...and he shall bring his gift to the Lord, one male lamb a year old without blemish for a burnt offering, and one ewe lamb a year old without blemish as a sin offering

**1 Peter 1:18b-19 (ESV)**

... you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold,

**but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.**

**Isaiah 25:9 (ESV)**

It will be said on that day, "Behold, this is our God; we have waited for him, that he might save us. This is the Lord; we have waited for him; let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation."

**Jude 25 (ESV)**

to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.