

# FUTURE-PROOF

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**“Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come.”**

**— Matthew 24:42 (NIV)**



**EVERY NATION**  
SINGAPORE

## HOOK

 Start the conversation by saying...

Are you a planner or a go-with-the-flow person?  
Give one example of this.

## ENGAGE

 Go deeper with this...

Describe a life event that totally caught you off guard. How long did it take before you had a sense of control again?

## LINK

 Connect to God's truth by sharing...

- Jesus talked about something we often don't want to think about: the end times.
- As the future draws near, and life as we know it may end, we need to be prepared for it.
- Be on guard for things that draw you away from Jesus by claiming His authority.
- Hardship will come. There will always be suffering and betrayal. But faith is for both good and hard times.
- Guard your love, peace, and purpose in the midst of hardships.
- In the end, remember this world will not last. What will remain is God's kingdom and His words, which will never pass away.  
(Matthew 24:35)
- As we remain in Christ, let's love God and others, doing His work faithfully no matter our situation.

## PAUSE



Pick a question and pray together...

### Discuss Together

- Tell a story about when your faith carried you through a very challenging season in life.

### Pray Together (*pick one*)

- Pray for the peace of God to surround you regarding the future and end times.
- Pray for God's strength to continue to do His work and obey His will each day.
- Pray for God's grace to prepare yourself for the future by watching, guarding, and remaining anchored in Him.

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**“Heaven and earth will pass away,  
but my words will never pass away.”**

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