

Fan into Flame.

This is why I remind you to fan into flames the spiritual gift God gave you when I laid my hands on you. For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline. So never be ashamed to tell others about our Lord.

(2 Timothy 1:6-8, New Living Translation 2)

1.) God expects us to be on fire for him!

This is why I remind you to fan into flames... “I know all the things you do, that you are neither hot nor cold. I wish that you were one or the other! But since you are like lukewarm water... I will spit you out of my mouth!”
(Revelation 3:15-16, NLT2)

2.) God gives us people to remind us to keep from becoming lukewarm.

3.) God gives us gifts to keep from becoming lukewarm.

God has given us different gifts for doing certain things well. So if God has given you the ability to prophesy, speak out with as much faith as God has given you. If your gift is serving others, serve them well. If you are a teacher, teach well. If your gift is to encourage others, be encouraging. If it is giving, give generously. If God has given you leadership ability, take the responsibility seriously. And if you have a gift for showing kindness to others, do it gladly.
(Romans 12:6-8, NLT2)

If I could speak all the languages of earth and of angels, but didn't love others, I would only be a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. If I had the gift of prophecy, and if I understood all of God's secret plans and possessed all knowledge, and if I had such faith that I could move mountains, but didn't love others, I would be nothing. If I gave everything I have to the poor and even sacrificed my body, I could boast about it; but if I didn't love others, I would have gained nothing.
(1 Corinthians 13:1-3, NLT2)

4.) God has given us love, power, and a sound mind.

I am convinced that nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow—not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. No power in the sky above or in the earth below—indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord.
(Romans 8:38-39, NLT2)

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