

# A Man's Got To Do What A Man's Got To Do

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(1 Cor 16:13 NIV) Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be men of courage; be strong.

(1 Cor 16:14 NIV) Do everything in love.

## **Sermon Title: "A Man's Got To Do What A Man's Got To Do"**

**Introduction:** The Random House Dictionary of Popular Proverbs and Sayings, attributes "A man's got to do what a man's got to do, to John Wayne in the 1939 John Ford Western, "Stagecoach."

The dictionary defines this saying to mean -- "*One must follow the dictates of conscience, whatever the consequences. One must do whatever is necessary to achieve the desired result. One has no choice in the matter.*"

Today it is something men say when they are going to do something which may be unpleasant or which they are pretending will be unpleasant as a joke. "*I hate catching spiders. Still, a man's got to do what a man's got to do.*"

Never in our history have we needed men who will stand up and do what a man's got to do like we need them now.

### **A. Men our job is outlined here in 1 Corinthians 16**

1. Men who make a difference
2. Men who bring revival
3. Men who take responsibility and do what a man's got to do!

### **B. Four requirements for men to be men**

1. Men who are on guard. They are the watchmen on the wall.

#### **Illustration: Bill Cosby as "Ole Yeller"**

##### **A. A man's got to do what a man's got to do**

2. Men who stand firm in the faith

3. Men of courage and strength

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4. Men who know how to love

**This is a call for Godly Men to stand up**

**God is looking for a few good men**