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HOLDING TIGHT TO HOPE WHEN YOU ARE TEMPTED TO LOSE HEART

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CONSIDER CHRIST

"Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, *so that* you may not grow weary or fainthearted."

Hebrews 12:3



STAND TALL

"Therefore, my beloved brothers, **be steadfast, immovable**, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that in the Lord your labor is not in vain."

1 Corinthians 15:58



PRACTICE TRUST FOR THE SMALL

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace **in believing**, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit you *may abound in hope*."

Romans 15:3

REMEMBER AND REHEARSE STORIES OF GOD'S FAITHFULNESS

"Remember your leaders, those who spoke to you the word of God. Consider the **outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith**. *Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.*"

HEBREWS 13:7-8





LOVE AND SERVE OTHERS

Be obedient and build hope

Our character reflects Christ as we walk in His likeness. We have to be intentional to love others, even our enemies, according to the teachings of Jesus. Through obedience, we grow in character, and with character, hope!

"We love because He first loved us." - 1 John 4:19

"For you were called to freedom, brothers. Only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for the flesh, but through love serve one another. For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." But if you bite and devour one another, watch out that you are not consumed by one another."

- Galatians 5:13-15

DARE TO IMAGINE

HOLD TIGHT TO HOPE BY PICTURING THE HARVEST

"What no eye has seen, nor ear heard, nor the heart of man imagined, what God has prepared for those who love him." - 1 Corinthians 2:9

"I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the LORD in the land of the living!
Wait for the LORD;
be strong, and let your heart take courage;
wait for the LORD! - Psalm 27:13

"So we do not lose heart. Though our outer self is wasting away, our inner self is being renewed day by day. For this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory **beyond all comparison, as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen.**" - 2 Corinthians 4:16-18a

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*May your
unfailing love
be with us,
Lord,
even as we put
our hope in you.
Psalm 33:22*

As we grow in our relationship with Christ, we will grow in confident hope.

At times, we will have to pray, "Lord, help my unbelief" when we have allowed weariness and human sight to distort our promised reality.

Let's be people who believe the promise. Let's invite others into the beautiful picture of eternal redemption and hope even in the midst of hard. Because if we are looking to Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, there is nothing else we can see but radiant glory!



Be encouraged and keep hoping!