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have seen a great light,
and for those dwelling in the region and shadow of death,
on them a light has dawned.”

(Matthew 4:16 ESV)

for Herod feared John.....
When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed,
and yet he heard him gladly.

(Mark 6:20 ESV)

On that day many will say to me,
'Lord, Lord, did we not **prophecy** in your name,
and **cast out demons** in your name,
and **do many mighty works** in your name?'
And then will I declare to them,
'I never knew you; depart from me, you workers of lawlessness.'

(Matthew 7:22-23 ESV)

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And this is the will of him who sent me,
that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me,
but raise it up on the last day.

For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who
looks on the Son and believes in him should have eternal life,
and I will raise him up on the last day.”

(John 6:39-40 ESV)

I give them eternal life, and they will never perish,
and no one will snatch them out of my hand.

My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all,
and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand.

(John 10:28-29 ESV)

And those whom he predestined he also called,
and those whom he called he also justified,
and those whom he justified he also glorified.

(Romans 8:30 ESV)

For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers,
nor things present nor things to come, nor powers,
nor height nor depth, **nor anything else in all creation,**
will be able to separate us
from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

(Romans 8:38-39 ESV)

.....our Lord Jesus Christ, who will sustain you to the end,
guiltless in the day of our Lord Jesus Christ.
God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship
of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

(1 Corinthians 1:7-9 ESV)

And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you
will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.

(Philippians 1:6 ESV)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!
According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again
to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ
from the dead, to an inheritance that is **imperishable**,
undefiled, and unfading, **kept in heaven for you**,
who by God's power are being guarded through faith
for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

(1 Peter 1:3-5 ESV)

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For good news came to us just as to them,
but the message they heard did not benefit them,
because they were not united by faith with those who listened.

(Hebrews 4:2 ESV)

Therefore I was provoked with that generation,
and said, 'They **always** go astray in their heart;
they have not known my ways.'

(Hebrews 3:10 ESV)

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No, I tell you, but rather division. (Luke 12:51 ESV)

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For the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing,
but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. (1Cor 1:18)

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Warning against Falling away.....



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*They went out from us, but they were not of us;
for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us.*

*But they went out, that it might become plain
that they all are not of us.*

(1 John 2:19 ESV)

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*If your Faith Fizzles before you Finish,
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*Therefore we must **pay much closer attention**
to what we have heard, **lest we drift away from it.***

(Hebrews 2:1 ESV)

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how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation?

(Hebrews 2:3 ESV)

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*And we are his house if indeed we
hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope.*

(Hebrews 3:6 ESV)

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*Take care, brothers, lest there be
in any of you **an evil, unbelieving heart,**
leading you to **fall away from the living God.***

(Hebrews 3:12 ESV)

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*But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called “today,”
that none of you may be **hardened by the deceitfulness of sin.***

(Hebrews 3:13 ESV)

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*For we have come to share in Christ,
if indeed we **hold our original confidence firm to the end.***

(Hebrews 3:14 ESV)

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*Therefore, while the promise of entering his rest still stands, let us fear lest any of you should seem to have **failed to reach it.***


(Hebrews 4:1 ESV)

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*Let us therefore strive to enter that rest,
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(Hebrews 4:11 ESV)

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*And we desire each one of you to show **the same earnestness** to have the full assurance of hope until the end, so that you may not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through **faith and patience inherit the promises.***

(Hebrews 6:11-12 ESV)


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you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples.

(John 15:8 ESV)

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*For by grace you have been saved... **not a result of works...**
we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus **for good works***

(Eph 2:8-10 ESV)

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*They profess to know God, but they **deny him by their works**.
They are detestable, disobedient, unfit for any good work.*

(Titus 1:16 ESV)

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So also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.

(James 2:17 ESV)

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