

...BECAUSE YOU LOVE HIM!

A Humble Testimony: There Is Hope for You!

Theme: When we love the Lord, our faith becomes a daily walk of trusting His Word, persevering through difficulties, and continuing to follow Him.

Key Thought:

You do not have to have everything figured out to keep walking with God. You simply have to keep choosing faith, standing on His Word, and not giving up.

1. THERE IS HOPE FOR YOU!

This teaching begins with a simple message:

There is hope for you!

People need strength, healing, guidance, and salvation through Christ. As believers, we have the opportunity to exercise our faith and pray for those who need help.

The Christian life is not presented here as a life without difficulties. It is a life where, **even in difficulty, we continue to trust God.**

The testimony in this teaching is humble and personal:

When I was born again, the Holy Spirit taught me to fight, stand on His Word, and not give up.

That is a message many people need to hear.

You may feel like giving up—but your feelings do not have to determine your next step.

2. WHEN YOU CANNOT WALK BY FEELINGS, WALK BY FAITH

2 Corinthians 5:7

“For we walk by faith, not by sight.”

The testimony makes an important observation:

“If I go how I feel I cannot move forward.”

That creates a choice.

What will I believe?

- What I feel?
- What I see?
- Or what God has said?

Faith does not mean pretending difficulties aren't real.

It means that **difficulty does not get the final word.**

Teaching Point

Feelings can change.

Circumstances can change.

God's Word remains the foundation.

So when you cannot see the answer yet:

Keep walking.

Keep believing.

Keep praying.

Keep standing.

3. FAITH PRODUCES A TESTIMONY

Hebrews 11:1–2

The passage connects faith with **hope, unseen things, and a good testimony.**

This gives us a powerful perspective:

Your testimony is being developed while you are walking through the process.

You may not understand everything today.

You may not see the complete picture today.

But God can use your continued faithfulness to produce a testimony that encourages someone else tomorrow.

Ask yourself:

What will my testimony say?

Will it say:

“I quit when things became difficult”?

Or will it say:

“I fought the good fight. I finished the race. I kept the faith.”

That is the testimony Paul expressed in 2 Timothy 4:7–8.

4. FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH

1 Timothy 6:12

“Fight the good fight of faith...”

Notice that Scripture does not describe faith as passive.

There are times when faith requires us to **stand**.

There are times when faith requires us to **continue**.

There are times when faith requires us to say:

“I am not giving up.”

The battle is not necessarily evidence that God has abandoned you.

Sometimes the battle becomes the place where your faith is exercised.

5. DON'T LET YOUR PAST STOP YOUR FUTURE

Philippians 3:13–14

Paul speaks about forgetting what is behind and reaching toward what is ahead.

That is a message of hope.

Your past does not have to become a prison.

Your failures do not have to define your future.

Your difficult season does not have to be your final chapter.

There is still something ahead.

Keep moving toward the goal God has placed before you.

6. BE REAL—BUT DON'T STOP THERE

One of the strongest practical statements in the teaching is:

“I know we can express our difficulties, but along with expressing those difficulties we can declare God’s Word and walk in the victory He has provided in Christ.”

This gives us a healthy pattern:

Acknowledge → Declare → Walk

Acknowledge:

“This is difficult.”

Declare:

“God's Word is true.”

Walk:

“I will continue moving forward by faith.”

You don't have to deny the difficulty.

But don't let the difficulty become your confession.

7. BE STEADFAST AND IMMOVABLE

1 Corinthians 15:57–58

The passage declares that God gives victory through Jesus Christ and then calls believers to be:

- **Steadfast**
- **Immovable**
- **Always abounding in the work of the Lord**

And there is an important promise:

“Your labor is not in vain in the Lord.”

You may wonder whether your prayers matter.

You may wonder whether your studying matters.

You may wonder whether continuing to serve matters.

God's Word says your labor is not in vain in the Lord.

8. WHEN BAD NEWS COMES, KEEP YOUR HEART FIXED

Psalm 112:7–8 describes a person whose heart is firmly established, trusting in the Lord, even while waiting.

That gives us another important lesson:

Faith is not only demonstrated when everything is going well.

Faith is also demonstrated when:

- the news is difficult,
- the answer has not arrived,
- the situation is uncertain,
- and you are still waiting.

Keep your heart fixed on the Lord.

9. KEEP IT SIMPLE: SPEND TIME WITH GOD

The testimony includes a comment about something very simple that can easily be lost over time:

Be in a close relationship and fellowship with God by spending time with Him and hiding His Word in our hearts.

That is powerful because Christianity is not merely about knowing information.

It is about **relationship and fellowship with God.**

So return to the simple things:

Pray.

Read His Word.

Study His Word.

Apply His Word.

Share His Word.

Stay close to Him.

10. WHY DO WE KEEP GOING?

This is where the title becomes especially important.

...BECAUSE YOU LOVE HIM!

The testimony concludes by looking back over the journey:

Effective prayer, diligently gathering God's Word, diligently studying His Word, applying it, and sharing it with others.

And the reason given is beautifully simple:

“Because I love Him.”

Not merely because it is a duty.

Not merely because someone is watching.

Not merely because circumstances are favorable.

Because you love Him.

Love becomes the motivation for perseverance.

11. A HUMBLE TESTIMONY CAN GIVE SOMEONE ELSE HOPE

The testimony in this teaching is not presented as:

“Look at how great I am.”

It is essentially:

“Look at what God has been doing in my life.”

That distinction is important.

A humble testimony points beyond ourselves and points people toward the Lord.

Your testimony may be exactly what someone else needs to hear.

Someone may be thinking:

“I have gone too far.”

Your testimony can say:

There is hope for you.

Someone may be thinking:

“I cannot continue.”

Your testimony can say:

Keep standing on God's Word.

Someone may be thinking:

“I have failed.”

Your testimony can say:

Don't let your past keep you from pursuing what is ahead.

12. THE CHALLENGE

Today, ask yourself five questions:

1. **Am I walking by faith or primarily by how I feel?**
 2. **Am I continuing to stand on God's Word when circumstances are difficult?**
 3. **Am I allowing my past to interfere with what God has ahead?**
 4. **Am I spending enough time with God and hiding His Word in my heart?**
 5. **Is my life pointing others toward the Father?**
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FINAL ENCOURAGEMENT

Maybe you are tired.

Maybe you have been through difficult circumstances.

Maybe you have wondered whether you can continue.

Maybe you have even felt like giving up.

There is hope for you.

You can make the choice again:

By faith!

Stand on His Word.

Pray.

Study.

Apply.

Share.

Keep moving forward.

Keep the faith.

And when someone asks:

“Why do you keep going?”

Your answer can be simple:

“...BECAUSE I LOVE HIM!”

And when your life becomes a testimony of His faithfulness, remember:

The testimony is not about how strong you were.

It is about how faithful God has been.

There is hope for you—and there is hope for someone who will hear your testimony.

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A Humble Testimony

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OUR PURPOSE

This is an opportunity to exercise our faith and pray for those who need help, this includes everyone. People need strength, healing, guidance, and of course salvation through Christ our Lord.
Thank you for being a Royal Prayer Guard!

KEY THOUGHT

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1 THERE IS HOPE FOR YOU!

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2 WALK BY FAITH, NOT FEELINGS

"For we walk by faith, not by sight."
2 Corinthians 5:7
If I go how I feel I cannot move forward. I have a choice every time I believe in God in any situation.
By faith!

3 FAITH PRODUCES A TESTIMONY

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a **good testimony**."
Hebrews 11:1-2

4 FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT

"Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, to which you were also called and have confessed the good confession in the presence of many witnesses."
1 Timothy 6:12

5 KEEP THE FAITH

"I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing."
2 Timothy 4:7-8

6 FORGET WHAT IS BEHIND

"But one thing I do, however, is to forget what is behind me and do my best to reach what is ahead. So I run straight toward the goal in order to win the prize, which is God's call through Christ Jesus to the life above."
Philippians 3:13-14

7 BE DISCIPLINED AND GENUINE

"But I buffet my body and subdue it, for fear that after proclaiming to others the Gospel... I myself should become unfit [not stand the test, be unapproved and rejected as a counterfeit]."
1 Corinthians 9:27

8 WALK WORTHY OF YOUR CALLING

"I therefore urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace."
Ephesians 4:1-3

9 DECLARE GOD'S WORD

I know we can express our difficulties, but along with expressing those difficulties we can declare God's word and walk in the victory He has provided in Christ.

10 WE HAVE THE VICTORY

"But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."
1 Corinthians 15:57-58

11 KEEP YOUR HEART FIXED

"He shall not be afraid of evil tidings; his heart is firmly fixed, trusting in the Lord. His heart is established and steady, he will not be afraid while he waits to see his desire established upon his adversaries."
Psalm 112:7-8

12 KEEP IT SIMPLE

- Be in a close relationship with God
- by spending time with Him.
- Hide His word in our hearts.
- Pray.
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