

Jesus: God's Final Word

The Anchor for Our Souls

Hebrews 6:13-20

Who "perseveres" who?

vv. 11-12 challenges us to be " _____ " or " _____ " in perseverance so that we can ultimately realize the fulfillment of our "hope".

The second part of the chapter says that our "hope" is " _____ " and " _____ ".
(v. 18-19)

So **how** are we kept secure until the end?

Romans 8:30 – If we are _____ in Christ, we will receive every _____ of Christ, including _____.

John 6:37-39 – Jesus came to earth on a _____ of _____ from the father and that mission will not _____.

John 10:27-30 – Only if the _____ between the Father and the Son fails, could his covenant with _____ fail.

Romans 8:1 – We are declared _____ thru Christ and that _____ will not be overturned.

Philippians 1:6 – Our perseverance is guaranteed by _____.

2 Tim 1:12 – Christ is the _____ of our souls.

Abraham – A Case Study on Perseverance and Assurance

How significant are the promises God made to Abraham in Genesis?

I will surely bless you, and I will surely multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven and as the sand that is on the seashore. (Genesis 22:17a)

God's promise to Abraham was based solely on _____.

God's promise to Abraham was as certain as _____.

Abraham responded to God's promise with _____ and _____.

The ultimate fulfillment of God's promise to Abraham is _____.

A few lessons:

God's _____ and demonstrated faithfulness _____ Abraham's _____ and _____. (He remained faithful because of the promise! And though Abraham's faith was imperfect and inconsistent at times, God remains ever faithful to Himself and to His Word.)

Because Abraham believed what God had _____, he was willing to be _____ and he _____ to the end.

The result? He _____ the promise of God!

My Anchor ...

is based on God's _____, not my _____.

Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.

(Hebrews 10:23)

is based on the _____ of _____ who is my _____ and my _____.

For Christ has entered, not into holy places made with hands, which are copies of the true things, but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God on our behalf. (Hebrews 9:24)

God's bloody oath to Abraham (Genesis 15:7ff), and He cut a _____ covenant with us!
We can stake our everything on it!

Therefore, he had to be made like his brothers in every respect, so that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in the service of God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.
(Hebrews 2:17)

So, now I ...