

BE NOT MOVED
Believe To The End

I. To be saved you have to believe to the end (not just believe once)

- A. We will be presented this way if we continue in the faith—**Co1:21**—*You that were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works yet now hath reconciled. ²²In the body of his flesh through death to present (AM—Before the Father) you holy and unblameable and unreproueable in his sight ²³IF ye **CONTINUE** (remain, persevere, persist, stay with/at) in the faith grounded and settled and be not moved away from the hope of the gospel which ye have heard*
1. It's possible for a believer to not continue in the faith—Some say if you really were saved you'd never leave the faith, but if that were true then you wouldn't have to tell believers to continue in the faith because it'd be automatic
 2. How long do you have to continue in faith?—Until you are face to face with God and Jesus is presenting you this way
- B. To be saved you must endure to the end—Hold fast to what you started with—**Mt24:13**—*He that shall **ENDURE** (persevere, have fortitude, remain, stay, hold fast to one's faith under trials) **UNTO THE END** the same shall be saved*
- C. You have to hold to your faith unto the end be made a partaker of Christ—**Hb3:6**—*Christ as a son over his own house; whose house we are, **IF** we **HOLD FAST** (retain) the confidence and the rejoicing of hope **FIRM** (stable, steadfast) **UNTO THE END**. ⁷Wherefore..() ¹²Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in **DEPARTING** (withdraw, revolt) from the living God. ¹³But **EXHORT** one another daily, while it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin. ¹⁴For we are made partakers of Christ **IF** we **HOLD** (retain) the beginning of our confidence **STEADFAST** (stable, firm) **UNTO THE END***
1. This is telling believers to believe unto the end—It says brethren in verse 12 so a “real believer” can depart
 2. Exhort/strengthen one another so that you're not weak and easily moved
 3. Firm and stable because things are coming to move you
- D. The principles of faith concerning salvation are the same concerning victory in this life and a huge principle of faith is, “UNTO THE END.”—**Re2:25**—*But that which you have already hold fast till I come. And He that overcomes and keeps my works **UNTO THE END** to him will I give power over the nations; **Mt10:22**—And you shall be hated of all men for my name's sake: but he that endures **TO THE END** shall be saved*
1. What you start with you have to stay with

II. Victory is at the end: We must get in faith, stay in faith and believe to the end

- A. The vision speaks at the end—You have to believe to the end to see it speak—**Hb2:3**—*For the vision is yet for an appointed time, but **AT THE END** it shall speak and not lie: though it tarry, **WAIT** (W1828—Rest in expectation) for it; because **IT WILL SURELY COME** (at the end), it will not tarry*
1. If you really have heard from God it will surely come so stick with it
- B. The end is when you see—You have to believe until you see and this is why many never see it because they stop believing before they see—**Rm8:24**—*We are saved by **HOPE** (confident, faith, expect): but **HOPE** that is seen is not **HOPE**: for what a man sees why does he yet **HOPE** (expect) for? But if we **HOPE** for that we see not then do we with **PATIENCE** (fortitude, persevere) **WAIT FOR IT** (expect fully, look for); **YL**—Through continuance we except it*
- C. Promises are obtained through faith AND patience—That is believing and believing to the end—**Hb6:11**—*We desire that every one of you do shew the same diligence to the full **ASSURANCE** (entire confidence) of hope **UNTO THE END**: ¹²That ye be not slothful, but followers of them who through faith **AND PATIENCE** inherit the promises. ¹³For when God made promise to Abraham, because he could swear by no greater, he sware by himself, ¹⁴Saying, Surely blessing I will bless*

thee, and multiplying I will multiply thee. ¹⁵ And so, **AFTER HE HAD PATIENTLY ENDURED** (persevere patiently and bravely in enduring misfortunes and troubles), he obtained the promise

1. Just getting in faith, praying a prayer, making a confession is not enough
2. Peter didn't believe to the end-He quit in the middle-Mt14:29-He said Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship he walked on the water to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous he was afraid and; beginning to sink he cried, saying, Lord, save me. ³¹ And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him, and said unto him, O thou of LITTLE FAITH (lacking confidence), wherefore didst thou doubt?

III. Once I've heard from God, I'm believing to the end-Co1:23,Mt14:28,Rm4:18