"Remember Jesus Christ"

Intro: In calling Timothy to ______________ for the Gospel of Jesus Christ as a __________ soldier, obedient athlete and faith-filled farmer the Apostle Paul encouraged him by instructing him to remember the Person of ______________ (v. 8), the persistence of the Word (v. 9), the purpose of endurance (v. 10), and the promise of the ____________ (vs. 11-13).

I. ________________

A. “Remember the Person of Jesus ____________.”
   1. Remember Jesus Christ, ____________ from the dead.”
   2. Remember Jesus Christ, ... descendant of ____________.

B. The persistence of the Word of God: the ____________ of God is not bound but ____________ forth and continues accomplishing just as the Sovereign wills.

C. The ________________ of endurance: That God’s chosen ones will obtain the ________________ which is in Jesus Christ, and with it eternal glory!

D. The ________________ of the prize: There is life eternal and eternal glory for all who lay down their life with and for ____________.

   1. With the promise to the faithful there is the promise to the _________________. Jesus said, “But whoever shall deny Me before men, I will also ____________ before My Father who is in heaven” (Matt 10:33). Let us remember these promises, positive and negative, that by God’s mercy we will be found faithful unto death, receiving a crown of life!
Closing: While we live in a time of relative peace with freedom to worship God we do not know what pains and sufferings of persecution lie before us. But this we know: _______ ____________ will sustain us through ease and difficulty alike.

By faith in Christ let us ______ make it our practice to ________________ the Person of Christ, that He is the risen living descendant of David. And let us remember the persistence of the Word of God, the purpose for which we endure, and the promise of the prize: that we shall see ____________!

Hebrews 10:39, “But we are not of those who shrink back to destruction, but of those who have ________ to the preserving of the soul.” Have faith __ ____________, for He is the Christ of God!

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