

Unshakable Faith

Part 6-Unshakable Perseverance

Hebrews 10:32-39

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If we are to Press On, we must...

1. Remember the PAST.

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2. Respond to the PRESENT.

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- **Respond in PERSEVERANCE.**

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- **Respond in Persevering FAITH.**

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For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed—a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: “The righteous will live by faith.” Romans 1:17 NIV

How are you living? By your own strength or by faith??