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“race” = *agon*; struggle

“patience”= endurance, perseverance

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Theme:
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Faith Lessons!

Heb.11

Theme:

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Faith Lessons! (1-16)

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- Believe God exists
- Believe God rewards
- Believe God keeps His Word



Faith in Action! (17-38)

Look up in faith to a faithful God!

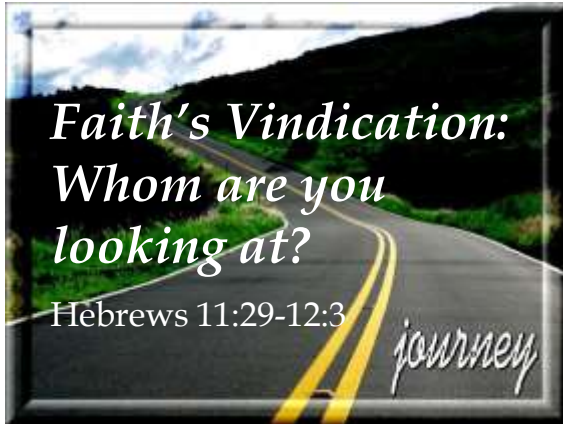
- Pass the test
- Take the risk
- Stay the course

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- Heb. 11:39 – 40

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Discipline: The Good, the Bad, & the Ugly!

Heb. 12: 4-11

God disciplines His children -
Submit!

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 - of distraction & discouragement
 - of besetting sins
- Look continually at Jesus

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▪ Heb. 12:2

Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

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 - Inspired by His example
 - Empowered by His victory
 - Focussed on His person

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▪ Heb. 12:3

For consider Him that endured such contradiction (opposition) of sinners against Himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds.

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