

## **Persevere!**

*Hebrews 12:12-17*

People of God,  
persevere.

Persevere in  
living as His children.

Persevere in  
trusting Him,  
following Him,  
serving Him.

Persevere through  
every temptation,  
every threat,  
every distraction,  
every discouragement.

Stay together.

Trust God together.

Love each other.

Strengthen and support  
the weakest among you.

Stay on the good ground,  
the level ground,  
the right way

so that you don't stumble.

As far as it depends on you,  
pursue peace in every relationship,  
even with those who mistreat you.

Do not let  
bitterness,  
anger, or  
selfish resentment

spring up in you or  
among you.

It will do nothing but corrupt you.

Uproot it as soon as it appears.

Do not give into  
empty fears or  
shallow comforts.

Do not trade away what is  
infinitely,

eternally precious.

Persevere!  
Live bravely,  
    boldly,  
    confidently.  
You are the  
    loved,  
    secure,  
    blessed  
people of the  
    Living God!

**Hymn: [Keep Us Strong in Faith](#)**

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