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TITLE: I HAVE KEPT THE FAITH

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: King James Bible

I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith:

Holman Christian Standard Bible

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.

TRUTHS/NUGGETS

1. Hebrews 6:11 And we desire that each one of you show the same diligence ^oto the full assurance of hope until the end,
2. Keeping faith, keeping my confidence in God and His word.
3. Many drop their confidence due to offence.
4. Offence opens the door to bitterness and unbelief.
5. Hebrews 10:21-22 INTERNATIONAL STANDARD VERSION; 21 And having an high priest over the house of God; 22 . let us continue to come near with sincere hearts in the full assurance that faith provides, because our hearts have been sprinkled clean from a guilty conscience, and our bodies have been washed with pure water.
6. Sincere hearts; the antidote to pride.

7. Full assurance; a knowing in my knowing that in Christ I am complete.
8. Sprinkled clean from a guilty conscience; no condemnation in Christ.
9. Being washed with pure water; cleanse the body from ungodly activity. John 15:3 Now ye are clean through the word which I have spoken unto you.
10. ONLY WHEN YOU HAVE KEPT THE FAITH CAN YOU FINISH THE RACE ...

FINAL THOUGHTS

1. Hebrews 12:1b *let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,*
2. The greatest reward ever is to know: "I have kept the faith."

“Reach for the top, the bottom is overcrowded!” – JEROME LIBERTY