



Why You Shouldn't Give Up
When the Going Gets Tough
Pt 2

four
reasons

Life Can Never Take You...

**...Where Gods Grace Cannot Sustain You
You Can RELAX in It!**

- **Realize** Nobody's Perfect.

Psalm 119:96, "*Nothing* is perfect except your *words*" (LB)

- **Enjoy** God's Unconditional Love.

- **Let** God Handle Things.

- **Act** in Faith, not Fear.

- **EXchange** Your Perfectionism for God's Peace.

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From Power to **Problems**

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- But Extends / Compounds Problem
- Depletes Peace/ Comfort / Stays In Our Hand

From Power to Problems




four reasons

Here are 4 Good Reasons...

...Why You Should Never Think of Quitting



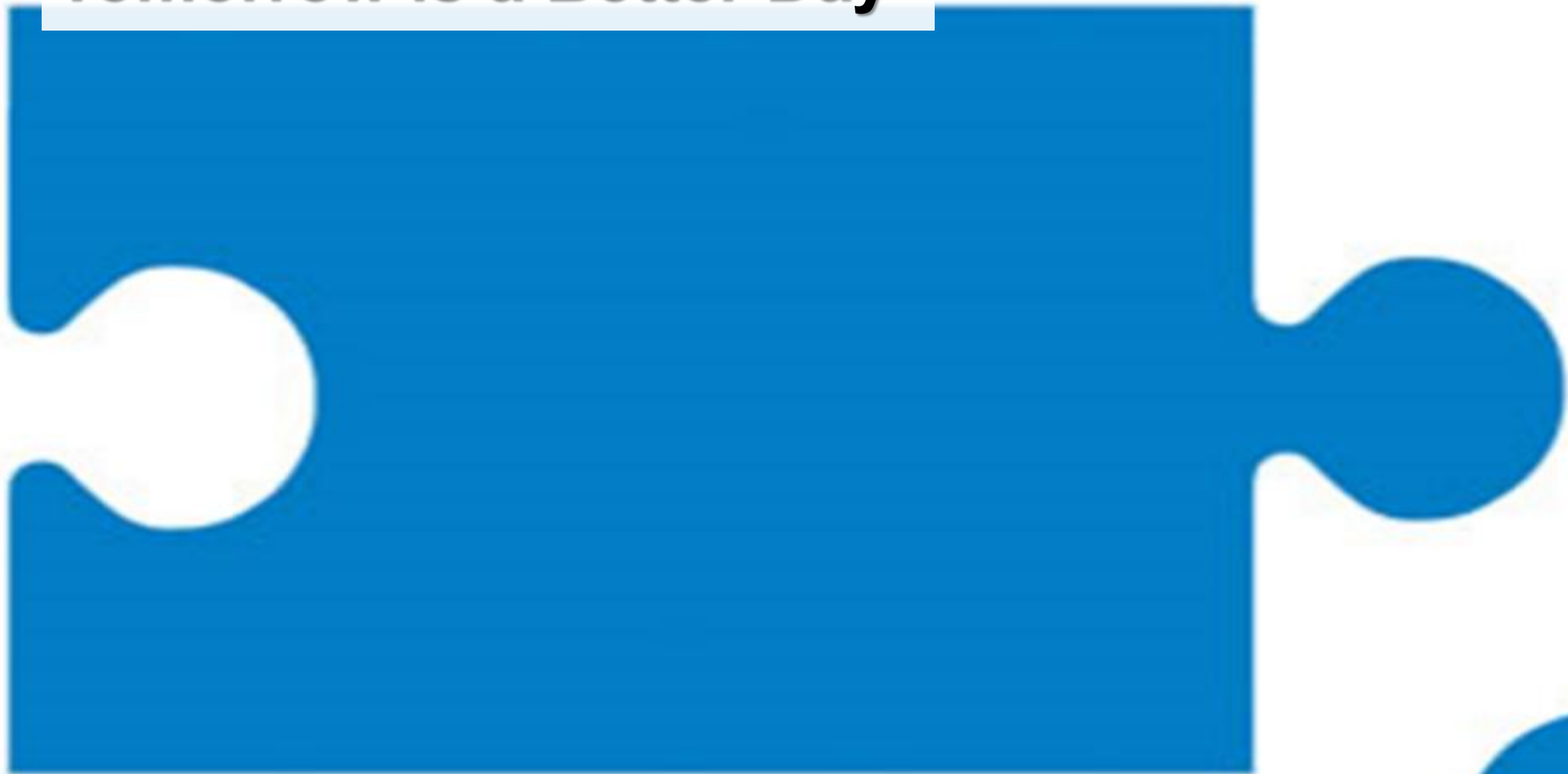
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- **You Will Not Be Remembered for the Things You Start But Rather, for the Things You Finish.**
 - **In the Christian Race, You Are Not Rewarded Because You Finished First...**

...You are Rewarded Because You Finished Strong.

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Tomorrow is a Better Day



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*“...though weeping may endure for a night,
...joy will come in the morning” -Psa 30:5*

- **However Bad Things May Look Today...
...Take Comfort that Tomorrow Will Be a Better Day.**
- **It May Be Friday Now...
...But Sundays Coming**
- **Trust in the Lord w- All Your Heart/ Lean Not On Your Own Understanding...
...Before You Know It,
...Things Will Suddenly Start to Make Sense**

Hope is the Raw Material for Faith



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Faith Can Move Mountains, Hope Moves Faith

Realize...

The Devil Will Do Anything In His Power to Make You Hopeless

- *Unrelenting disappointment leaves you heartsick, but a sudden good break can turn life around. Proverbs 13:12 (MSG)*
- **As Long As You Are Still Alive, Hope Has a Chance**
- **Hold On to Your Faith No Matter What And You Will See...**

NOT ONLY SO, BUT WE ALSO GLORY IN
OUR **SUFFERINGS**, BECAUSE WE
KNOW THAT SUFFERING PRODUCES
PERSEVERANCE;
PERSEVERANCE, **CHARACTER;**
AND CHARACTER, **HOPE.** AND HOPE
DOES NOT PUT US TO SHAME, BECAUSE
GOD'S LOVE HAS BEEN Poured
OUT INTO OUR **HEARTS** THROUGH
THE **HOLY SPIRIT**, WHO HAS
BEEN GIVEN TO US.

ROMANS 5:3-5

No Friction, No Movement



“When everything seems to be going against you, remember that the airplane takes off against the wind, not with it.”

~ Henry Ford

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There is Positive and Negative Friction

- *Many are the afflictions of the righteous: but the LORD delivereth him out of them all.* **Psalm 34:19 (KJV)** **Affliction= Neg Friction**
- *Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend.* **Prov 27:17 (KJV)** **Sharpen (friction)= Positive Friction**
- *Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself as having taken hold of this. But this one thing I do: forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead,* **Phil 3:13 TLV =Positive Friction**

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Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee **Hebrews 13:5 (KJV)** **Emotionally or Physically**

Hebrews 13:5 (AMP)

⁵ Let your character *or* moral disposition be free from love of money [including greed, avarice, lust, and craving for earthly possessions] and be satisfied with your present [circumstances and with what you have]; for He [God] Himself has said, I will not in any way fail you *nor* give you up *nor* leave you without support. [I will] not, [I will] not, [I will] not in any degree leave you helpless *nor* forsake *nor* let [you] down (relax My hold on you)! [Assuredly not!]

Remember

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You Have His Word On It!!!

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○ **You are Doing Better Than You Think You Are.**

- Your emotions
- The enemy
- Stop looking

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○ **You are Further Along Than You Think You Are.**

- Though you aren't where you want to be.
- Thank God you aren't where you were

○ **God is Doing More Than You Currently See.**

- Don't let what's wrong with the circumstances around you keep you...
... from worshiping the God who is alive within you.
- What you are going through is preparation for what He will do through you.

○ **There are People In Your Path That Need What You Have.**

- We will lose our WAY when we lose our WHY.

○ **Stop Carrying the Burden. Share the Burden.**

- It's not the burden that will crush you.
- It's how you carry it that will make all the difference.
- When the Burden is Too Heavy we need share our burdens -Gal 6:2

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Hebrews 10:35-36, *“So do not throw away your confidence; it will be richly rewarded. You need to persevere so that when you have done the will of God, you will receive what he has promised.”*

- **Don't Give Up... Don't Give In.**
- **The Resistance Is Often the Fiercest...
...Right Before the Breakthrough.**

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