

“Be Strong...Play the Man”

Portrait of Our Perfect High Priest

Hebrews 10:32-39
part 35

INTRODUCTION

- 1st and 2nd century Christians martyred for their faith

- persecution...a normal part of the Christian life

Phil. 1:29; 2 Tim. 3:12

- the difficulty of interpreting Hebrews

Gal. 6:9

1. Remember your conflict (10:32-33)

- “made a public spectacle”
- “sharers with those who were so treated”

Is. 51:7

2. Remember your motivations (10:34)

- what they did...

2 Tim. 1:16

- why they did it...

Heb. 9:15; 1 Pet. 1:4

3. Remember your calling (10:35-36)

- *confidence* =

Heb. 10:19; 12:1-3

- *to endure* =

4. Remember your Master (10:37-39)

CONCLUSION

- ☛ why is it that we know so little of this kind of persecution?

Rev. 2:8-11
2 Tim. 2:3