# in hope.

This hope we have as an anchor of the soul, a hope both sure and steadfast and one which enters within the veil, <sup>20</sup> where Jesus has entered as a forerunner for us, having become a high priest forever according to the order of Melchizedek. Hebrews 6:19-20 (NASB)

#### $^{ t}$ Hope invigorates \_\_\_\_\_.

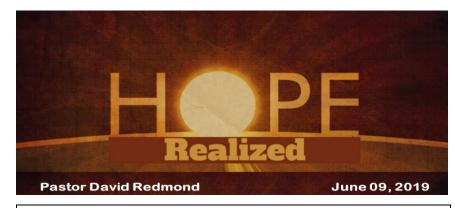
Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. Hebrews 11:1 (NASB)

#### $\ddagger$ Hope inspires \_\_\_\_\_.

We remember before our God and Father your work produced by faith, your labor prompted by love, and your endurance inspired by hope in our Lord Jesus Christ. I Thessalonians 1:3 (NIV)



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This hope [this confident assurance] we have as an anchor of the soul [it cannot slip and it cannot break down under whatever pressure bears upon it]—a safe and steadfast hope that enters within the veil [of the heavenly temple, that most Holy Place in which the very presence of God dwells]. Hebrews 6:19 (AMP)

Hope is the work of God within a <u>H</u>eart that is evidenced in living a life of <u>O</u>bedience to God's plan and <u>P</u>urpose and filled with confident <u>E</u>xpectancy!

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, <sup>19</sup> and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength. Ephesians 1:18-19 (NIV)

Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God. Psalm 42:5 (NLT)

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For God is not unjust so as to forget your work and the love which you have shown toward His name, in having ministered and in still ministering to the saints. <sup>11</sup> And we desire that each one of you show the same diligence so as to realize the full assurance of hope until the end,<sup>12</sup> so that you will not be sluggish, but imitators of those who through faith and patience inherit the promises. Hebrews 6:10-12 (NASB)

## ↓ Hope is a \_\_\_\_\_ from God.

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, <sup>4</sup> and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, <sup>5</sup> who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time. I Peter 1:3-5 (NIV)

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit. Romans 15:13 (NIV)

#### ↓ Hope is realized in \_\_\_\_\_

For all of God's promises have been fulfilled in Christ with a resounding "Yes!" And through Christ, our "Amen" (which means "Yes") ascends to God for his glory. <sup>21</sup> It is God who enables us, along with you, to stand firm for Christ. He has commissioned us, <sup>22</sup> and he has identified us as his own by placing the Holy Spirit in our hearts as the first installment that guarantees everything he has promised us. II Corinthians 1: 20-22 (NLT)

In those days you were living apart from Christ. You were excluded from citizenship among the people of Israel, and you did not know the covenant promises God had made to them. <u>You lived in this world</u> <u>without God and without hope</u>. Ephesians 2:12 (NLT)

For when God made the promise to Abraham, since He could swear by no one greater, He swore by Himself,<sup>14</sup> saying, "I WILL SURELY BLESS YOU AND I WILL SURELY MULTIPLY YOU."<sup>15</sup> And so, having patiently waited, he obtained the promise. <sup>16</sup> For men swear by one greater than themselves, and with them an oath given as confirmation is an end of every dispute. <sup>17</sup> In the same way God, desiring even more to show to the heirs of the promise the unchangeableness of His purpose, interposed with an oath, <sup>18</sup> so that by two unchangeable things in which it is impossible for God to lie, we who have taken refuge would have strong encouragement to take hold of the hope set before us. Hebrews 6:13-18 (NASB)

Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but a longing fulfilled is a tree of life. Proverbs 13:12 (NIV)

I consider that what we suffer at this present time cannot be compared at all with the glory that is going to be revealed to us. <sup>19</sup> All of creation waits with eager longing for God to reveal his children. <sup>20</sup> For creation was condemned to lose its purpose, not of its own will, but because God willed it to be so. Yet there was the hope <sup>21</sup> that creation itself would one day be set free from its slavery to decay and would share the glorious freedom of the children of God. <sup>22</sup> For we know that up to the present time all of creation groans with pain, like the pain of childbirth. <sup>23</sup> But it is not just creation alone which groans; we who have the Spirit as the first of God's gifts also groan within ourselves as we wait for God to make us his children and set our whole being free. <sup>24</sup> For it was by hope that we were saved...

Romans 8:18-24 (GNT)

- <sup>↓</sup> God never wastes a \_\_\_\_\_. Romans 8:28; Philippians 1:12-15; Genesis 50:20
- ↓ Nothing will \_\_\_\_\_ us from His \_\_\_\_\_. Romans 8:38-39; John 16:33; Hebrews 13:5-6
  - <sup>t</sup> The \_\_\_\_\_ is yet to \_\_\_\_\_. Romans 8:18; I Corinthians 2:9; Ephesians 3:20-21

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