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Look to Jesus

He is the only help and hope you need!

The message I have is my message, but not mine alone.

<sup>39</sup>And all these, though commended through their faith, did not receive what was promised, <sup>40</sup>since God had provided something better for **us**, that apart from **us** they should not be made perfect.

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—Hebrews II:39-I2:I ESV



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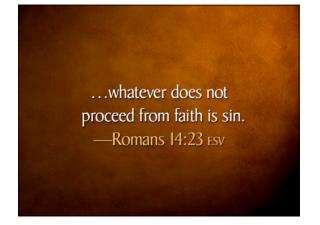
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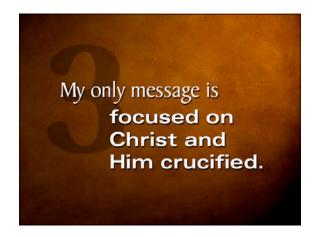
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The message I have is mine to proclaim, but it is ours to practice.

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—Hebrews 12:2 ESV

## My Only Message

## **Look to Jesus**

He is the only help and hope you need!

For because he himself has suffered when tempted, he is able to **help** those who are being tempted.

—Hebrews 2:18 ESV

<sup>19</sup>We have this as a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul, a **hope** that enters into the inner place behind the curtain, <sup>20</sup>where Jesus has gone as a forerunner on our behalf...
—Hebrews 6:19-20 ESV

Look to Me, and be saved, all you ends of the earth; for I am God, and there is no other.

—Isaiah 45:22 NKIV

And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent.

—Colossians 1:18 ESV

My only message is

absolutely
sufficient to
get you across
the finish line.

When you find yourselves flagging in your faith, go over that story again, item by item, that long litany of hostility he plowed through. That will shoot adrenaline into your souls!

—Hebrews 12:3b THE MESSAGE





<sup>20</sup>Now may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, <sup>21</sup>equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen. —Hebrews 13:20-21 ESV