

"The Greatest Mistake: Giving Up"

Hebrews 3:12-15

1. Sometimes we have boxers that "throw in the towel." Sometimes we have soldiers who "wave the white flag." Sometimes we have runners who quit the race before the finish line. Sometimes there very well may be legitimate reasons why these people stop and give up before the end of the contest.
2. What the Bible exhorts us to do again and again is what Winston Churchill said long ago, "Never give up. Never, never, never, never give up."
3. For what reasons have some given up the Christian life?
 - I. Some will quit for _____
 - II. Some will quit because of _____
 - III. Some will quit because of _____
 - IV. Some will quit because of _____

How do we ensure in the tough times that we're not going to give up?

1. Keep _____ in _____
2. Remember that God's _____ is there for _____
3. _____ in the _____
4. Stay _____ to the _____ and to _____
5. _____ on the _____