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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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The Life Of Faith

2 Corinthians 4:16-18

I. Doctrine: *The Life of Faith, Though Never Easy, Is Always*

_____ ***Superior (to every alternative)***

A. –We Cannot _____, *Despite Overwhelming Opposition*; . . . , (2 Cor. 4:8-10)

B. . . . And *Trouble Only* _____ our *Faithfulness*,
(2 Cor. 4:17)

II. The _____ *Regenerate Church Members “Do Not Lose Heart,” vv. 16-18*

A. –Because *Despite The Fall's Effects*, we Are *Still* Becoming
More _____ Christ, v. 16

B. –Because (even *stubborn*) *Hardships Only End Up*
“ _____ ” us *For* Glory, v. 17

C. –Because *All Along* we *Have* Been *Believing* The _____
(with *eyes of faith*), v. 18

III. Why _____ *Alone Is The Key To The Life of Faith*

A. –Because *He Himself* Has _____ Sin and
Death; . . . , (Col. 2:15)

B. . . . And *Jesus Has* _____ *His Church The Spoils of His*
Victory (all in Himself), (1 Cor. 3:21-23)

Key Verse—v. 18: “. . . as we look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen. For the things that are seen are transient, but the things that are unseen are eternal.”
(ESV)

Aim: To live in Jesus by grace—as God’s persevering church