

“Never Give Up!”

Portrait of Our Perfect High Priest

*Hebrews 12:3-4
part 46*

INTRODUCTION

- God’s diamond business

“The Lord’s mercy often rides to the door of our heart upon the black horse of affliction.”

– Charles Spurgeon

- you don’t need to escape...but to endure

1. God’s plan for His people

- “consider”

- “hostility”

Num. 20:13; Deut. 1:12

Lk. 2:34

Jn. 5:18; 7:1; 8:59; 10:31; 11:53

- should His disciples expect anything less?

Jn. 15:20

- “endure”

2 Cor. 4:17-18

2. God’s purpose for His people

- not “grow weary” or “lose heart”

Mt. 15:32

Heb. 12:3, 5

Neh. 6:9; Gal. 6:9

CONCLUSION

2 Tim. 2:3