



This World is Not My Home

Daniel 11-12 Unshakable Faith

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God sent the Jews (and us) Daniel's book to help us in spiritual

_____.

1. _____ and _____ will never solve human fatigue.

A. Chapter 11 boils down to the _____ of God's _____ and _____ over destiny, and the _____ of humans to try and take his place.

B. Chapter 11 shows that the tide of men's affairs comes in and goes out accomplishing _____.

C. In a broken world such as ours, it will always be a battle for _____ just to survive! People do not improve _____!

"Indeed, all who want to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted. But wicked people will go from bad to worse, deceiving others and being deceived." 2 Timothy 3:12-13, NIV

"Then they will hand you over to be tortured and will put you to death. ... Then many will fall away. ... And because of the increase of lawlessness, the love of many will grow cold. But the one who endures to the end will be saved." Matthew 24:9-13, NIV

2. I can persevere in a broken world, if I know another world _____ and that I can be _____ it!

A. There is a _____ life! We can keep following God, and live his way even in persecution and suffering, because we know there is another _____ life coming, because of a _____ son who came.

"All these people were still living by faith when they died. They did not receive the things promised; they only saw them and welcomed them from a distance. And they admitted that they were aliens and strangers on earth. People who say such things show that they are looking for a country of their own. ... Instead, they were longing for a better country—a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared a city for them." Hebrews 11:13-16, NIV

"Nothing impure will ever enter [God's city], nor will anyone who does what is shameful or deceitful, but only those whose names are written in the Lamb's book of life." Revelation 21:27, NIV

B. We can be hopeful in suffering because we know it leads to _____!

C. We can be hopeful in persecution because we know God is sovereignly _____ for our sake.