



# SERMON

*The Letter to the*

# Hebrews



**Hebrews 12:1-3 “Consider Jesus”**

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And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, <sup>2</sup> fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

For the joy that was set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

<sup>3</sup> Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

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# RUN FREE - Hebrews 12:1

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And let us run...



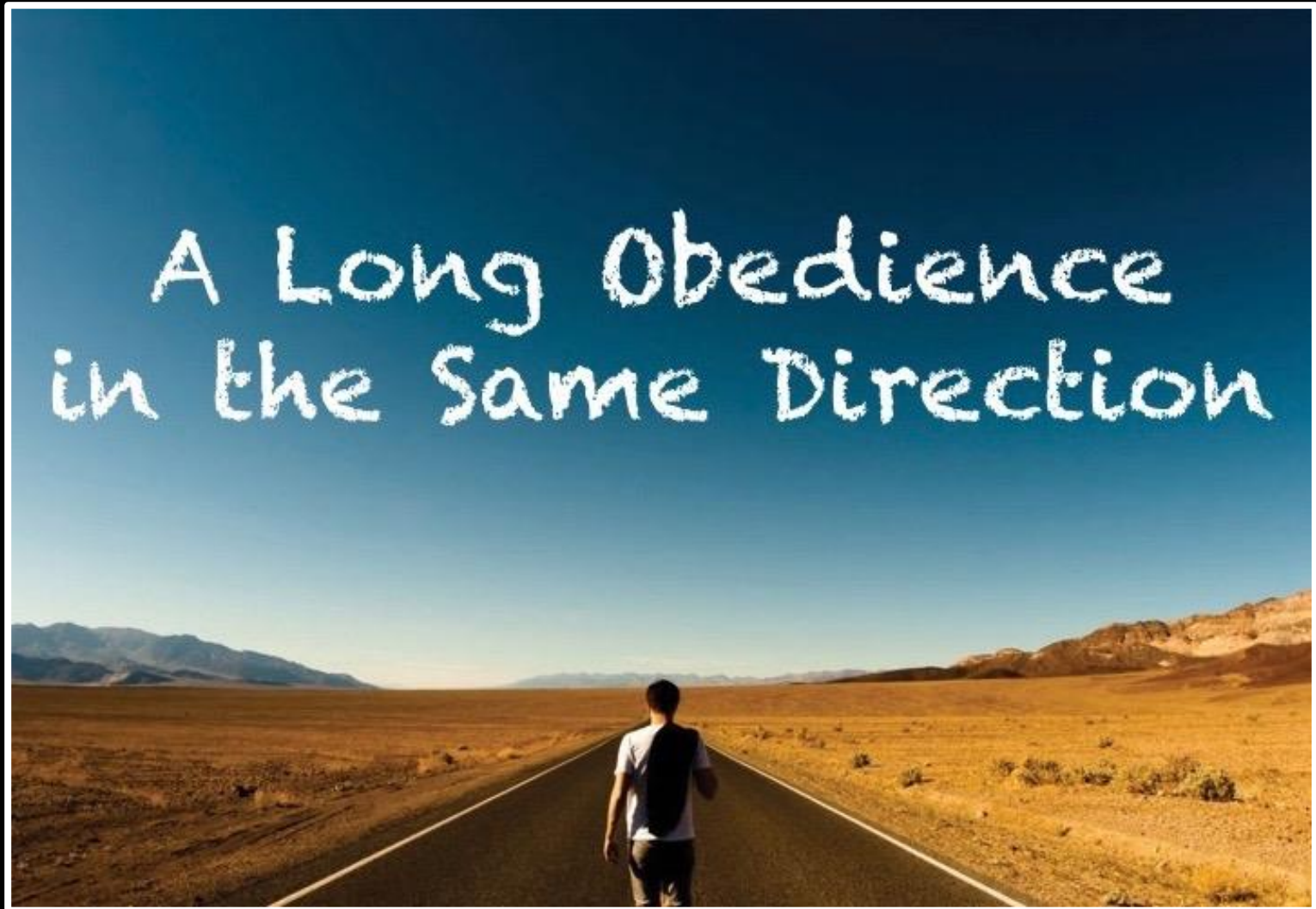
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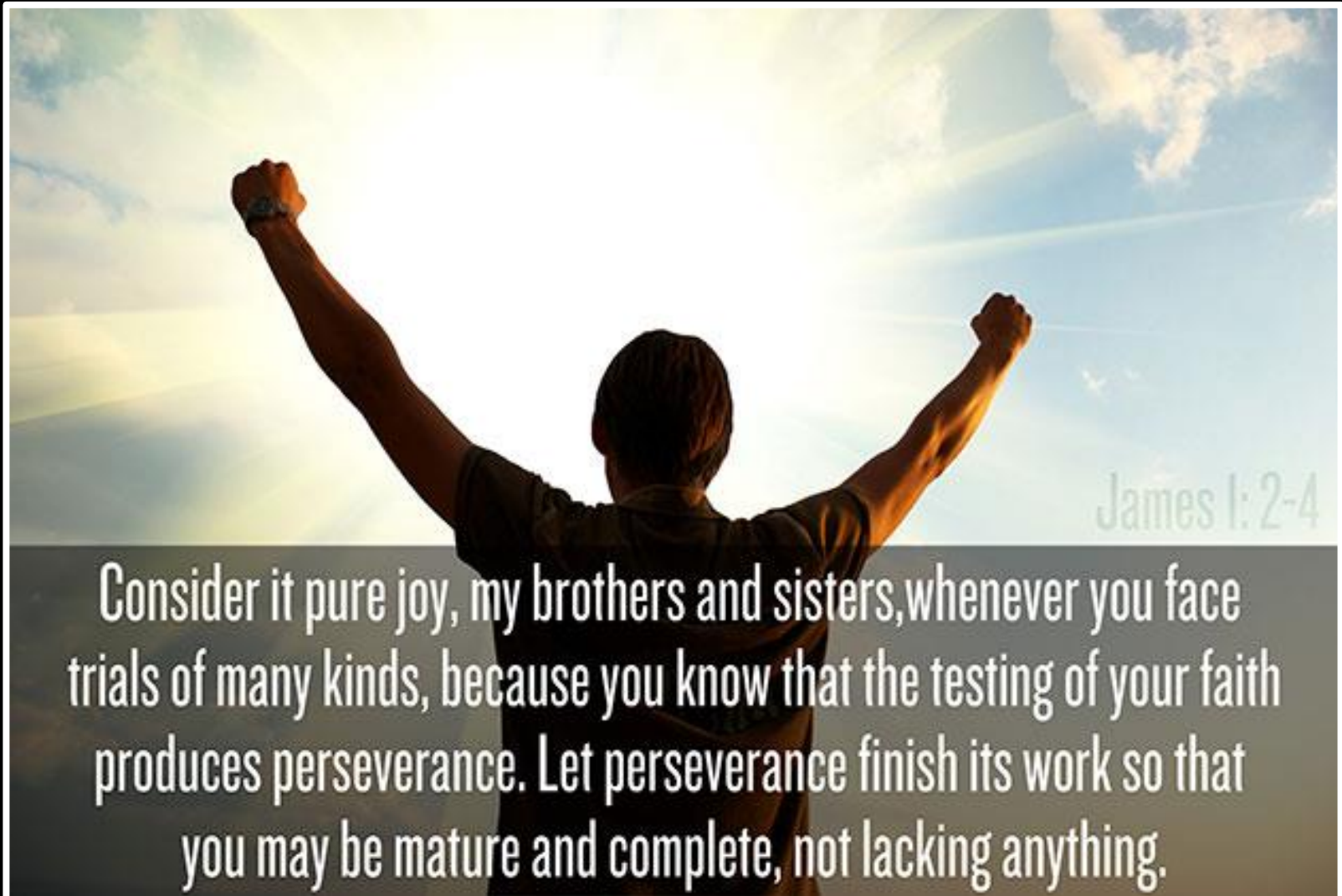
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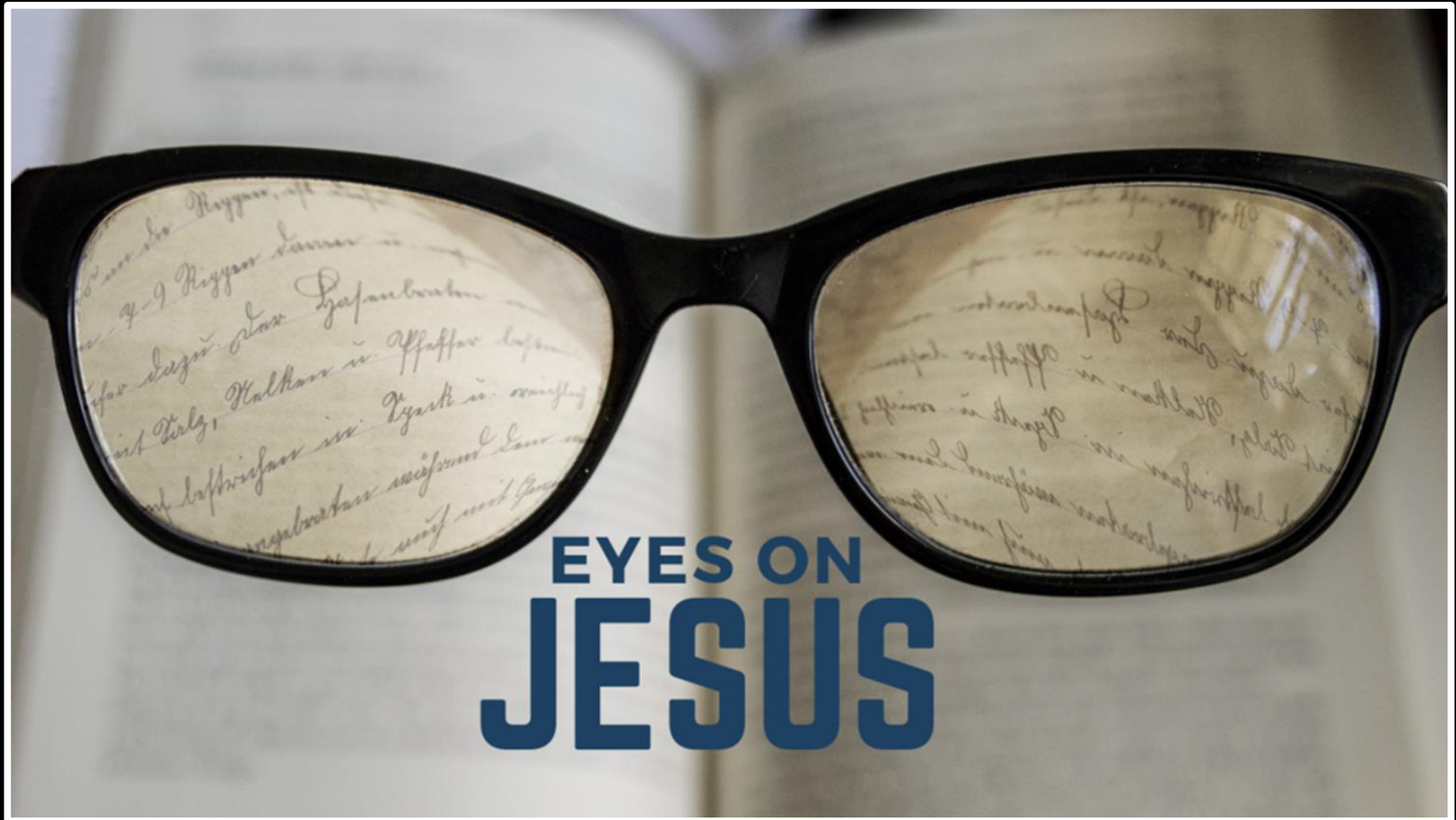
James 1: 2-4

Consider it pure joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance. Let perseverance finish its work so that you may be mature and complete, not lacking anything.



# RUN FOCUSED - Hebrews 12:1-3

And let us run... fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of our faith.

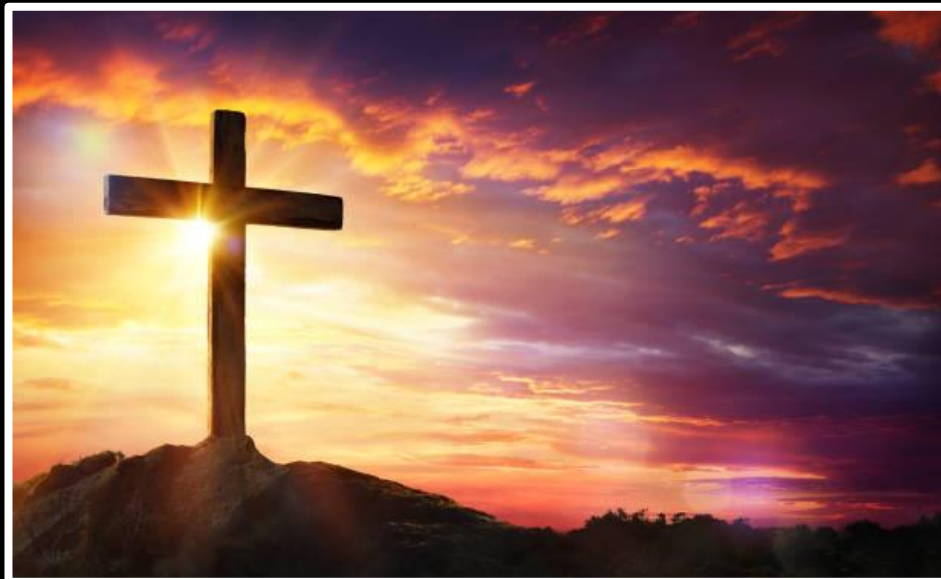


# **RUN FOCUSED - Hebrews 12:2-3**

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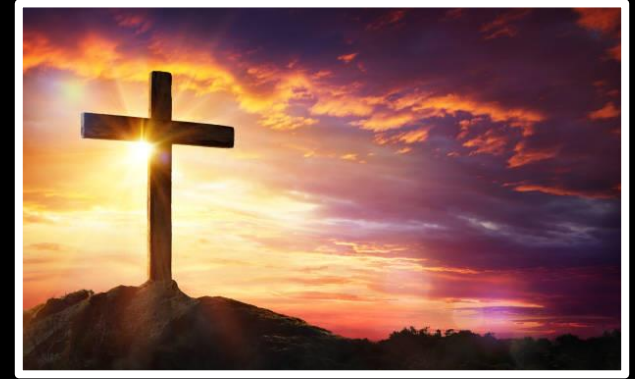
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# RUN FOCUSED: Jesus, pioneer and perfecter

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**2:18:** Because he himself suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

**4:15-16:** For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathise with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are— yet was without sin. Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

**7:25:** Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them.

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Run Free

Run Straight

Run Focused

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To  
God  
be the Glory!