

UNSHAKEABLE CONFIDENCE Part One: "Confidence in Unsettling Times"

How can we be happy in hard times, and comfortable with uncomfortable circumstances?

Read Philippians 1

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WI	HAT WAS PAUL DEALING WITH?	
	• He was experiencing the uncertaint	y of
	• He was dealing with the uncertainty	v of
	• He was facing the uncertainty of an	
НС	OW DID PAUL DEAL WITH IT ALL?	
1.	We grow certain through believing	
	"And I am certain that God, who bega continue his work until it is finally finis returns." PHILIPPIANS 1:6 NLT	, ,
2.	We grow certain when we	
	"So I rejoice. And I will continue to re me and the Spirit of Jesus Christ helps PHILIPPIANS 1:18-19 NLT	
	Joy does not depend on	
	but on a real relations	hip with Jesus Christ.
	We can	to rejoice
	and rise above ou	ır circumstances.

3.	We grow certain as we deconstruct out	r

"For I fully expect and hope that I will never be ashamed, but that I will continue to be bold for Christ, as I have been in the past. And I trust that my life will bring honor to Christ, whether I live or die. For to me, living means living for Christ, and dying is even better. But if I live, I can do more fruitful work for Christ. So I really don't know which is better. I'm torn between two desires: I long to go and be with Christ, which would be far better for me. But for your sakes, it is better that I continue to live." PHILIPPIANS 1:20-24 NLT

<i>N</i> e can be free from our g	reatest fears by
	in Jesus Christ!

"Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then I will be confident...I remain confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living." PSALMS 27:3, 13 NIV

FATHER GOD, Thank you that you know what you are doing in my life—even when I don't see it or fully understand it. I pray to discover the joy and unshakeable confidence that comes from a relationship with Jesus Christ. Help us to hold steady as you complete the work of making me like Him In Christ's Name, AMEN

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