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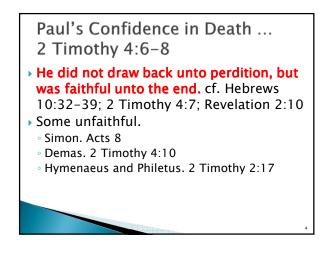
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Christ had died for him. Romans 5:6-8, 10

- John 3:16 God SO LOVED ... cf. 1 John 3:1 "Behold what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called children of God"
- Ephesians 2:12,13,16 Reconciliation/Remission possible.
 Romans 3:23ff; Matthew 26:28. cf. Revelation 1:5; 1 John 1:7
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- He had appropriated to himself the accomplishments of that death.
- Christ died for all. John 3:16; Hebrews 2:9
- Yet, few saved. Matthew 7:13–14
- Salvation must be received. Acts 10:34f; Revelation 22:17; Matthew 11:28
- Ephesians 3:6; Romans 6:3-4; Romans 5:1; Acts 22:16; 9:18



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What did this include?

- Discipline. 1 Corinthians 9:27
- Magnifying Christ. Philippians 1:20
- Serving. Acts 24:14; 27:23
- Integrity of Conscience. Acts 23:1
- Faithfully declaring the message. Acts 20:20, 26-27
- Fighting, Finishing, Keeping. 2 Timothy 4:7

Can We Have That Confidence In Death?

- Christ died for US as well as for Paul. Hebrews 2:9-10
- The same gospel to which he had access is designed for and offered to US. Mark 16:15-16
- Like Paul, WE can be faithful to the Lord. Revelation 2:10; 1 Corinthians 10:13; 1 Corinthians 15:58