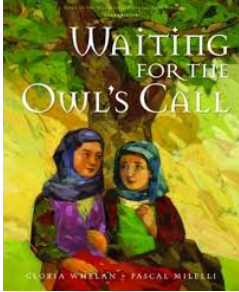


Endurance

If we endure, we will also reign with him.

2 Timothy 2:12

Family Book



Itinerary

Departure:
Tajikistan

Enroute:
*Follow the Silk Route
through Uzbekistan*

Arrival:
Turkmenistan

Hymns

Fairest Lord Jesus
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The Love of God
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The laborer's appetite works for him; his hunger drives him on.

Proverbs 16:26

Endure Hardship

2 Timothy 2:3-13

Endure hardship with us like a good soldier of Christ Jesus. No one serving as a soldier gets involved in civilian affairs - he wants to please his commanding officer. Similarly, if anyone competes as an athlete, he does not receive the victor's crown unless he competes according to the rules.

The hardworking farmer should be the first to receive a share of the crops. Reflect on what I am saying, for the Lord will give you insight into all this.

Remember Jesus Christ, raised from the dead, descended from David. This is my gospel, for which I am suffering even to the point of being chained like a criminal. But God's word is not chained. Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they too may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus, with eternal glory. Here is a trustworthy saying:

If we died with him,
we will also live with him.
If we endure,
we will also reign with him.
If we disown him,
he will also disown us;
If we are faithless,
he will remain faithful,
for he cannot disown himself.

Stars & Planets

He also made the stars. God set them in the expanse of the sky to give light on the earth, to govern the day and the night, and to separate light from darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening, and there was morning — the fourth day.

Genesis 1:17-19