Hebrews – Jesus is the High Priest of the Perfect Covenant (Part 19) Rewards for Those Who Choose to Endure

After warning them about the judgment of God which would occur for rejecting Christ (10:26-31), the author of Hebrews again follows up with an encouragement to fully commit to Christ.

(Hebrews 10:32-39) Never surrender.	
(v.32-34) Working through	
(v.32) Remember when you were first enlightened by the truth.	
Enlightenment does not indicate	
These "believers" tried to live the Christian ideal in the midst of persecution and suffering	າg.
(v.33) Their belief in Jesus Christ did have terrible consequences:	
(v.34) They identified with other believers who were persecuted for the faith.	
They knew that true believers would be rewarded for faithful endurance.	
(v.35) To walk away is to surrender the of eternity.	
These people are wavering between being all in for God or rejecting Christ altogether.	
(v.36) Don't give up.	
People who try to live for Christ without surrendering to Christ will mightily.	
The author encourages them to endure patiently.	
(v.37-38) A peek into the future.	
(v.37) The promise of	
Soon for God is often not soon enough for us.	
(v.38) A promise and a substantial motivating threat.	
The righteous will be enabled to continue to trust in God.	
Unrighteous apostates will receive from God.	
(v.39) The author and other true followers of Christ have confident assurance of salvation.	
Apostates have no one to blame for their destruction but themselves.	
To reject Jesus Christ is to make yourself anof God. (John 3:35-36)	

Many people start out with a profession of faith and somewhere along the way they get lost because they've taken their eyes off Jesus.