

“Saint Paul’s Swan Song”

2 Timothy 4:7-8 (NASB)

2 TIMOTHY 4:7-8 (NASB)

**I HAVE FOUGHT THE GOOD FIGHT, I
HAVE FINISHED THE COURSE, I HAVE
KEPT THE FAITH; IN THE FUTURE
THERE IS LAID UP FOR ME THE CROWN
OF RIGHTEOUSNESS, WHICH THE
LORD, THE RIGHTEOUS JUDGE WILL
AWARD TO ME ON THAT DAY; AND NOT
ONLY TO ME, BUT ALSO TO ALL WHO
HAVE LOVED HIS APPEARING.**

PAUL'S DEATH

**PAUL'S DEATH IS A SACRIFICE FOR
THE TRUTH OF THE GOSPEL.**

SEE 2 TIMOTHY 4:6

HE FOUGHT THE GOOD FIGHT

AGONIZOMAI – I HAVE FOUGHT

TO STRUGGLE IN PRAYER (COL. 4:12)

TO FIGHT AS SOLDIERS (JOHN. 18:36)

TO COMPETE AS ATHLETES (1 COR. 9:25)

THE GOOD FIGHT

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A RACE TO RUN (Heb. 12:1)

I TIMOTHY 6:12 (NASB)

FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH;
TAKE HOLD OF THE ETERNAL LIFE TO
WHICH YOU WERE CALLED, AND YOU
MADE THE GOOD CONFESSION IN THE
PRESENCE OF MANY WITNESSES.

SEE I TIMOTHY 1:18

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BELOVED, WHILE I WAS MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO WRITE TO YOU ABOUT OUR COMMON SALVATION, I FELT THE NECESSITY TO WRITE TO YOU APPEALING THAT YOU **CONTEND FOR THE FAITH WHICH WAS ONCE DELIVERED TO THE SAINTS.**

LIFE TRUTH

**THE CHRISTIAN LIFE IS THE GOOD
FIGHT BECAUSE IT IS THE FIGHT
FOR THE TRUTH.**

HE FINISHED THE RACE

**RACE = COURSE = PATH = WAY =
ROUTE = TRACK = ROAD**

Psalm 119:32 (NASB)

**I HAVE RUN THE WAY OF YOUR
COMMANDMENTS, FOR YOU WILL
ENLARGE MY HEART.**

JESUS FINISHED THE COURSE

**WHEN JESUS THEREFORE HAD
RECEIVED THE SOUR WINE, HE
SAID, “IT IS FINISHED!” AND HE
BOWED HIS HEAD, AND GAVE UP
HIS SPIRIT (JOHN 19:30, NASB)**

LIFE TRUTH

**THE CHRISTIAN LIFE IS A COURSE
DESIGNED BY GOD, ON WHICH WE
MUST REMAIN TO THE END.**

HE KEPT THE FAITH

**THE PLEDGE TO COMPETE
ACCORDING TO THE RULES.**

THE HEAVENLY REWARD

**IN THE FUTURE THERE IS LAID UP
FOR ME THE CROWN OF
RIGHTEOUSNESS, WHICH THE
LORD, THE RIGHTEOUS JUDGE
WILL AWARD TO ME ON THAT DAY;
AND NOT ONLY TO ME, BUT ALSO
TO ALL WHO HAVE LOVED HIS
APPEARING. (2 TIM. 4:8 NASB)**