

**God's Call To Faithfulness**  
**Revelation 2:10**

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**I. What Does It Mean To Be Faithful?**

- A. Faithfulness means you are C\_\_\_\_\_.
- 1. **“I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other!” Revelation 3:15**
- B. Faithfulness is based on C\_\_\_\_\_ rather than feeling.
- C. Faithfulness is being C\_\_\_\_\_ but not perfect.

**II. Why Must We Be Faithful?**

- A. Because God D\_\_\_\_\_ it.- 1. **“Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no commandment greater than these." Mark 12:30-31**
- B. Because we have entered into a C\_\_\_\_\_ with God.- 1. **“If you fully obey the LORD your God and carefully follow all his commands I give you today, the LORD your God will set you high above all the nations on earth.” Deut. 28:1**
- 2. **“However, if you do not obey the LORD your God and do not carefully follow all his commands and decrees I am giving you today, all these curses will come upon you and overtake you:” Deut. 28:15**
- C. Because the love of Christ C\_\_\_\_\_ us.- 1. **Eph. 2**
- D. Because of our own P\_\_\_\_\_ G\_\_\_\_\_.
- E. Because of our E\_\_\_\_\_ to others.- 1. **“In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.” Matt. 5:16**
- F. So we can go to H\_\_\_\_\_.- 1. **“Do not be afraid of what you are about to suffer. I tell you, the devil will put some of you in prison to test you, and you will suffer persecution for ten days. Be faithful, even to the point of death, and I will give you the crown of life.” Rev. 2:10**
- 2. **“All men will hate you because of me, but he who stands firm to the end will be saved.” Matt. 10:22**

**III. How Will God View Our Excuses?**

- A. Satan will make excuses A\_\_\_\_\_.
- B. When God looks at the C\_\_\_\_\_ He's not interested in our excuses.
- C. If you are too B\_\_\_\_\_ to serve the Lord, you are too B\_\_\_\_\_.