## **Hope & the Christian**

Psalm 31:24 Psalm 130:7 I Timothy 1:1 Psalm 33:20 I Timothy 4:10 Psalm 147:11 Psalm 42:5 Hebrews 11:1 Proverbs 23:18 Psalm 71:5 I Peter 1:3 Isaiah 40:30-31 Isaiah 49:23b

We can be encouraged by the ...

**H**istory of our faithful God (as we remember the past)

Lamentations 3:21-23 Psalm 119:147 Romans 15:4

Overcoming power of His Spirit (as we live in the present)

> Hebrews 13:5 John 14:16-18 I John 4:4 Romans 8:28 Romans 8:31

Promises of Christ's return (as we look to the future)

John 14:1-3 Luke 10:20 Colossians 1:5 Titus 1:2 Titus 2:13 I John 3:2-3

Endurance inspired by our hope in Christ I Thessalonians 1:3 Three Lessons:

Let us be people of hope by ...

- 1) Meditating on God's faithfulness
- 2) Speaking words of encouragement to fellow believers
- 3) Witnessing to unbelievers of the hope they can have in Christ

