

# 1 Peter 5:9

Authorized King James Version (KJV)

Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.

## Analysis

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Peter commands: resist Satan steadfast in faith. Believers globally face identical sufferings. You're not alone.

## Historical Context

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Satan uses suffering to discourage. Resistance requires community. Early church maintained global solidarity.

## Related Passages

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**Romans 1:17** — The righteous shall live by faith

**James 2:17** — Faith and works

## Study Questions

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1. How does knowing believers worldwide face same afflictions encourage you?
2. What does resisting Satan steadfast in faith mean practically?

## Interlinear Text

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Ἄντετε στερεοὶ τῇ πίστει εἰδότες τὰ  
Whom resist stedfast in the faith knowing G3588  
G3739 G436 G4731 G4102 G1492 G3588

αὐτὰ τῶν παθημάτων τῇ ἐν κόσμῳ ὑμῶν  
that the same afflictions that are in the world in your  
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ἀδελφότητι ἐπιτελεῖσθαι  
brethren are accomplished  
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## Additional Cross-References

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**James 4:7** (Parallel theme): Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.

**Acts 14:22** (Faith): Confirming the souls of the disciples, and exhorting them to continue in the faith, and that we must through much tribulation enter into the kingdom of God.

**1 Peter 2:21** (Parallel theme): For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps:

**1 Corinthians 10:13** (Faith): There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.

**Ephesians 6:16** (Faith): Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.

**2 Timothy 3:12** (Parallel theme): Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.

**Hebrews 11:33** (Faith): Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions,

**1 Timothy 6:12** (Faith): Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses.

**1 Peter 3:14** (Parallel theme): But and if ye suffer for righteousness' sake, happy are ye: and be not afraid of their terror, neither be troubled;

**Ephesians 4:27** (Parallel theme): Neither give place to the devil.

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