

## Living Hope: Part 14

### Birth Pains



1) \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ are the story of our faith

2) Persecution begins with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

#### Initial Persecution Tactics

Shaming, Marginalizing, Censoring, & Silencing

#### The Logic of the Asylum

- In the Bible, God calls human sin evil.
- Considering someone else's actions as evil is hateful.
- The Bible is hate speech.
- Believing the Bible makes you a hateful ...

3) Keys to Impact is a Hostile Environment

- Immediate Resistance & Resolve
- Unified Prayer & Confidence
- Recommitment to the Mission & Message
- Renewed Dependence on the Spirit & the Body
- Rejoicing that we are Counted Worthy to Suffer
- Persistent Resolve & Powerful Impact

4) Characteristics of a Romans 1 Nation



- Autonomy
- Idolatry
- Immorality
- Homosexuality
- Moral Insanity
- Forced Agreement