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"O you who have believed, persevere and endure and remain stationed and fear Allāh that you may be successful"

— Surah Ali 'Imran 3:200

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