

FAITH

Without faith you are wasting your spiritual time and the windows of heaven will not open for you. Without faith, it is impossible to please God. Without it you won't see the movement of God in your life. Faith is the gateway between the visible and invisible realm. Faith is that thing that functions in the present based on what God has said about the future. Lk 17:5-6 2 Cor 5:7 Jn 11 Matt 11:12 James 4:8 Lk 17:11-19 Jn 5:5-9

1. Principle of Faith

Heb 11:6 Eph 6:16

What is Faith? Heb 11:1 Matt 13:58 (Existence in another realm) Eccl 10:19

Substance – assurance, confirmation, title-deed, stuff, raw material

2. Power of Faith

Rom 10:8-10 James 5:15-16 Mark 11:22-26 Matt 17:20 (Zech 4:7)

Rom 10:17 James 1:5-8 Rom 3:3-4

3. Priority of Faith

Luke 16:11-13 (*Faith vs Faithful*) Eccl 11:1 1 Tim 6:12 2 Tim 4:6-8

4. Practice of Faith

James 2:14-26 Mark 2:1-5 Prov 11:24 Rom 1:17 (Hab 2:4) 2 Cor 10:5 Rom 12:2

**Practice of Faith results in debt release*

**3 types of people: a. Haves b. Have Nots c. Have Not Paid for What They Have (Lev 27:30-31)*

Prov 22:7 Deut 15:6 Deut 28:12, 43-45 Psa 37:21 Eccl 5:4 John 8:32 Matt 17:24-27

5. People of Faith

Hebrews 11 (*Hall of Faith*)

6. Put Seed to Faith

Prov 11:25 Psa 50:14-15 Prov 3:9-10 Eph 6:8 1 Sam 1:11,17-28

Luke 6:38

**It* - What ever it is that you want from God it has to be the same category of thing that you give to God.

**They* – God is not limited to saints

Prov 13:22 Exodus 12:31-36 Psa 24:1 1 Cor 10:26 Psa 50:10-12

**Needs Met* - Psa 37:25 2 Cor 9:8 Phil 4:15-19 **Sowing in Good Ground* - Matt 13:18-23

7. Perseverance of Faith

Don't Let Circumstances Stop You Eccl 11:4

Don't Let Doubt Stop You Mark 9:20-27 Matt 17:15-21

Don't Let People Stop You Luke 18:35-43

Don't Let Fear Stop You 1 Kings 17:8-16 2 Chron 20:20 1 Sam 15:22-23 2 Tim 1:7

Don't Let Your Emotions Stop You Psa 126:5-6 James 4:7-10

*****Ensure your faith lines up with God's word. Isaiah 55:10-13**