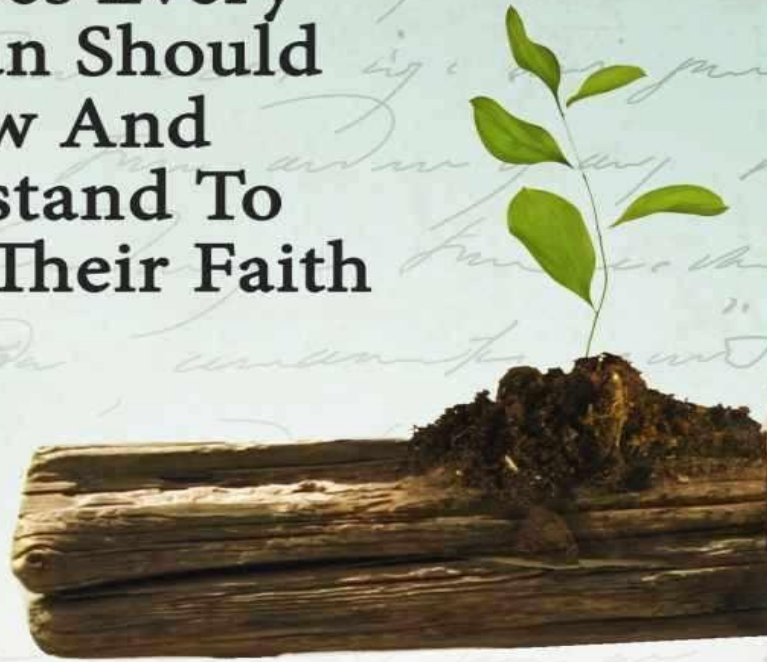


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Understanding And Life Application

What is faith? We all know what it is in a general sense, but what exactly is God looking for from us? Understanding what God desires and how He gives us opportunities for faith helps us to increase our faith in indescribable ways. How would you like to have greater faith? How would you like to enter, go through, and exit the trials of life with a smile on your face? How can this be done? Through knowing what God is doing, what His heart is for you, and where your faith needs to be placed.

While blind faith is the best type of faith, the grey areas of life can become the greatest deterrents to perfect faith. It all depends on how we respond to our circumstances. When we don't know or understand what God is doing, we are forced to come up against the things we can't see. But how you respond to the pressures of life determines the outcome of your faith—whether it will increase or not.

This is similar to weight training. We grow stronger when we come up against resistance. Even so, our faith grows exponentially when we must have blind faith. Yet blind faith isn't entirely without knowledge. Blind faith isn't putting our trust in God while not knowing whether He will help us or not. Blind faith is trusting in God when we don't know the outcome but know that God will work it together for good.

Blind faith requires the belief that God does all things through perfect love and that His every intention is to grow and deliver us even when it doesn't appear that way. Some have a difficult time discerning this. When facing trials, they claim, "I trust God will help me!" But it isn't a question of whether God will help us or not. It is about relying on Him while He carries us through even if we don't know how He will.

God will always work our circumstances together for good no matter what. His love for us compels Him to do so. Remember that even if a trial ends in our death, He has still worked it together for good. How so? Because in such a case, we'll go home to Him and have continual, perfect joy and peace.

Even as it is written,

"The righteous perishes, And no man takes it to heart; Merciful men are taken

away, While no one considers That the righteous is taken away from evil.” Isaiah 57:1

The nature of faith isn’t perfectly blind at any time, ever. For we know that God will work all things together for good, even though we can’t see how. Therefore we must rest in the knowledge that God is good and does all things through love.

Now, the manner we choose to have faith dictates the result of our faith. Think of it like weight training again. If we don’t have good form in our exercises, the muscles won’t build right, and doing this can result in injury. Likewise, if we don’t have proper faith, it could result in an otherwise avoidable trial. Our faith will not build from circumstances if we lack understanding in how to properly apply faith in each circumstance.

Some people put themselves in dangerous situations physically, spiritually, emotionally, or financially and say, “I trust God will take care of me.” Such a situation may be a financial sacrifice to honor God that God never called them to do. But they, in their own works, tried to honor God and of their own accord made a sacrifice.

Every manner of sacrifice since the Old Testament has been laid out by God in what He wants and how He wants it performed. There are many Christians that believe that if they pour their whole life out like a drink offering, God will bless them with a reward in heaven. Yet in all His details, God has never said that we should hurt ourselves without His leading. There is a difference between carrying our crosses and crucifying ourselves. But if we submit to His word and His leading, we know that we have carried our cross, and God will deliver us from all harm. Even as God led us into the valley of suffering so He will lead us onto the mountain of praise. But if we aren’t listening to and obeying His Spirit, then we are not being led by Him. God rewards those that obey Him. For we read,

“So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.” Romans 10:17

This we knew since we came to salvation. We believe and proclaim that one cannot be saved apart from Jesus Christ and faith in Him. Then somewhere down the road, some believers forget this age old truth and try to gain God’s favor through their own hard work again. If this never worked for salvation before, why would it now?

As we discern from Romans 10:17, faith comes by God's word. We know that the Bible is His word, but sometimes we forget that anything God speaks is His word. Any time God opens His mouth our natural response must always be with faith. Remember that God spoke to Abraham and gave Him the promises verbally. Then Abraham, having believed, was considered righteous. We have the word written, but Abraham had it orally spoken to him by God. Abraham believed God and obeyed His leading and thus was called the friend of God. Similarly, we must be careful in how we choose to have faith. God has shown us how He wants us to apply faith in every situation and how to honor Him in our works of faith.

Putting ourselves in dangerous situations and saying "God will honor me and take care of me" is foolish if the Lord hasn't specifically called us to it. God doesn't honor those that don't believe and obey His voice. Nowhere has God said anywhere in the Bible, "If you go about hurting yourself in this life, I will be pleased." God doesn't need our sacrifices or our works. He doesn't need anything from us at all. But if God calls us to have faith, then we need to have it. What works, then, does He require? Merely that of obedience. We need to spend more time listening to the Holy Spirit than trying to figure out on our own how to make Him happy. His answers to how we can please Him are right there on the tip of His tongue. All we need to do is listen better and obey more fervently.

Thus we must approach every situation of life with soberness. God tests us to see how we will act and whether or not we will wait for faith or act without Him and try to justify our actions. Some jump the gun without waiting for the Spirit to speak and lead them. It isn't a leap of faith unless God has told us to do it. Faith comes from His word, not our own hearts. We are not justified unless God justifies us. And how are we justified? What do we read?

"But that no one is justified by the law in the sight of God is evident, for 'the just shall live by faith.'" Galatians 3:11

But where did we say faith comes from? By the word of God. Thus God justifies those that believe and obey His Holy Spirit's voice. Consider the Spirit for a moment. In what manner has He ever been wrong, led us astray, or led us to a less perfect thing? Seeing, then, that God never leads us astray but guides us in righteousness, love, justice, and perfection, we must submit to His Spirit. Lest any of us think that we know better than God, we all must surrender to and obey His Spirit's conviction and voice.

If you enter a situation of life and feel pressed to make a decision, pray first for God's wisdom. If God doesn't seem to be answering you and you are pressed, then Satan is likely pressing you and God is testing you to see if you will wait for faith or act without the Lord. Remember that it is written,

“Wait on the LORD; Be of good courage, And He shall strengthen your heart; Wait, I say, on the LORD!” Psalm 27:14

And also,

“Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for Him; Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, Because of the man who brings wicked schemes to pass.” Psalm 37:7

David was a man accustomed to great persecution and well acquainted with trials. The dew covered his head at night while he was homeless in the wilderness for years, running for his life from his enemy. But God sustained him the entire time, and after having tested him, he was approved and was given the kingdom. Even though David suffered without a home and was constantly in hiding for fear of his enemy, he, knowing that God works everything together for good, believed God would save him if he submitted to the leading and voice of God. Hence David often inquired of the Lord, and we ought to as well. Then because of David's faith and persistence to obey the Spirit, he was led from homelessness to a mansion, from fear to peace, from poverty to becoming a king. God uses the evil circumstances of life to establish our hearts for a greater purpose—a purpose that can even be felt in this life.

Even as David was found approved through obedience and faith, we also must be found approved, and in due and proper time, God will raise us up to perfect victory. Yet being sustained doesn't always mean comfortability. It just means that we're being taken care of. While God intends to bless us even in this life, it doesn't mean that we will always experience that blessing. Neither should we live for the blessings of this life nor pursue them of our own accord. But God will lead us to these things in His own way and time. Therefore we must learn to submit to the voice of the Spirit in everything that we may always be led by faith.

Now, if we jump the gun and don't wait for God's voice, then we aren't walking in faith. Unless God leads us daily and we are listening to His word through His Spirit and obeying it, we aren't living a life of faith. The Bible is half of our faith

and the Spirit is the other half. It is He who wrote the Bible through men and who interprets the word to us, explaining to us how to live it out and apply it daily. So on the one hand, Jesus authored our faith when He issued forth the Scriptures through the Spirit in men, and on the other hand, He finishes our faith through the Spirit's voice. Thus Jesus is the author and finisher of our faith, and we must submit to His word, both written and spoken by the Spirit. If anyone does not obey the voice of the Spirit, no matter how small and subtle, then he or she does not obey God. For the Spirit is God, and if we love the Lord, then we must obey His voice.

It is the Spirit Who conveys the active word of God to us on a daily basis. We must listen to Him and wait for His leading in everything. Yet waiting can be hard. We have a real enemy, who loves to push us to make decisions without the Lord. If we decide to step out in faith without God's direction, then we aren't walking in faith at all.

There are many Christian's who do this, then after they suffer a trial, they claim God has a blessing in store for them in heaven. But the reality is that they just made themselves suffer and need to live according to His word, waiting for the leading of the Spirit of God. But that we must be led is evident. For it is written, "For as many as are led by the Spirit of God these are the sons of God." Romans 8:14

Knowing this, we must learn to be led in everything. If we are led by the Spirit in everything, we will be justified in everything. Why? Because God has worked through us in all our works.

Some struggle with understanding how works apply to faith. The works of the law and the works of faith are two different things. The confusion some people have regarding these two comes from the belief that the Bible is the only word of God. If we try to apply the principles of the Bible without the guidance of the Spirit, then we are practicing a life of legalism. But if we read our Bibles and apply them through God's directing voice, then we truly walk by faith, fulfilling the law of God by nature.

If we remember that every word God speaks is His word, we begin to understand the difference between legalistic works and works of faith. For faith comes by hearing, and the just live by faith. The legalistic works of the law are still practiced by some Christians today. They apply the New Testament in the similar

manner as the Jews without even realizing it. They read the New Testament principles and try to practice them religiously and legally in their lives. For whatever reason, there seems to be two extremes in the Christian faith regarding works. One doctrine says, “Works are perfect faith,” and the other doctrine says, “Works are not necessary at any time; they just happen out of nature.” So the one group does good deeds, trying hard to be good people and claiming that it justifies their faith, while the other group just believes that they’re justified by faith only and don’t need to do any works.

The problem with both of these is that their argument comes from a legal examination of the Scripture. Works of faith are not applying the principles of the Bible in the manner we think Jesus would call us to. Works of faith come by hearing God and obeying Him. We work out faith when we feel God’s pull in life, step out in faith, and obey. Faith isn’t attempting to please God through trying to apply the principles of the Bible while not really knowing how to apply them. We should never try to figure out and apply the Scriptures on our own, like the phrase “What Would Jesus Do?” We should just ask Jesus through prayer as to what He wants us to do, and His Holy Spirit will specifically tell us. Then, as we obey God, we will walk by faith, hence we are justified because it is God who works in us. As it is written,

“for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.”
Philippians 2:13

We should never hope or have faith that God is pleased. We should know He is pleased. Ask yourself that question now. “Is God pleased with me?” If you don’t know, then you need to examine your understanding of faith and walking with Him. God is pleased when we listen to His voice, obey His conviction, and pursue His heart. If you do these things, then you will know for certain that He is pleased. We must live for His will, but how can we do so unless we understand His voice? God conveys His will to us through the Spirit on a moment-by-moment basis. Thus to truly surrender to Christ as your Lord requires you to surrender to His Spirit.

Have you ever wondered why blaspheming the Spirit is unforgivable? Because it is He who creates new life in us daily. It is He who leads us in God’s perfect will. It is He who justifies us through love. It is He who gives us opportunity for faith then justifies us through it. It is He who is our helper, who conveys the will of the Father to us and increases us in everything that saves us as He grows us. It

is He who secures our salvation through Jesus Christ, and without Him, no man is saved. Knowing this, we ought to plunge deeper into Him. We ought to dive head first into the Spirit, meditating on His presence always, and growing to perfectly discern His voice. For by His voice faith comes, and by faith we are saved and justified. But that we are saved by faith is evident for we read,

“For by grace you have been saved through faith...” Ephesians 2:8

Faith saves us, and the Spirit increases our faith as we walk in Him. He is the untouchable God. It is He who dwelt in the holiest of all, behind the veil. Then, by the rending of our Savior and through the outpouring of His blood, we have been given the right to step into the Most Holy Place. That is to say that we are now given the Holy Spirit, who makes us holy. For the word “holy” comes from the root word “whole.” Thus holy in a literal sense means “to make whole.” The Holy Spirit was sent to make us whole in Christ Jesus. It is He who makes us perfect and complete in our Lord. Therefore submit to Him and obey His voice. Listen to His conviction, and do not brush Him off.

In order to increase in faith, we need to increase our relationship with the Holy Spirit through continually abiding and meditating on Him. Practice meditating on His presence that you may hear His voice more clearly and obey Him more fervently. But what are the best ways to do practice meditating on His presence? Continual prayer and constant worship. Pray without ceasing. Talk to God and toward His presence constantly. If your thoughts trail off, then wrangle them in and learn to be self-disciplined in the place of your mind.

Pray also in the Spirit by listening to Him while you pray. Then whatever He lays on your heart, pray that and you’ll be praying in the Spirit. Worship in the Spirit likewise. Aim your praise directly at God, and do not merely sing about Him. There are many good Christian songs out there, but true worship is something we sing directly to God. Singing “God is holy, God is holy” isn’t true worship. Worship happens when we’re intimate with our Lord. True worship would be singing toward God’s presence and to His face “God, You are holy! You are holy!” Just this simple change in your worship will dramatically change the level of intimacy you experience in worship. You will experience His heart in a greater way and be worshipping in the Spirit as your heart attunes to His. By attuning your heart to His, you’ll feel the Spirit’s words bubble up from your heart and out from your mouth. The result will be a spiritual song of love—an intelligible, heartfelt, incredible song laid on your heart from God to God.

By doing these things continually, you'll be meditating on Him as you should. Do not pray or worship merely a few times a week or a couple times a day. Do it in your heart all day every day. Constantly talk to God, and you will constantly hear God. Practice these things, and it will change your life. Faith comes by hearing, so the more you hear God, the more faith you will have, and thus by the nature of it, your faith will increase dramatically.

New Testament

Matthew

1) “For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened. Or what man is there among you who, if his son asks for bread, will give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a serpent? If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give good things to those who ask Him!” Matthew 7:8–11

This is not the entire portion we will memorize. But for the purpose of understanding context, we have included the entire Scripture. Our lives are limited by our choices. If we align our hearts with the Father’s, then the more we ask, the more we will receive. Even if it is a little thing, God may grant it to you just to be intimate with you. Why? Because His will is already laid up in your heart through your surrender. Are you willing to accept this? Are you willing to believe? Then ask and you will receive according to His will and your faith.

2) “When Jesus heard it, He marveled, and said to those who followed, “Assuredly, I say to you, I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel!” Matthew 8:10

The original Greek word for marvel is *thaumazō*. This word more or less means to admire. Another way of saying it is to leave someone “awestruck.” We always stand in awe of God, but nearly never do you see God marveling or awestruck over humanity. The only times you see Jesus marvel in the New Testament are when a person has great faith. By this it is more than obvious that faith pleases God. So if you want to have God awestruck over the beauty He sees in you, then increase in your faith constantly. Make a point of it every day. He loves you, and all He wants is for you to trust Him. Love and trust are the foundations of any relationship. Likewise, God wants us to trust Him and His love. If you want God to be awestruck with joy over you, then pray right now and continually that He would increase your faith.

3) “But He said to them, “Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?” Then He arose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm.” Matthew 8:26

No matter where we're at or what we're going through, God is always faithful. Even if we do not have faith, God cannot forsake His own heart. He loves us and will deliver us. Yes, we will suffer more without faith, but that won't change the character and nature of God. Therefore, Beloved, be found faithful in His sight, and trust in Him. The only person you're hurting by fretting is yourself. When a storm of life arises, remember that God is in control. Even if it takes you by surprise, God is still in control. Just because we lose control doesn't mean God has. The best thing that could happen to us is that we lose control of life. That way God may have the control, and He is always faithful to save.

4) "So Jesus answered and said to them, 'Assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith and do not doubt, you will not only do what was done to the fig tree, but also if you say to this mountain, "Be removed and be cast into the sea," it will be done.'" Matthew 21:21

Pray for miracles, and trust in God. Do you want to see His power at work in your life? Then first of all, believe that He works in power then ask for your request with faith. If it is the Father's will, it shall come to pass. The worst that could happen is that He says no because it wasn't His will. Knowing this, don't put your faith in God merely doing what you want and ask. Rather, have faith that if He is willing He is able. For we read,

"And behold, a leper came and worshiped Him, saying, 'Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean.' Then Jesus put out His hand and touched him, saying, 'I am willing; be cleansed.' Immediately his leprosy was cleansed." Matthew 8:2-3

God still heals us. God still works miracles and power among us. But if you want the works of the early church in your life, then seek the Lord for it and have all faith. When we do not have, it may be because we have not asked.

5) "So Jesus said to them, 'Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, "Move from here to there," and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you.'" Matthew 17:20

The limits of possibility are defined by the boundaries of our faith. For it is written,

"Jesus said to him, 'If You can believe, all things are possible to him who

believes.’” Mark 9:23

And again,

“I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.” Philippians 4:13

Mark

1) “So Jesus answered and said to them, ‘Have faith in God. For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, “Be removed and be cast into the sea,” and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says. Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive them, and you will have them.’” Mark 11:22–24

God wants to be intimate with you. Are you willing to believe? Ask Him in faith, for your Father knows your needs and intends to give them to you. He is willing to move mountains, split seas, and cast aside all things that get in the way of you and Him. At a moment’s notice, He would pass through heaven and earth just to spend a little time with you. You’re so precious in His sight!

What can keep you from the depths of His intimacy? Your own faith. Grow in faith, and you will be blessed. For what father would give their little child a scorpion if they asked for food? Even so, God gives to us if we take the time to be intimate with Him and ask. Ask God, have faith, and watch it change your life!

Luke

1) “So the Lord said, ‘If you have faith as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, “Be pulled up by the roots and be planted in the sea,” and it would obey you.’” Luke 17:6

A mustard seed is one of the smallest seeds on earth, but it grows into a tremendous plant. If you have a little faith, great things can be accomplished. What then can we expect to see if we have great faith? Therefore, Beloved, do not be satisfied with a little faith, but let that mustard seed grow into a tree that shades the entire field.

2) “Then Jesus said to him, ‘Receive your sight; your faith has made you well.’” Luke 18:42

Our faith is our sight. For we walk by faith and not by sight.

Romans

1) “For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, ‘The just shall live by faith.’” Romans 1:16–17

The Scriptures are the foundation of our faith. If we live according to them as God instructs, then the righteousness of God will be at work in us.

2) “For what if some did not believe? Will their unbelief make the faithfulness of God without effect?” Romans 3:3

God is faithful even when we are not.

3) “Therefore we conclude that a man is justified by faith apart from the deeds of the law.” Romans 3:28

There are two types of works: the works of faith and of the law. We are justified by faith, not the application of the word in legalistic practice. Faith comes by hearing God. Therefore obedience to the word and voice of God through faith justifies us over all things. Knowing this, let God teach you how to apply His word through His Holy Spirit.

4) “Do we then make void the law through faith? Certainly not! On the contrary, we establish the law.” Romans 3:31

While we are not required to work out the law, we fulfill the law by nature when we walk by faith. For those who listen to the Holy Spirit’s voice and obey Him fulfill the law by nature.

5) “So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.” Romans 10:17

God created faith when He opened His mouth. Whenever God speaks, whether by the written word or by the oral leading of the Holy Spirit, we are required to have faith.

First Corinthians

1) “And my speech and my preaching were not with persuasive words of human wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power, that your faith should not be in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.” 1 Corinthians 2:4–5

There are many churches today have longwinded, heady sermons. They are eloquent, beautiful, and seemingly practical. But not even the Apostle Paul came speaking in the wisdom of men. Rather, he allowed the Spirit to speak freely through him and work through him. That way all would see God’s power and believe that the Lord’s word was with him as well as believe in the power of the Gospel to resurrect the dead.

We likewise should let the Spirit speak through us to others. We also should be looking for the voice of God through our brethren. Faith comes by hearing God. Therefore if any man does not speak through Christ, do not believe his words. But those whose mouths are well seasoned with salt will guide you rightly. Seek to live and be led by the power of God in your own life, which will increase your faith in the resurrection of the dead.

Second Corinthians

1) “For we walk by faith, not by sight.” 2 Corinthians 5:7

Our faith is our sight. For God leads us, and when we listen to Him, we walk down the path without stumbling. But when we try to figure things out on our own or act hastily, we transgress.

Galatians

1) “For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but faith working through love.” Galatians 5:6

What is the first fruit of the Spirit? Is it not love? If we are obeying God and following Him, love will become a natural action. Therefore let your faith be worked out through love. Believe that God loves you and will do all things for your good. Love others also, meeting needs and cherishing as God leads you. That way your faith will literally be operating through the loving-kindness of Christ at work in you.

Ephesians

1) “For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.” Ephesians 2:8–10

We are not saved by our own works but by the operation of faith. For one scripture says faith without works is dead, and another says that faith is not of works. Seeing that there is no contradiction in the word, it is therefore evident that the Scriptures are talking about two different types of works. For other scriptures condemn legalistic works, while others command works of faith or, that is to say, works of obedience to the Spirit of God. For we are justified by obedience to the faith, which are a type of works. Yet these are not works that we commit to doing as we read the Scriptures and try to apply on our own, but these are the works that God has planned and leads us to and in which we must have faith.

Must we practice and obey the Gospel? Yes, of course! But we must do so with regard to the Holy Spirit’s leading as He teaches us how to apply the word on a moment-by-moment basis. Thereby our works are no longer that of ourselves but rather of faith. Thus we see the scripture fulfilled that says,

“for it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure.”
Philippians 2:13

Colossians

1) “And you, who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy, and blameless, and above reproach in His sight—if indeed you continue in the faith, grounded and steadfast, and are not moved away from the hope of the gospel which you heard, which was preached to every creature under heaven, of which I, Paul, became a minister.” Colossians 1:21–23

We must continue to walk in the faith by obeying God, not being moved away from the hope of the gospel. For in urgency of need, the enemy tempts us to trust in our own resources, but those that wait on the Lord to walk in faith will be empowered beyond comprehension. Therefore, Beloved, continue in the most

holy faith, being rooted and grounded in Christ Jesus. Though life may be hard, trust in God, and He will save you from every evil thing that comes your way. Then when you have seen it and your eyes have laid hold of the goodness of God's mighty power, your faith will increase exponentially. For then you will know that God works all things together for good even if you don't see the end of your trials in sight.

First Timothy

1) “Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons,” 1 Timothy 4:1

Satan loves to deter our faith through false doctrine. Our doctrine dictates what we put our faith in and the technics of how it operates. If we put our faith in a fish, would we be saved? Obviously not. What about a false image of Jesus? Some would argue that God has grace, but why then doesn't He have grace on a cult? Let not Satan twist His doctrine even in the slightest way. A false doctrine doesn't need to be a cultish doctrine to be wrong in the eyes of God. Remember that He is so pure that even the slightest sin is wrong in His eyes. Likewise, the slightest false doctrine is sin, being a lie about His nature, character, and gospel. For we are saved through faith, and doctrine dictates to us how to accurately apply faith. Therefore the truth is of the utmost priority for the believer. If we place our faith in a lie, will it save us?

If lying doctrines do nothing for us, then why don't we take to heart our own doctrine? We must be passionate about the truth of Christ, seeking it with all our hearts. It is not our doctrine or the doctrine of churches that we should put our trust in but rather the doctrine of Christ as the Holy Spirit teaches us.

If we are complacent, then we will believe in a lie. Lies don't empower; they weaken. How can we grow in our faith if we're putting our faith in the subtle lies of the devil? But if we love the Lord, we will love Him for who He is. Therefore, Beloved, let your faith grow in the Lord by pursuing the perfect and complete truth of His doctrine. Don't believe something just because it appeals to your heart or how you envision God to be. Deny your heart, and seek truth out of perfect love. Those that love the Lord will seek Him for who He is that they may know Him intimately in truth. Even as one desires to know his or her spouse perfectly, so we ought also to know the Lord for who He is and the things that

please Him in truth perfectly.

- 2) “O Timothy! Guard what was committed to your trust, avoiding the profane and idle babblings and contradictions of what is falsely called knowledge—” 1 Timothy 6:20

As we said before so now we say again: lies do nothing for us. False doctrine abounds and is in every single church in the world through one person or another. Grow in your doctrine, and you will grow in your faith. For God only answers us in the truth. Therefore put your faith in the truth, and you will see God work more powerfully in your life. Seek the truth, and cling to it. Be passionate for it even as Christ was passionate for you. Jesus is truth, and to be passionate for His truth is to be passionate for Him.

Listen to the Holy Spirit as you read your Bible. Discern the difference between His voice and your heart. He will interpret the Scriptures to you and make you understand them perfectly. Then, when you have perfect understanding, shun the doctrines that contradict. And as it is also written,

“that we should no longer be children, tossed to and fro and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the trickery of men, in the cunning craftiness of deceitful plotting, but, speaking the truth in love, may grow up in all things into Him who is the head—Christ—” Ephesians 4:14–15

Second Timothy

- 1) “Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.” 2 Timothy 1:13

Again, this Scripture tells us to seek the soundness of true doctrine.

- 2) “If we are faithless, He remains faithful; He cannot deny Himself.” (2 Timothy 2:13, NKJV)

God is always faithful with or without us. So why not believe that He will work it all together for good and walk accordingly?

- 3) “For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the

righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.” 2 Timothy 4:6–8

Beloved, keep your faith. For in so doing, you will have the confidence and peace Paul had in the last days of His life. We all say, “I know where I’m going.” But God truly gave Paul perfect peace at the time of his death. If you keep your faith, you will have that same peace from God. Not the peace we generate through hoping and trusting. Rather, it will be God’s actual peace, which He gives you as He shows you His will for you through faith.

Hebrews

1) “Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.” Hebrews 11:1

This is the true, biblical definition of the word “faith.”

2) “But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.” Hebrews 11:6

If you want to please God, then have faith. If you want to increase your faith, then diligently seek Him daily. The best definition of diligence is to do something faithfully even when it isn’t convenient. So think of the most inconvenient times to seek God, and be sure you are still seeking Him at those times through prayer and worship.

3) “Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.” Hebrews 12:1–2

In all that you do, whether good or evil, remember that you’re being watched. You are constantly watched both by God and innumerable angels. If you wouldn’t sin among men but would rather fear, then why don’t you fear that angels and God are standing in the room watching and documenting your deeds in the Book of Life?

Therefore be found increasing in faith, walking in love, and enduring in holiness.

For Jesus began our faith, and He will be faithful to finish it even unto the Day of the Lord.

James

1) “My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience. But let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing.” James 1:2–4

Trials destroy the world, for they have nothing to look forward to in them. But those that are Christ’s are built up and edified in them for eternal life. Therefore be patient when you suffer, for the Lord your God is seeking to bless you with something eternally better.

2) “If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him. But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind. For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord; he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.” James 1:5–8

God helps us retain the word. Remember that Jesus is the author and finisher of our faith. He is before and after and everything in between. God wants you to apply His word, and you can’t unless it’s locked in your heart. Seeing then that you can’t walk by faith unless you know His word, He will help you to retain it.

Therefore pray for wisdom in ALL faith. God has determined to give it to you if you ask Him. Yet know that you may have to pursue it hard. For God, being relational, wants you to reach out to Him. He is always reaching out to you, but you are called to reach back. It takes two people to make an intimate relationship. It isn’t intimate unless you’re being intimate back! Thus He calls you to seek His wisdom with all your heart. Then, after you have pursued it through faith for a while, He will begin to bless you with it. Even as we read,

“My son, if you receive my words, And treasure my commands within you, So that you incline your ear to wisdom, And apply your heart to understanding; Yes, if you cry out for discernment, And lift up your voice for understanding, If you seek her as silver, And search for her as for hidden treasures; Then you will understand the fear of the LORD, And find the knowledge of God. For the

LORD gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding;”
Proverbs 2:1–6

3) “Thus also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead. But someone will say, ‘You have faith, and I have works.’ Show me your faith without your works, and I will show you my faith by my works. You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe—and tremble! But do you want to know, O foolish man, that faith without works is dead? Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered Isaac his son on the altar? Do you see that faith was working together with his works, and by works faith was made perfect? And the Scripture was fulfilled which says, ‘Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness.’ And he was called the friend of God. You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only. Likewise, was not Rahab the harlot also justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out another way? For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.” James 2:17–26

Faith is perfected by obedience. This must not be confused with the works of the law. For the works of faith are found in believing the Spirit and doing what He says. If you have faith, it means nothing unless you do something with it. Righteousness is best defined as faith in motion.

4) “You lust and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and war. Yet you do not have because you do not ask. You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures.” James 4:2–3

If there is anything that we desire through the flesh, God will not grant it (unless it is a need of the flesh). But if our will aligns with God’s and we ask out of a pure heart, we know that He will grant us our requests. But we will not have anything if we don’t ask at all. Some don’t ask because they don’t believe God will give them the things they want or need, especially when it pertains to miracles. But God created all things. He made food to fill the needs of the stomach and made joy to fill the heart. He is capable of all things and will grant you your requests if you have a willing and open heart to believe and ask. Only, Beloved, know that your God cares for you.

He will grant you your requests if you ask with a pure heart. But if you don't ask at all, you will never receive. Open your heart up to a greater faith, and continually ask the Lord to work in your life. Sometimes He will answer, and sometimes He won't. If He doesn't answer, then keep asking. Sometimes He'll bless one that prays fervently. Think of Elijah, who prayed fervently that it would rain. God didn't answer until the seventh time he bowed down to pray. What would have happened if he gave up praying on the sixth time? Don't lose heart, but seek the Lord diligently.

Now, sometimes we may pray without ceasing for something but God won't answer because it isn't in His will. We also need to learn to accept that even if we don't understand why. We won't always understand the ways of God, but we should trust Him no matter what. So if it is not His will, then move on to pray about the next thing. The more you ask from Him, the more you will receive and experience. Keep this in your heart, and constantly pursue the Lord.

5) "And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven."
James 5:15

God intends to heal us of our infirmities and even raise the dead, not only in the resurrection but here in this life. For this atheistic nation teaches that none come back from the dead but have rather had a "near death" experience. Even though all their vitals are gone for days, and even though some have clearly had rigor mortis set in, they, in their insanity, still suggest that such a person never died. These are obvious signs of death, yet this atheistic nation can't give glory to God and would seek to deceive you. Now are near death experiences real? Most of them are fabricated because none of them are consistent with one another. But that the dead still rise is evident.

Put your trust in God, and if He is willing, He is able to restore to you those whom you lose prematurely. Consider that we all die at an old age, but sometimes things happen that may not be in God's desire: things such as a tragic illness that leads to death or an accident that kills a young child. Consider that Tabitha was raised through the prayer of Peter. This wasn't merely because he was an apostle. Even as Peter himself said when he healed a man who couldn't walk from birth,

"So when Peter saw it, he responded to the people: 'Men of Israel, why do you marvel at this? Or why look so intently at us, as though by our own power or

godliness we had made this man walk?” Acts 3:12

Peter then goes on to glorify Jesus and His power. As we read,

“And His name, through faith in His name, has made this man strong, whom you see and know. Yes, the faith which comes through Him has given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all.” Acts 3:16

Faith made the man strong. Why? Because in our weaknesses, Jesus Christ is our strength. Therefore seek the power of God that the Lord may work in your life and through you for His glory and your edification.

God shows personal favoritism to no one and is willing to work through each of us according to His gift and blessing. Therefore, have faith. God intends to heal the sick and raise the dead even to this day. Not all will be healed, and not all will be raised, for God uses these things to grow us individually and lead others to salvation. Indeed, Christ calls us to bear our crosses. But why do we see fewer of these things today? A lack of faith among the many due to worldly teachings and doctrines. But if our faith is in truth, then we will see God work more powerfully among each of us. If you desire that intimacy with God, then have faith and seek His truth.

Second Peter

1) “But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge, to knowledge self-control, to self-control perseverance, to perseverance godliness, to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness love. For if these things are yours and abound, you will be neither barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. For he who lacks these things is shortsighted, even to blindness, and has forgotten that he was cleansed from his old sins. Therefore, brethren, be even more diligent to make your call and election sure, for if you do these things you will never stumble; for so an entrance will be supplied to you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.” 2 Peter 1:5–11

Always add to your faith and increase in it. Grow in your walk with God according to these scriptures, and be diligent to make your call and election sure through them. For if you do these things, you are secure in both your faith and

your salvation. Do you want the peace that security brings? Then honor God, and grow in your relationship with Him always.

First John

- 1) “For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.” 1 John 5:4

Our faith gives us victory in every circumstance because all things are possible through Jesus who strengthens us. Therefore if there is anything that you struggle in, whether sin or trial, remember this scripture, and it will increase your faith.

Jude

- 1) “But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit, keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.” Jude 20–21

Keep yourself in His love always. Likewise, always be building your faith and growing in it. By continuing in prayer, you will continue in His Spirit for we pray in the Spirit. Then by continuing in the Spirit and by being sensitive to His voice, you will hear Him more abundantly to grow in faith.

Old Testament

Genesis

1) “And behold, the word of the LORD came to him, saying, ‘This one shall not be your heir, but one who will come from your own body shall be your heir.’ Then He brought him outside and said, ‘Look now toward heaven, and count the stars if you are able to number them.’ And He said to him, ‘So shall your descendants be.’ And he believed in the LORD, and He accounted it to him for righteousness.” Genesis 15:4–6

How does God marvel? As we said before, He marvels at our faith. Who are God’s friends? Those who walk by faith even as Abraham did. First Abraham exercised faith then He was called God’s friend. Notice also that Abraham believed the voice of God. For God’s voice is His word, and before there was the written word, there was the voice of God. Even so, we must take it to heart to be growing in and exercising our muscles of faith while taking the Spirit’s voice to heart.

Deuteronomy

1) “And when the LORD saw it, He spurned them, Because of the provocation of His sons and His daughters. And He said: ‘I will hide My face from them, I will see what their end will be, For they are a perverse generation, Children in whom is no faith.’” Deuteronomy 32:19–20

Let us not be children without faith as Israel was. But let us grow in faith and honor God in all we do.

Psalms

1) “Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, And you perish in the way, When His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all those who put their trust in Him.” Psalm 2:12

Revere Jesus, and continue in His word. Remember that He will judge this world both for the good we do and the evil we do. We always see Him as a kind, gentle person. But we need to remember that it is He who executes the full wrath of

God. Therefore let us be found acting as His friends even as Abraham did, through our continual faith.

2) “But let all those rejoice who put their trust in You; Let them ever shout for joy, because You defend them; Let those also who love Your name Be joyful in You.” Psalm 5:11

Rejoice in the Lord no matter what! God is always faithful, and nothing will ever stop Him from saving you from everything in your life. Let your faith be with joy; then as you increase in faith, you will increase in joy. By this, God will be glorified not only in your conduct but also in your words. For those who rejoice in the Lord can't help but spontaneously worship Him.

3) “As for God, His way is perfect; The word of the LORD is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him.” Psalm 18:30

God's word is the source of our faith. It is sound, trustworthy, and reliable. Let us be founded in it and also read our Bibles daily. Know your Scriptures, and you will know your doctrine. By knowing your doctrine, you'll know how to rightly apply faith. Then, by believing correctly, you will see God work more abundantly in your life, and your faith will be increased.

4) “I would have lost heart, unless I had believed That I would see the goodness of the LORD In the land of the living.” Psalm 27:13

No matter what you go through, remember that God intends to deliver you yet in this life. Now, some burdens may be given to you for the purpose of your growth. But if not for your growth, then He will save you from it. If you have already grown in it, then maybe He will release you from it. Have all faith, and seek Him in prayer always. Yet we should always have the heart that whether we suffer or abound, we ought always to praise the Lord our God, giving thanks to Him always.

5) “Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness. Delight yourself also in the LORD, And He shall give you the desires of your heart. Commit your way to the LORD, Trust also in Him, And He shall bring it to pass. He shall bring forth your righteousness as the light, And your justice as the noonday. Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for Him; Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, Because of the man

who brings wicked schemes to pass. Cease from anger, and forsake wrath; Do not fret—it only causes harm.” Psalm 37:3–8

Rely on God for everything. Let Him decide how you shall be taken care of. Let Him even choose your workplace and source of providence. Let Him guide you down the paths of life. Remember that He has a plan for you and has promised to take care of you. Let Him provide for your needs through leading you to the things that fill them.

God created the stomach to have need and created food to fill the need. If you have been burdened with a need, won't God save you from it? Sometimes you will be burdened when you follow His leading. Wasn't a cross laid on our Savior's shoulders? You also bear the burden of your cross, which you WILL suffer following the Lord. Nevertheless, He will save you. Wasn't our Lord raised after being crucified? Even so, there will be times that you think carrying your cross couldn't get any worse. But then you will be crucified, which is much worse. Yet after these things, you shall be saved. God will raise you up from the ashes of pain to the stronghold of praise. Only have faith.

For God allows needs to fall on you when you follow Him because He is testing you to see if you will be faithful to wait for Him. After you have been found faithful, He will speedily save you. Therefore, Beloved, rest in God, and let His peace comfort you in life. Do not fear those who bring harm on you, for God will save you from their hand in due and proper time. Even if they oppress you and cause you to fall into need, God will save you. Then, in His perfect time, He will reward you for your faithfulness and your enemy for their wickedness.

6) “It is better to trust in the LORD Than to put confidence in man.” Psalm 118:8

God is our source of faith and must always be our provider. Let us not trust in ourselves, our own knowledge, or even in that of others. But let God lead you to the perfect outcome. Let Him lead you in everything: the doctors you visit, the places you live, and the places you work. Trust God in everything, and let Him deliver you from all things. While it may take longer than you want to see His deliverance, God will give it to you after you have grown from your circumstances and give you perfect peace: a peace that can only be experienced from God's saving power. It is a peace that no man could ever bring you.

Proverbs

1) “Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths.” Proverbs 3:5–6

As we said before, so now we say again: Trust God, and let Him lead you in everything. He has your life mapped out for you. He knows the way to the buried treasures of heaven, so let Him guide you to the things you seek.

2) “The simple believes every word, But the prudent considers well his steps.” Proverbs 14:15

There is much false doctrine. Even our friends or those we trust may have it and not realize it. Therefore we must consider the Bereans and become more like them. Test the words of others’ mouths, and learn your doctrine. Don’t believe everything you hear, but learn the Scriptures perfectly and compare others’ words and teachings with the Bible in its full context. Even as it is written,

“For the ear tests words as the palate tastes food. Let us choose justice for ourselves; Let us know among ourselves what is good.” Job 34:3–4

Therefore know His good doctrine to walk thereby. Even as it is also written,

“For I give you good doctrine: Do not forsake my law.” Proverbs 4:2

And as Jesus said,

“Jesus answered them and said, ‘My doctrine is not Mine, but His who sent Me. If anyone wills to do His will, he shall know concerning the doctrine, whether it is from God or whether I speak on My own authority. He who speaks from himself seeks his own glory; but He who seeks the glory of the One who sent Him is true, and no unrighteousness is in Him.’” John 7:16–18

Seek the glory of the one who sends you through pursuing His doctrine. For our doctrine must be of the Father even as Jesus’ doctrine was. There are many churches that would say their doctrine is the Father’s doctrine. But why then are there so many different beliefs and versions of the truth? Yet still more will say, “God’s church isn’t perfect. If you find a perfect church, don’t go there, or it won’t be perfect anymore!” This may be a true statement, but it is also is a mockery of everything Jesus stood for. He commanded us to strive for perfection, not to sit complacently in imperfection. Even so, He has also said that we can know ALL TRUTH and Jesus, being God, doesn’t lie. For He Himself said,

“However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into ALL TRUTH...” John 16:13

Knowing then that all truth can be obtained in this life, be diligent to pursue it. For if you love the Lord, you will search for it in Him with all your heart. Remember that He is the way, the TRUTH, and the life.

3) “The fear of man brings a snare, But whoever trusts in the LORD shall be safe.” Proverbs 29:25

Satan tempts us to fear those around us that can harm us. An example would be our bosses. They can fire us, and because of this, we get tempted through the fear of man to man-please rather than pursuing the Lord to see what would please Him. If God calls you to do one thing and your boss threatens you to do another, trust God, for He intends to save you. As for your boss who does this, they have their reward coming...

4) “Every word of God is pure; He is a shield to those who put their trust in Him.” Proverbs 30:5

Have faith in the Lord, and He will deliver you from every evil person and evil event in your life. He will shield you from wickedness and hold you in His hand. Nothing in heaven or earth will ever be able to separate you from His love. And by His love, He will take care of you. Therefore have faith, and rest in God.

His word is perfect, both what He has written and everything He speaks. Therefore listen to Him and obey Him in everything. As the scripture says, “every word of God is pure.”

Jeremiah

1) “Thus says the LORD: ‘Cursed is the man who trusts in man And makes flesh his strength, Whose heart departs from the LORD.’” Jeremiah 17:5

If we fear and man-please, fret in trials rather than waiting for God, and put our trust in people, then we fail. While God may use the people around us, if we fret, we won’t walk by faith. If God uses our brethren, He will do so in a way that assists our faith. But if we fret, we will dash for anyone except God and seek help from them. Wait on the Lord and His faithfulness. Pray before doing anything.

Yes, you should tell your brethren, who all love you, about your burdens in life. That way they can be inclined by God to help you. If any are faithful, they will help you so long as they are able. For these are the tools of God. Nevertheless, it is God who saves you through them because of the work of Christ in them.

Therefore pray first and let God lead you to the help you need. Do not merely start begging for salvation from every person you meet, but beg God and let Him lead you to His tool to save you. If you need help in anything, then test the open doors, and God will make it apparent which door to step through. But do not force a door open that God didn't open for you. Be discerning, and recognize the open doors around you; they may be of God already.

But if we trust in the help of men, then we depart from faith. How can we increase in faith if we depart from it? Abstain from the things that cause you to depart from faith, and cling to the things that build your faith. For in this, you will please the Lord.

Memorizing

This next section was written purely for your reference. If you prefer to memorize from this book, the scriptures will be written verse by verse for you to do so here. Now, some of the above verses were written lengthily for your understanding. Seeing that we now know the reason to these verses, it would be more practical to memorize the few that pertain to us.

So refer to this section for the actual verses to memorize. If you use another translation of the Bible, then use this portion to know which verse to memorize, and then do so from your Bible. It is always good to stick to one translation and memorize from that. It is also better to use a literal translation as the other versions tend to lose the true meaning of the Scripture in their translation. Literal translations tell us what God really meant when He spoke the Scripture into existence versus other versions that are interpretation-translations. They are translated according to the doctrine and interpretation of those who translated those Bibles. But literal translations tell you exactly what the Bible says and not the things those who translate them say.

By choosing literal translations, we can understand the doctrine more clearly for the perfect application of faith. If the verses are too hard to memorize, then, as a tip, try breaking them down into smaller chunks. Try the chunk method; memorize smaller bits then put them together as a whole. Test yourself, and make sure you have it exactly as written. If you don't, then you'll always remember it the wrong way. It's easier to memorize it right the first time versus trying to fix an incorrectly memorized verse. Make sure you can recite the verse without looking at the page. If you need to look at the page, then those are the bits that are not going to be retained, and you should keep practicing.

Ultimately, use whatever method works best for you, but always memorize through faith. Pray before you do so, and ask the Lord to help you retain the Scriptures. Then have full faith that He will. As you pursue Him in faith, you will begin memorizing more Scripture than you ever thought possible. Remember that we said,

“If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him. But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the

wind. For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord; he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.” James 1:5–8

Ask God to give you wisdom and He will help you retain His word through His Holy Spirit. For He promised that the Spirit would call to mind His words. As we also read,

“But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.” John 14:26

Therefore, Beloved, have faith in God, and He will help you memorize His word. The more faith you have, the more you will memorize. Trust me; I have memorized multiple books from the Bible word for word and know for a fact that you can as well no matter where you’re at. God can and will help you do it. It is not about your capability; it is about His capability. And do you believe that God is capable of memorizing the entire Bible?

It is good to memorize large amounts of Scripture, not to impress others through reciting a bunch of things, but to assist your understanding of the gospel. I have learned that the more you have memorized, the greater you will understand the doctrine and gospel. By memorizing much, it will help you to retain the word of God and keep it in full context. Those who don’t have much memorized may easily be swayed to believe an incorrect thing by ignorance. Also, if His word is not locked in your heart, how can you practice it on a daily basis?

But do not allow the amount of Scripture you have locked away to puff you up. Be still and humble in your heart. For knowledge can puff up, but love edifies. So recite the scriptures you know only to build others up in Christ through love and to practice the true doctrine in your own walk. If you struggle with memorizing the Bible, I talk about it more in depth in my other book, *How to Memorize the Bible Quick and Easy in 5 Simple Steps*.

New Testament

Matthew

“Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.” Matthew 7:7

“For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened.” Matthew 7:8

“When Jesus heard it, He marveled, and said to those who followed, ‘Assuredly, I say to you, I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel!’” Matthew 8:10

“But He said to them, ‘Why are you fearful, O you of little faith?’ Then He arose and rebuked the winds and the sea, and there was a great calm.” Matthew 8:26

“So Jesus answered and said to them, ‘Assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith and do not doubt, you will not only do what was done to the fig tree, but also if you say to this mountain, “Be removed and be cast into the sea,” it will be done.’” Matthew 21:21

“So Jesus said to them, ‘Because of your unbelief; for assuredly, I say to you, if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, “Move from here to there,” and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you.’” Matthew 17:20

Mark

“For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, ‘Be removed and be cast into the sea,’ and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says.” Mark 11:23

“Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive them, and you will have them.” Mark 11:24

Luke

“So the Lord said, ‘If you have faith as a mustard seed, you can say to this mulberry tree, “Be pulled up by the roots and be planted in the sea,” and it would obey you.’” Luke 17:6

“Then Jesus said to him, ‘Receive your sight; your faith has made you well.’”
Luke 18:42

Romans

“For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek.”
Romans 1:16

“For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, ‘The just shall live by faith.’” Romans 1:17

“For what if some did not believe? Will their unbelief make the faithfulness of God without effect?” Romans 3:3

“Therefore we conclude that a man is justified by faith apart from the deeds of the law.” Romans 3:28

“Do we then make void the law through faith? Certainly not! On the contrary, we establish the law.” Romans 3:31

“So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.” Romans 10:17

First Corinthians

“And my speech and my preaching were not with persuasive words of human wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power,” 1 Corinthians 2:4

“that your faith should not be in the wisdom of men but in the power of God.” 1 Corinthians 2:5

Second Corinthians

“For we walk by faith, not by sight.” 2 Corinthians 5:7

Galatians

“For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails anything, but faith working through love.” Galatians 5:6

Ephesians

“For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God,” Ephesians 2:8

“not of works, lest anyone should boast.” Ephesians 2:9

“For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.” Ephesians 2:10

Colossians

“And you, who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled” Colossians 1:21

“in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy, and blameless, and above reproach in His sight—” Colossians 1:22

“if indeed you continue in the faith, grounded and steadfast, and are not moved away from the hope of the gospel which you heard, which was preached to every creature under heaven, of which I, Paul, became a minister.” Colossians 1:23

First Timothy

“Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons,” 1 Timothy 4:1

“O Timothy! Guard what was committed to your trust, avoiding the profane and idle babblings and contradictions of what is falsely called knowledge—” 1 Timothy 6:20

Second Timothy

“Hold fast the pattern of sound words which you have heard from me, in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.” 2 Timothy 1:13

“If we are faithless, He remains faithful; He cannot deny Himself.” 2 Timothy 2:13

“For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand.” 2 Timothy 4:6

“I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.” 2 Timothy 4:7

“Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the

righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.” 2 Timothy 4:8

Hebrews

“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.” Hebrews 11:1

“But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.” Hebrews 11:6

“Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,” Hebrews 12:1

“looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.” Hebrews 12:2

James

“My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials,” James 1:2

“knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience.” James 1:3

“But let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing.” James 1:4

“If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all liberally and without reproach, and it will be given to him.” James 1:5

“But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for he who doubts is like a wave of the sea driven and tossed by the wind.” James 1:6

“For let not that man suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord;” James 1:7

“he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.” James 1:8

“Thus also faith by itself, if it does not have works, is dead.” James 2:17

“But someone will say, ‘You have faith, and I have works.’ Show me your faith without your works, and I will show you my faith by my works.” James 2:18

“You believe that there is one God. You do well. Even the demons believe—and tremble!” James 2:19

“But do you want to know, O foolish man, that faith without works is dead?” James 2:20

“Was not Abraham our father justified by works when he offered Isaac his son on the altar?” James 2:21

“Do you see that faith was working together with his works, and by works faith was made perfect?” James 2:22

“And the Scripture was fulfilled which says, ‘Abraham believed God, and it was accounted to him for righteousness.’ And he was called the friend of God.” James 2:23

“You see then that a man is justified by works, and not by faith only.” James 2:24

“Likewise, was not Rahab the harlot also justified by works when she received the messengers and sent them out another way?” James 2:25

“For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.” James 2:26

“You lust and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and war. Yet you do not have because you do not ask.” James 4:2

“You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures.” James 4:3

“And the prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.” James 5:15

Second Peter

“But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge,” 2 Peter 1:5

“to knowledge self-control, to self-control perseverance, to perseverance godliness,” 2 Peter 1:6

“to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness love.” 2 Peter 1:7

“For if these things are yours and abound, you will be neither barren nor

unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.” 2 Peter 1:8

“For he who lacks these things is shortsighted, even to blindness, and has forgotten that he was cleansed from his old sins.” 2 Peter 1:9

“Therefore, brethren, be even more diligent to make your call and election sure, for if you do these things you will never stumble;” 2 Peter 1:10

“for so an entrance will be supplied to you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.” 2 Peter 1:11

First John

“For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.” 1 John 5:4

Jude

“But you, beloved, building yourselves up on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Spirit,” Jude 20

“keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.” Jude 21

Old Testament

Genesis

“And he believed in the LORD, and He accounted it to him for righteousness.”
Genesis 15:6

Deuteronomy

““And when the LORD saw it, He spurned them, Because of the provocation of His sons and His daughters.” Deuteronomy 32:19

“And He said: ‘I will hide My face from them, I will see what their end will be, For they are a perverse generation, Children in whom is no faith.’” Deuteronomy 32:20

Psalms

“Kiss the Son, lest He be angry, And you perish in the way, When His wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all those who put their trust in Him.” Psalm 2:12

“But let all those rejoice who put their trust in You; Let them ever shout for joy, because You defend them; Let those also who love Your name Be joyful in You.”
Psalm 5:11

“As for God, His way is perfect; The word of the LORD is proven; He is a shield to all who trust in Him.” Psalm 18:30

“I would have lost heart, unless I had believed That I would see the goodness of the LORD In the land of the living.” Psalm 27:13

“Trust in the LORD, and do good; Dwell in the land, and feed on His faithfulness.” Psalm 37:3

“Delight yourself also in the LORD, And He shall give you the desires of your heart.” Psalm 37:4

“Commit your way to the LORD, Trust also in Him, And He shall bring it to pass.” Psalm 37:5

“He shall bring forth your righteousness as the light, And your justice as the noonday.” Psalm 37:6

“Rest in the LORD, and wait patiently for Him; Do not fret because of him who prospers in his way, Because of the man who brings wicked schemes to pass.” Psalm 37:7

“Cease from anger, and forsake wrath; Do not fret—it only causes harm.” Psalm 37:8

“It is better to trust in the LORD Than to put confidence in man.” Psalm 118:8

Proverbs

“Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding;” Proverbs 3:5

“In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths.” Proverbs 3:6

“The simple believes every word, But the prudent considers well his steps.” Proverbs 14:15

“For I give you good doctrine: Do not forsake my law.” Proverbs 4:2

“The fear of man brings a snare, But whoever trusts in the LORD shall be safe.” Proverbs 29:25

“Every word of God is pure; He is a shield to those who put their trust in Him.” Proverbs 30:5

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“Thus says the LORD: ‘Cursed is the man who trusts in man And makes flesh his strength, Whose heart departs from the LORD.’” Jeremiah 17:5

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