

The Transforming Power of Biblical Faith

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Ephesians 2:8, *“For by grace you have been saved through faith...it is the gift of God.”*

Romans 1:17, *“BUT THE RIGHTEOUS man SHALL LIVE BY FAITH.”*

Habakkuk 2:4, *“But the righteous will live by his faith.”*

Hebrews 8:6, *“Jesus has obtained a more excellent ministry, by as much as He is also the mediator of a better covenant, which has been enacted on better promises.”*

Hebrews 11:1, *“Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.”*

Faith: the state of believing on the basis of reliability of the one trusted. Confidence.

Greek Lexicon footnote: *“Faith is on a higher level than merely listening to Christian preaching.”*

Hebrews 4:2, *“For indeed we have had good news preached to us, just as they also; but the word they heard did not profit them, because it was not united by faith in those who heard.”*

Hebrews 11:2-3, *“For by faith the men of old gained approval. By faith we understand that the worlds were prepared by the word of God, so that what is seen was not made out of things which are visible.”*

Act 7:54-56, *“Now when they heard this, they were cut to the quick, and they began gnashing their teeth at him. But being full of the Holy Spirit, he gazed intently into heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. Behold, I see the heavens opened up and the Son of Man (Jesus) standing at the right hand of God.”*