

INTRO

Thanks. WHO ARE WE?

What we are doing...

GOMA trifacta: Bible, Prayer, Walk of FAITH

DISCIPLESHIP IS BENEFICIAL FOR PERSONAL GROWTH AND CHURCH GROWTH

Matthew 28:19-20 Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20) teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age. Amen.

Summary: Go TELL and Go TEACH (BIBLE AND PASSPORT)

HAVE YOU EVER WISED THAT THE YOUNGER YOU KNEW WHAT YOU KNOW NOW?

Today: **BECOMING STRONGER THROUGH A BIBLICAL WAL OF FAITH**

Outline

DEFINE FAITH

Remember: the just shall live by faith Hebrews 10:37 But what does that mean?

Heb 11:1 NOW FAITH is the assurance (the confirmation, the title deed) of the things [we] hope for, being the proof of things [we] do not see and the conviction of their reality [faith perceiving as real fact what is not revealed to the senses].

Our FOUNDATION / ASSURANCE is Jesus. (Word / Cornerstone) Eph 2:20

FAITH IS THE DIVINE FOUNDATION AND THE DIVINE ASSURANCE OF THE DIVINE PROMISES OF GOD.

Hebrews 12:1-3 Read verses

Notice the focus. Finish line / Jesus

How can we have a stronger walk of FAITH?

1. By remembering the people who were victorious in the WALK OF FAITH (Looking at the Past Saints)
 - A. Therefore: Why is it there for?
 - B. Great examples in Heb. 11:3 **(Each example was based on trusting God's promises in His Word.)** FAITH COMES BY HEARING AND HEARING BY THE WORD OF GOD
 - 1) **The whole creation was framed in the WORD of GOD. APPLICATION: Since the creation (us included), everything should reflect the truth.**
 - 2) Abel did

- 3) Enoch did
 - 4) Noah did
 - 5) Abraham did
 - 6) Sarah did
- C. Read Hebrews 11:33-35a and 35b-38 Examples of what a strong walk of faith will do
 - D. Today's examples as well (Scofield, Moody, Edwards, Finny, Westley, and Muller)

FACT: God is still the same yesterday, today, and forever. Believing this will strengthen our walk of FAITH.

2. By running with endurance, the race set before us (Looking at ourselves)
 - A. By looking at ourselves. Evaluate our lives by the WOG and PRAY
 - B. By removing the weight. Forgive, place your worries at the cross (His burden is light)
 - C. By facing and removing the SIN that causes us to stumble.
 - D. Galatians 2:20 Our endurance is His life in us!

Let God's grace give you that "second wind" while running the race.

3. By redirecting our FOCUS: **Jesus and the Promise**
 - A. Not our circumstances
 - B. Not the Crowd (Neg. or Positive)
 - C. But wake up... Fuel up (Prayer and the Word), and stay focused on the finish line.

When we do, **the walk of FAITH is exciting, eventful, and satisfying**

Remember the faithful and learn from them

Run His race without any hindrances

Redirect daily your focus on the one who can get you through your desert