## **Abrahams Faith.**

Abraham staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God. And being fully persuaded that what he had promised, he was able to do. And therefore it was imputed unto him for righteousness Romans 4 v 19/22

# Hebrews 11 v 1. Faith is the substance of things hoped for the evidence of things not seen...

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Jesus came to the village and could do no mighty works because of unbelief!

### The Disciples were upbraided He upbraided the disciples with their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they believed not them that had seen him after he was risen.

Mark 16 v 14

What are your aspirations ?

Jacob. I will not let thee go.	Genesis 32 v 26
Caleb's. High aspirations. Give me this mountain.	Joshua 14 v 12
Joshua. The sun stood still.	Joshua 10 v 13
Elijah. was able to call fire down.	1 King 18 37
Elisha. Received a double portion.	2 Kings 2 v 12
Ruth married into Israel.	Ruth 4 v 13
Solomon received wisdom.	1 Kings 3 v 12

Have you prayed for 10 Souls ?. 100 souls ? 1,000 ?

Blind men . According to your Faith be it unto you. M

Matthew 9 v 29

Mark 6 v 5

#### Men of faith:

who subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, Quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword,, out of weakness were made strong. Waxed valient in fight, turned to flight the armies of the aliens...... Hebrews 11 v 33.

Centurion Great Faith. Disciples: Little faith. Matthew 8 v 10 Mathew 8 v 26

#### The Lessons from Elisha. Strike Seven Times ,

2 Kings 13 v 15 -19

How big is our faith ???.

#### What are your aspirations? Lord 10 Souls 100 souls 1,000. 10,000

Paul perceived that the cripple at Lystra had faith. Acts 14 v 8-10

Do you have the gift of perception?

A dying lady.

Pastor Lywood . When asked to pray for a dying lady in hospital First asked the Lord shall I go? Will you heal her? And then on entering the hospital ward where the elderly lady lay dying later testified that "He perceived" that she had faith" He then asked the dying lady. Do you have faith the believe the Lord Jesus will heal you, She replied yes, and the Lord wonderfully healed her. Pastor Lywood introduced her as **Mrs Lazarus**.

I asked this question before laying hands on folk and praying.

Do you have faith to believe that Jesus will heal you?

Do all have the gift of healing? ? ?1 Corinthians 11 v 28 to 31But the Spirit gives severally as He will.1 Corinthians 12 v 7-11

Naaman the lepers little maid had faith,

"Would to God that my master was with the prophet that is in Samaria for he would recover him of his Leprosy". And he did. 2 Kings 5 v 3

When we hear that Lazarus is dead, we reach for the spade and arrange the funeral. Matthew 11 v 11

Jesus said, Our friend Lazarus sleepeth; but I go, that I may awaken him out of sleep. John 11 v 11

Jesus Christ the same yesterday today and forever Hebrews 13 v 8

Woman with the issue of blood for 18 years pressed through to touch him. Luke 8 v 44

Faith as a grain of mustard seed say to this sycamore tree be removed . What do we say ? Luke 17 v 6

Friends do we have faith for revival in our Land ???

Have consideration for the preacher who always to go back to "Basics!

We are in danger of becoming hearers only. Spectators

Spiritual skeletons!!! Clouds without water. .

Hypocrites are easily discovered.

Now I know thou art a man of God

And the woman said to Elijah, "Now by this I know that thou art a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in thy mouth is truth." 1 Kings 17 v 24

But be ye doers of the Word and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. James 1 v 22

So many are "Ever learning" and never coming to a knowledge of the truth. 2 Timothy 3 v 7

Read. Hebrews 6 v 1 Therefore leaving the principles of the doctrine of Christ, let us go on to perfection; not laying again the again the foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God . read on

Because iniquity abounds the love of many will grow cold. Rev 3 v 17 /19 Lukewarm church.

I know thy works that thou art neither hot nor cold: I would that that thou were cold or hot. So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth.

As many as I love. I rebuke and chasten. Hebrews 12 v 7

We can pray for fire of revival but the first fire that God sends is the fire of refining. "But who may abide the day of his coming? And who shall stand when he appears? For he is like a refiners fire, and like fullers soap.

Malachi 3 v 2.

We need the hammer blows of the Word to break down our stubborn hardened Jeremiah 23 v 29 hearts.

## When the Son of man comes will he find faith on the earth?

Math 24 v 12