Live by Faith
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Faith
Believing in, relying on, trust in and adhering to God

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• Without Faith we cannot please God - it is impossible
• We are going to look at awesome people in scripture, one of them being my favourite
  • Enoch (Favourite)
  • Noah

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Enoch
• Genesis 5: 22-25 (NKJV)
  • 21 Enoch lived sixty-five years, and begot Methuselah.
  • 22 After he begot Methuselah, Enoch walked with God three hundred years, and had sons and daughters.
  • 23 So all the days of Enoch were three hundred and sixty-five years.
  • 24 And Enoch walked with God; and he was not, for God took him.

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Noah
• Genesis 6: 6-9 (NKJV)
  • 6 And the LORD was sorry that He had made man on the earth, and He was grieved in His heart.
  • 7 So the LORD said, “I will destroy man whom I have created from the face of the earth, both man and beast, creeping thing and birds of the air, for I am sorry that I have made them.”
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Genesis 6: 6-9 (NKJV)
- 6 But Noah found grace in the eyes of the LORD.
- 9 This is the genealogy of Noah. Noah was a just man, perfect in his generations. Noah walked with God.

Genesis 6: 9 (AMP)
- 9......Noah was a just and righteous man, blameless in his [evil] generation; Noah walked [in habitual fellowship] with God.

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Hebrews 11:5-7 (NKJV)
- 5 By faith Enoch was taken away so that he did not see death, “and was not found, because God had taken him”; for before he was taken he had this testimony, that he pleased God.
- 6 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

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Hebrews 11:5-6 (NKJV)
- 7 By faith Noah, being divinely warned of things not yet seen, moved with godly fear, prepared an ark for the saving of his household, by which he condemned the world and became heir of the righteousness which is according to faith.

By Faith these men walked with God.

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

Flesh vs Spirit

Galatians 3:2-5 (NKJV)
- 2 This only I want to learn from you: Did you receive the Spirit by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith?
- 3 Are you so foolish? Having begun in the Spirit, are you now being made perfect by the flesh?
- 4 Have you suffered so many things in vain—if indeed it was in vain?

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Galatians 3:2-5 (NKJV)
- 5 Therefore He who supplies the Spirit to you and works miracles among you, does He do it by the works of the law, or by the hearing of faith?—
**Flesh vs Spirit**
*Galatians 3:3 (AMP)*

³ Are you so foolish and so senseless and so silly? Having begun [your new life spiritually] with the [Holy] Spirit, are you now reaching perfection [by dependence] on the flesh?

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*Romans 1:16-17 (NKJV)*

²⁶ 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.
²⁷ For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, “The just shall live by faith.”

**Faith = God's grace = empower Obedience**

Without faith Enoch and Noah could not access God’s grace, without His grace we can do nothing.

It is God’s grace, which is God’s power in us that empowers us to overcome
- not us ourselves
- We cannot.

**Faith = God’s grace = empower Obedience**
*Romans 5: 1-2*

³ Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.
⁴ through whom also we have access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

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*2 Corinthians 12:9*

⁹ And He said to me, “My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.” Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.