

Becoming a Woman of Faith

- I. Hebrews 11:6 ***Without faith it is impossible to please God.***
How do we please Him by becoming women of faith?
 - A. We must believe that He is – not just that He exists, but that He is who He claims to be.

 - B. We must believe that He rewards those who seek Him.

- II. Why do we have trouble trusting God?
 - A. Fear

 - B. The unknown

 - C. Testing is painful

“Faith must be tested because it can be turned into a personal possession only through conflict. The final thing is confidence in Jesus. Believe steadfastly on Him and all you come up against will develop your faith.”

Oswald Chambers, My Utmost for His Highest

III. Response

A. Choose to believe God is good and He cares

B. God is powerful and nothing is too hard for Him

C. He is at work to grow my faith – I need to cooperate
God is too wise to do or allow anything foolish; too loving to do or allow anything unkind.

“Faith in the Bible is faith in God against everything that contradicts Him – I will remain true to God’s character, whatever He may do. Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him.” – this is the most sublime utterance of faith in the whole Bible.”

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So what do I do today?

1. Where do you struggle in your faith right now? Family, school, future, finances, health, world crisis?

God is in control, He knows you by name, His plan is good, acceptable and perfect, He is all I need, He loves you.

Will you believe Him?

2. Has God given you some promises like He gave to those in Hebrews 11? If not, ask Him for some specific promises just for you. Take time right now to write them down or to pray He will in His time give some to you.

3. Pick one verse or passage from today to meditate on and make your own. Share it with someone else you trust.