

Everyday Faith

Habakkuk 2:4; Romans 1:17; Galatians 3:11; Hebrews 10:38 – ***“the just shall live by faith.”***

- **“just”** – one who is such as he ought to be. [Thayer’s Greek Lexicon] Approved of or acceptable of God. [Strong’s]

Ephesians 2:4-10 – *But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵ even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), ⁶ and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷ that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. ⁸ For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, ⁹ not of works, lest anyone should boast. ¹⁰ For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.*

Titus 2:11 – *“For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men,”*

Mark 11:22 – *So Jesus answered and said to them, “**Have faith in God.**” **OR**, have the faith of God, the God-kind of faith.*

Faith – Conviction, trustworthiness, and persuasion. PISTIS is the divinely implanted principle of inward confidence, assurance, trust, and reliance in God and all that He says. **[SFL Bible]**

Romans 12:3 **[NASE]** – *For I say, through the grace given to me, to everyone who is among you, not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think soberly, as God has dealt to each one a measure of faith.*

II Peter 1:1 – *Simon Peter, a bondservant and apostle of Jesus Christ, to those who have obtained like precious faith with us by the righteousness of our God and Savior Jesus Christ:*

- “like precious” – of equal value, held in equal honor”; RV (margin, “an equally precious”). [Vine’s]

Hebrews 11:1 – *Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.*

- **Faith is always now.**
- substance – That which has actual existence. [Thayer]
- **Hope is the manifestation yet invisible.**
- Things – already done.
- **Faith requires evidence.**
 - **I Corinthians 2:9, 10** – *But as it is written: “Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.” But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God.*
- **What evidence?**
 - **The Word of God. II Timothy 3:16** – *All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness,*
 - **Our words. Psalm 45:1** – *My heart is overflowing with a good theme; I recite my composition concerning the King; my tongue is the pen of a ready writer.*
 - **Our meditation. II Corinthians 4:18 [AMP]** – *Since we consider and look not to the things that are seen but to the things that are unseen; for the things that are visible are temporal (brief and fleeting), but the things that are invisible are deathless and everlasting.*

Hebrews 11:1 [AMP] – *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].*