Faith Doesn't Make Sense It Makes Miracles

Dr. Bob Nichols September 8, 2019 AM Service Romans 4:3-25, Matthew 16:13-16, John 3:16, 1 Timothy 6:12, Acts 4:12, Romans 12:3, Romans 10:17, Habakkuk 2:4



For what saith the scripture? Abraham believed God, and it was counted unto him for righteousness.

<u>Romans 4:11</u>

And he received the sign of circumcision, a seal of the righteousness of the faith which he had yet being uncircumcised: that he might be the father of all them that believe, though they be not circumcised; that righteousness might be imputed unto them also:

<u>Romans 4:12</u>

And the father of circumcision to them who are not of the circumcision only, but who also walk in the steps of that faith of our father Abraham, which he had being yet uncircumcised.



Because the law worketh wrath: for where no law is, there is no transgression.

<u>Romans 4:16</u>

Therefore it is of faith, that it might be by grace; to the end the promise might be sure to all the seed; not to that only which is of the law, but to that also which is of the faith of Abraham; who is the father of us all,

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<u>Romans 4:18</u>

Who against hope believed in hope, that he might become the father of many nations, according to that which was spoken, So shall thy seed be.

<u>Romans 4:19</u>

And being not weak in faith, he considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sarah's womb:



He 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 also to perform.



And therefore it was imputed to him for righteousness.



Now it was not written for his sake alone, that it was imputed to him;



But for us also, to whom it shall be imputed, if we believe on him that raised up Jesus our Lord from the dead;



Who was delivered for our offences, and was raised again for our justification.

Faith doesn't make sense in this world but in God it does

<u>Matthew 16:13</u>

When Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I the Son of man am?

<u>Matthew 16:14</u>

And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist: some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets.

Matthew 16:15

He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am?

<u>Matthew 16:16</u>

And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.

<u>John 3:16</u>

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Feelings fade with circumstances but faith fights from the solid foundation of God's promises, God's word

<u>1 Timothy 6:12</u>

Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses.

Jesus suffered and was marred for all of us

We are living in world that hates God and Jesus.



Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.

Some things take time through faith

On God's time it is always perfect

Every promise in the book is ours every chapter every verse every line

Every born-again believer has a measure of faith but faith believing is faith in action

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Real faith

speaks

Your faith will never rise above your words

Real faith believing hopes against hopelessness

Real faith believing is faith in God's spoken Word

<u>Romans 10:17</u>

So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

Real faith believing doesn't consider (mediate on) impossibilities

lf you don't keep your mind on the answer then you mediate on the problem

Real faith believing staggers not at God's promises

Real faith believes and it is for every bornagain believer

When all hell breaks out, you can hold steady and God is going to bring you out on top.



Behold, his soul which is lifted up is not upright in him: but the just shall live by his faith.

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