

TRIALS ARE INVITATIONS NOT INTERRUPTIONS
Unshakable – Faith That Endures
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1. Unshakable Faith Recognizes Invitations To Grow

*Consider it all joy, my brethren, **when** you encounter various trials. – James 1:2*

*In this world you **will** have trouble... – John 16:33*

2. Unshakable Faith Sees God's Purpose

*Knowing that the testing of your **faith produces endurance**. And let endurance have its perfect result, so that you may be perfect and complete, **lacking in nothing**. – James 1:3-4*

*And we know that in **all things God works for the good of those who love him**, who have been called according to his purpose. – Romans 8:28*

*You intended to harm me, but **God intended it for good** to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. – Genesis 50:20*

3. Unshakable Faith Responds With Kingdom Perspective

***Consider it all joy**, my brethren, when you encounter various trials – James 1:2*

***Rejoice** always, **pray** continually, **give thanks** in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. – 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18*

4. Unshakable Faith Asks For Wisdom And Direction

*But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, **who gives to all generously** and without reproach, and it will be given to him. – James 1:5*

***For the Lord gives wisdom**; from his mouth come knowledge and understanding. – Proverbs 2:6*

5. Unshakable Faith Receives God's Best

*He holds **success in store for the upright**, he is a shield to those whose walk is blameless, for he guards the course of the just and protects the way of his faithful ones. –*

Proverbs 2:7-8

*“For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,” declares the Lord. “As **the heavens are higher than the earth**, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. – Isaiah 55:8-9*
