

While I'm Waiting (1) Old Testament Waiting

Hebrews 11:8-26

Intro: Trusting When We Can't See (v. 1-2)

I. Abraham (v. 8-12)

II. Issac, Jacob, Joseph (v. 17-22)

III. Moses (v. 23-26)

Conclusion: Living by Faith (v. 13-16)

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What do you find yourself most anticipating in this Advent Season?
2. What most amazes you about the FAITH of Abraham? How has your own faith grown over the years, as you have trusted in Jesus? Have you reached the point where you would "do anything" if God called you to it?
3. Abraham and Moses had one really important thing in common. As they endured earthly hardship, they were looking ahead to the promise of a Heavenly Reward. Talk about a difficult time in your life where "fixing your eyes on Jesus" allowed you to walk through that time with FAITH.
4. How does the example of "plowing a straight row" encourage you during this Christmas Season (even with all the difficulties that this season can bring)?