

The Book of HEBREWS

Chapter 11

“Jesus, The Author & Finisher of Our Faith!”

> THE ELDER’S OBTAINED A GOOD TESTIMONY OF FAITH:

(v1-3) Faith in GOD’S CREATION! (Genesis 1)

(v4) ABEL - Faith’s WITNESS! (Genesis 4)

(v5-6) ENOCH - Faith’s TESTIMONY & REWARD! (Genesis 5)

(v7) NOAH - Faith’s SALVATION! (Genesis 6) - “godly fear”- to act cautiously, to reverence, to stand in awe of. (The Ark was 438 feet long, 73 feet wide, and 44 feet high. In other words it was nearly one and a half times the length of a football field and more than four stories high. The total volume within the decks was about 1.3 million cubic feet. Naval engineers have discovered that the dimensions and shape of the ark formed the most stable ship design known. The ark was not designed for maneuverability but for stability, in order to best protect those within it.)

(v8-19) ABRAHAM - Faith’s HOPE! (Genesis 12)

(v20) ISAAC - Faith’s BLESSING! (Genesis 27)

(v21) JACOB - Faith’s WORSHIP! (Genesis 48)

(v22) JOSEPH - Faith’s PROMISE! (Genesis 50)

(v23-29) MOSES - Faith’s DELIVERANCE! (Exodus)

➤ Moses a type of the Messiah to come—Jesus Christ:

- 1- Both preserved in childhood (Ex. 2:2,10,14; Mt. 2:14,15)
- 2- Both contended with masters of evil (Ex. 7:11; Mt. 4:1)
- 3- Both fasted forty days (Ex. 34:28; Mt. 4:2)
- 4- Both fed a multitude (Ex. 16:15; Mt. 14:20,21)
- 5- Both had radiant faces (Ex. 34:35; Mt. 17:2)
- 6- Both endured murmurings (Ex. 15:24; Mk 7:2)
- 7- Both discredited in the home (Nu.12:1; Jn. 7:5)
- 8- Both made intercessory prayers (Ex. 32:32; Jn. 17:9)
- 9- Both spoke as oracles (De. 18:18; Mt. 7:29)
- 10- Both had seventy elders (Nu. 11:16,17; Lu. 10:1)
- 11- Both established memorials (Ex. 12:14; Lu. 22:19)
- 12- Both re-appeared after death (Mt. 17:3; Acts 1:3)

(v30) JOSHUA - Faith’s VICTORY! (Joshua 6)

(v31) RAHAB - Faith’s PEACE! (Joshua 2)

(v32-40) FAITH’S HALL OF FAME! (Old Testament)

(Ch. 12:1-2) *JESUS, THE AUTHOR & FINISHER OF OUR FAITH!*