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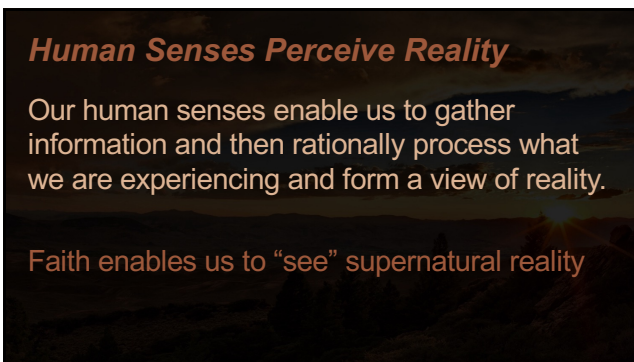
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**John 3:3**

3 Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God."

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**What is Faith?**

Faith helps us "see" spiritual reality

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**What is Faith?**

Faith helps us "see" spiritual reality  
Covenant is sacred, inviolate promises  
Faith calls on specific promises in the covenant

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**Romans 10:9-10**

9 because, if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.

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**Faith Operates**

1. Believing in the heart the word of God
2. Speaking with the mouth the word of God

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**2 Peter 1:3**

3 His divine power has granted to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of him who called us to his own glory and excellence,

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**2 Peter 1:4**

4 by which he has granted to us his precious and very great promises, so that through them you may become partakers of the divine nature, having escaped from the corruption that is in the world because of sinful desire.

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**Joshua 10**

8 The Lord said to Joshua, "Do not be afraid of them; I have given them into your hand. Not one of them will be able to withstand you."

12b "Sun, stand still over Gibeon, and you, moon, over the Valley of Aijalon."

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**Hebrews 11:6**

6 And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him.

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**Faith Pleases God**

1. Faith pleases God



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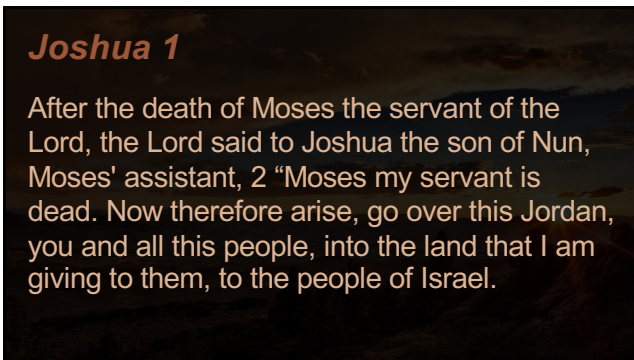
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**Joshua 1**

After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' assistant, 2 "Moses my servant is dead. Now therefore arise, go over this Jordan, you and all this people, into the land that I am giving to them, to the people of Israel.



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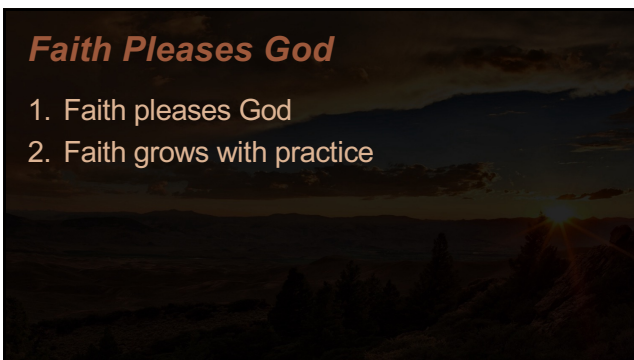
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**Faith Pleases God**

1. Faith pleases God  
2. Faith grows with practice



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**Book of Joshua**

- 1. The Promise land is a picture of rest and victory to be enjoyed by every believer
- 2. Moses (The Law) must die before Joshua (Savior) leads people into the promise Land
- 3. Greek name Jesus simply translates to the Hebrew name Joshua. Identical Names.

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**Joshua**

- 1. Old Man (69-79 years old)
  - 2. His entire career as the assistant of Moses
  - 3. He was prepared for this big task by years of performing small tasks
- Do not despise these small beginnings, for the LORD rejoices to see the work begin...  
Zechariah 4:10 NLT

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**Mark 4:30-32**

30 And he said, "With what can we compare the kingdom of God, or what parable shall we use for it? 31 It is like a grain of mustard seed, which, when sown on the ground, is the smallest of all the seeds on earth, 32 yet when it is sown it grows up and becomes larger than all the garden plants and puts out large branches, so that the birds of the air can make nests in its shade."

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**Romans 12:3**

For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned.

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**2 Corinthians 1:20**

For all the promises of God find their Yes in him. That is why it is through him that we utter our Amen to God for his glory.

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**Faith Says Amen!**

Faith says Amen "So be it" to what God has said about us and promised to us!

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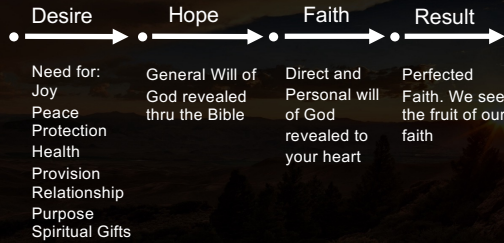
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### Process of Faith



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### Faith Pleases God

1. Faith pleases God
2. Faith grows with practice
3. God delights to give us our inheritance

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### Psalm 35:27

Let those who delight in my righteousness shout for joy and be glad and say evermore, "Great is the Lord, who delights in the welfare of his servant!"

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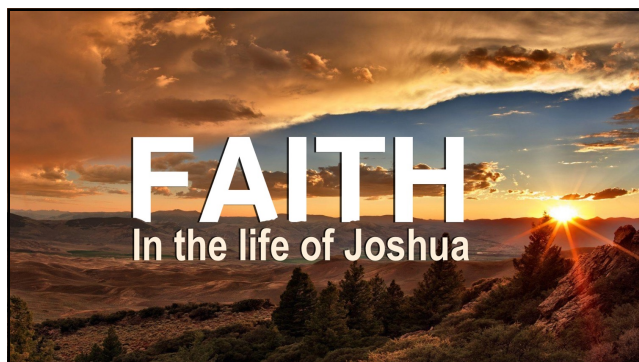
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