

HAVE FAITH IN GOD

Mark 11:22–23 (NKJV) ²² So Jesus answered and said to them, **"Have faith** <u>in</u> <u>God</u>. ²³ For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, 'Be removed and be cast into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says.

LIVE BY FAITH

Habakkuk 2:4 (NKJV) ⁴ "Behold the proud, His soul is not upright in him; But the just shall live by his faith.

UNBELIEF

Hebrews 3:12–15 (NKJV) ¹² Beware, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief <u>in departing from</u> <u>the living God</u>; ¹³ but exhort one another daily, while it is called "Today," lest any of you be hardened through the <u>deceitfulness of sin</u>.

UNBELIEF

¹⁴ For we have become partakers of Christ **if we hold the beginning of our confidence** steadfast to the end, ¹⁵ while it is said: "Today, if you will hear His voice, **Do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion**."

UNBELIEF TAKING ROOT?

- 1. Slowly
- 2. Suddenly
- 3. Unbelieving theology
- 4. Faith in things other than God

FAITH IN SELF?

Faith in God, implies no faith in self.

FAITH IN SELF?

Galatians 5:4-5 You have become estranged from Christ, you who attempt to be justified by law; you <u>have fallen</u> <u>from grace.</u> For we through the Spirit eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness <u>by faith.</u> For in Christ Jesus neither circumcision nor uncircumcision avails any thing, but <u>faith working through</u> <u>love.</u>

FAITH IN GOD?

- Am I doing this by faith in God, or self?
 Or by faith in someone or something else?
- Why am I drawn towards this?
- Am I praying, fasting, worshipping, reading the Scriptures by faith in God?

DEALING WITH UNBELIEF

Matthew 17:20-21 So Jesus said to them, **"Because of your unbelief;** for assuredly, I say to you, **if you have faith as a mustard seed**, you will say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you. However, **this kind does not go out except** by prayer and fasting."



