

EXPERIENCING
GOD



A Turning Point
Hebrews 11

FAITH IS...

1. ... BELIEVING WHEN I DON'T SEE IT.

“Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see.” Hebrews 11:1

FAITH IS...

2. ... OBEYING WHEN I DON'T UNDERSTAND IT.

3. ... GIVING WHEN I DON'T HAVE IT.

**“...by faith (Abel) was
commended as a righteous
man, when God spoke well of
his offering....”**

Hebrews 11:4b

**“Out of the most severe trial,
their overflowing joy and their
extreme poverty welled up in
rich generosity. For I testify that
they gave as much as they were
able, and even beyond their
ability...” 2 Corinthians 8:2-3**

FAITH IS...

4. ... PERSISTING WHEN I
DON'T FEEL LIKE IT.

“Successful people do what
most people don't feel like
doing.”

***“By faith (Moses) left Egypt ,
not fearing the king's anger; he
persevered because he saw him
who is invisible.”***

Hebrews 11:27

***We can only accomplish the
impossible when we see the
invisible.***

FAITH IS...

5. ... THANKING GOD BEFORE I
RECEIVE IT.

“By faith the walls of Jericho fell, after the people had marched around them for seven days.” Hebrews 11:30

“...I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.” Mark 11:24

TWO FACTS ABOUT PRAYER:

***1) God always hears and
answers every prayer.***

***2) God does not always answer
the way we want Him to.***

“They were all commended for their faith, yet none of them received what had been promised. God had planned something better for us so that only together with us would they be made perfect.”

Hebrews 11:39-40