

**Faith**



**For the Realities of Life**



# God's definition of righteousness

- Romans 1:17
- a life lived by faith from one level to the next
- Faith is to the spiritual, what growth is to the natural.



# Five Faith Foundations

**1. Faith is affirming in our daily lives that God is who He says He is:**

- **“I AM WHO I AM”** (Exodus 3:14)
- **Creator** (Hebrews 11:3)
- **Beginning and End** (Revelation 1:8)
- **Holy God** (Isaiah 6:3, Revelation 16:5)
- **Judge** (Acts 10:42)
- **Father!** (Matthew 6:9)



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- 2. Faith is the assurance in all situations that God rewards those who seek Him**  
(Hebrews 11:6)
- 3. Faith begins by hearing the word of Christ** (Romans 10:17)



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4. Faith grows by witnessing God's power in Creation, and experiencing it in our own lives (Matthew 6:26-34)
5. Faith is how we gain God's approval (Hebrews 11:2)



# When Do You Need Faith?

- 1. When you're worried about your life's necessities**  
(Matthew 6:25)
- 2. When you're in the midst of a storm** (Matthew 8:26)
- 3. When you're falling**  
(Matthew 14:31)



# When Do You Need Faith?

4. When you're discouraged, feeling that you've failed God (Matthew 16:8)
5. When you're battling spiritual forces in any situation in life (Matthew 8:8-10)



# In every situation you face...

1. believe that God is who He says He is
2. believe that God rewards those who seek Him
3. hear the word of Christ
4. seek God's power in your life
5. gain God's approval