

Faith is the Victory
1 John 5:1-5
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Introductory Thoughts

We all love a winner.

God assures us a victory!

How?

Through FAITH.

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What Does John Mean?

Hebrews 11:1

***"Now faith is being sure of what we hope for
and certain of what we do not see."***

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What Does John Mean?

Hebrews 11:1.

Much of life is based on faith.

Faith is belief, but it is also being confident.

Hebrews 10:22, 35-36.

Biblical faith works.

James 2:14-26.

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By Faith...

We are justified.

Romans 5:1.

We are sanctified.

Acts 26:18.

We walk, we live.

2 Corinthians 5:7, Galatians 2:20.

We have access to grace.

Romans 5:1.

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By Faith...

We are counted righteous.

Romans 4:3.

We are saved.

Ephesians 2:8-10.

We can see the why of Hebrews 11:6!

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Some Have Faith In Faith!

They believe in faith, not the object of faith.

What is the proper object of faith?

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Return to 1 John 5:1-5

We must have faith in two grand realities:

God... Almighty God!

Jesus Christ, His Son.

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Closing Remarks

Faith leads to obedience.

First step in becoming a Christian.

John 3:16, 8:24, Mark 16:15-16.

True for Christians as well.

His commands are not burdensome.

1 John 5:3!