

Faith Conquers Fear!

The comfort of true faith is an indescribable peace that replaces one's deepest fears, as it undeniably *conquers* fear, but the faith we refer to here is true faith, not a half-hearted effort to believe. For example, could we claim to be airline passengers standing on the ground? No, we must board a plane, right? We also cannot honestly say that we "have faith" in an airline if we refuse to follow even the simplest of the rules (like agreeing to wear the seat belts) where we'd be denied entry. We must accept their rules in hopes that they'll fly us safely *as stated* to our destination. The Bible's promises are similar, as we must trust in the Creator's complete package of salvation before we can also soar with Him. Therefore (and more importantly in our soul's case) we must put our complete trust in the *overall system of salvation* that we say we believe in, otherwise, we have not yet believed, and are sadly, still 'grounded'. Halfway believers are not believers at all, but people who are merely *considering* whether they should be, just like the fearful airline passenger who has yet to get on that scary plane. He has yet to accept that he must put his entire life in the pilot's authority and judgment to enjoy the rewards of air travel.

One's stated belief or "faith" in our Savior therefore, must be a belief in the **complete system** of mortally-unreachable salvation, which can only be achieved through a full belief in the One who *can* grant it, be it by: 1) *accepting all of the bible's required conditions*, or: 2) *by submitting in complete trust to the basics, accepting in advance that there is more to submit to*. Either way, there must be complete, submissive trust in the grantor's plan before one is given his 'ticket'.

Yes, just as the airplane trip had both a promise and specific conditions (you must pay a price, sit with proper behavior in your seat, etc.[accepting that its for your own good]), so too is the promise of salvation under the conditions of the Bible. On the plane, it is essential that everyone obey the rules in order that nothing will disrupt its well-planned operation. The Father's system of brotherly harmony also works like that. We must all cooperate with the Captain (and one another) if we do not want to disrupt the safe passage of our salvation (and our nation's protection as well).

We must trust and comply with the *entire system* (be it whether it affects us individually, or as a cooperating body of believers) before we will be granted a boarding pass. This includes *national* mercies:

If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land. —2Chr 7:14

Notice however, the clear stipulation there as it says, "*turn from their wicked ways*". We again, must obey the Father's rules. If we don't feel that we need to do this, then we've not noticed another clause in the above passage which states that 'we... [the people]' are to "*humble ourselves*". This is the root problem with why we have lost the protection of the Father over our land, as many are too proud to admit that His ways of law and justice are truly that flawless, and that our own ways always tend to be somewhat misguided and therefore (if nothing else) perhaps holding back what He otherwise might have been trying to do for us. Showing that His law also helps in bringing about a warm, universal spirit of cooperation, can we not then admit that there might be unforeseen importance to some rules that we may not immediately understand?

God's rules are awesome, but we won't be given a boarding pass on the flight to His Kingdom until He is satisfied that we are willing to change *in obeying those rules* ...to then live and work together *as a people*:

Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.

—Revelation 22:14

'the gates of the city', by the way, is emblematic of how we as a group will be *inside the walls of His strength and guardianship*. This is where the comforting faith begins. Once we internalize the peace of knowing that we have been granted a true boarding pass (and not just some airline brochure that we somehow *think* makes us 'approved'), we then begin the smile in our hearts that we have made the right decision, and can begin to grow in resting that no matter what happens to us: "*all things work together for good, to them that love God and are the called according to his purpose.*" In other words, *if*

we, in our hearts, learn to love and gladly comply with the way **He** is commanding the ship! (Romans 8:28).

There are also those who *want* that ride of providence and protection, but rather than hear the rules, “*climbeth up some other way*” (John 10:1), hoping to sneak aboard. Therefore I should also mention something that very few Christians know about: if you are unwilling to even *hear* the rules of the Father’s system (which are available in His genuine Bible for all to read), you won’t be able to claim ignorance, as you’re then *not only refused passage* on His Son’s vessel of salvation, but He won’t hear any of your other requests for help either:

He that turneth away his ear from hearing the law, even his prayer shall be abomination.

—Proverbs 28:9

For the one who **has** dedicated himself, the first true act of faith strengthens itself, as the step was grand! –and not as fearful as had been anticipated. Fear therefore, is a lack of solid trust and conviction in the promises of God. It’s that simple. Fear is *lack of faith*, or: *our heart’s rebellion to God’s promises*, and so rewarded:

“...the fearful ... shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone” -Rev. 21:8

Further *strengthening* of one’s faith on the other hand, comes to us via the guidance and power of the Holy Spirit. But here also, if we aren’t following ‘the rules’, *we don’t get the Holy Spirit either!* :

“And we are his witnesses of these things; and so is also the Holy Ghost, whom God hath given to them that obey him.” —Acts 5:32

When thinkers learn that the Father’s plan for law and justice outweighs any worldly philosophies, it is then that they find loads of initial faith to accept it all. But once more, we will not be granted that pass if we are refusing to agree to the ship Captain’s terms. If we are breaking any commandments in our lives (even if just one; see James 2:10), we will not be granted that initial boarding pass –it’s that simple. We must then remain in our life of fear, living through nervous apprehensions that will never be comforted for us. Authentic, lasting faith therefore does not come accidentally or magically upon some five-minute prayer, but born of the most noble and devoted labor of love in seeking pure truth.

This is a faith in the **only** God. The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, the God of the Bible, whose proper name is YHWH, and whose ‘stamp of authority’ is the very reason for the 4th commandment, where we are commanded to worship on His Sabbath day. Those not following a true biblical Sabbath schedule, but today’s recently discovered, subtly-changed *dark ages* calendar system, are in fact, obeying an edict of... [guess who?]:

“Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness?” —Romans 6:16

The Bible is very clear that rest and worship is to be the seventh day, not the first, which right away should be a red flag for the wiser among us, that we should look deeper into the real reason this was changed. (Want to know more about this? A timely, revealing book on the many Bible verses on the Father’s Sabbath and how it was also ‘changed’ for the elite, “*Remember the Sabbath to keep it Holy*”, is available either in printed form by writing us or as a high quality printable PDF download on our website).

The watering-down of God’s Bible and His authority was the biggest part of satan’s strategy to lure us into his own global plan for lordship, as the brainwashed world now worships his anti-rules that tickle their ears.

If we’re not eager to obey, we can’t expect to *grow in faith*, but to continue in an *ever-increasing fear* for we have yet to embrace the concept of His “perfect law of liberty” (James 1:25). Until then friends, God’s Bible builds true faith: “*faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God*” (Romans 10:17)

We pray however, that all our friends will lock-in their boarding passes *before* Revelation 22:11 becomes final, where the Father’s airliner takes off for the last time.

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“When thou art in tribulation, and all these things are come upon thee, even in the latter days, if thou turn to the LORD thy God, and shalt be obedient unto his voice; (For the LORD thy God is a merciful God;) he will not forsake thee, neither destroy thee, nor forget the covenant of thy fathers which he sware unto them.” —Deuteronomy 4:30,31

The hopeless live in fear. But Christ saith unto them, “Why are ye fearful, O ye, of little faith?”. (Matt 8:26)