

## Real Faith

Psalms

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How often have we be told, “Just Have Faith” when a well-meaning person sees us going through a difficult time? What they usually mean is, “just hang in there, just wait, things will get better”. If they have a spiritual mindset they usually mean, “Just wait, God will make sure it turns out just the way you want it...you know ‘all things work together for good’”.

- I. A person with faith will live confidently (Psalm 13)
  - A. In His presence
  - B. In His power
  - C. In His purpose
    1. His glory (not our feelings)
    2. Our holiness (not our happiness)
- II. A person with faith will live submissively (Psalm 123)
  - A. God knows best
  - B. God knows more
  - C. God knows all
- III. A person with faith will live humbly (Psalm 131)
  - A. It’s not about me
  - B. It’s not about my
  - C. It’s all about Him
- IV. A person with faith will live faithfully (Psalm 141:1-3)
  - A. Trusting and obeying go together
  - B. Believing and following go together
- V. A person with faith will live victoriously (Psalm 130)
  - A. If I trust me, I can fail
  - B. If I trust you, you can fail
  - C. If I trust God, He never fails

### What Now?

- Will we choose faith knowing God may say wait for what we hope for?
- Will we choose faith knowing God may say no to what we hope for?
- Will we choose faith knowing God can be trusted with what we hope for?