"FAITH"

FAITH IS

"Now faith is assurance of things hoped for, a conviction of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1)

COMES BY

"So belief cometh of hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ." (Rom. 10:17)

WHAT TO BELIEVE

- 1. "I said therefore UNTO YOU, THAT YE SHALL DIE IN YOUR SINS; except ye believe that I am he, ye shall die in your sins." (John 8:24).
- 2. "And without faith it is impossible to be well-pleasing unto him; for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that seek after him. (Hebrews 11:6).

DEAD FAITH

"Even so faith, if it have not works, is dead in itself....For as the body apart from the spirit is dead, even so faith apart from works is dead." (James 2:17,26).

The Importance of Faith

- 1. Cannot Please God Without It. (Hebrews 11:6).
- 2. To Believe in God and His Revelation. (Romans 10:17).
- 3. Connected with the Gospel. (Mark 16:15-16).
- 4. Saved through Faith. (Ephesians 2:8).
- 5. Live by Faith. (Romans 1:17).
- 6. To Walk By Faith. (II Cor. 5:7).
- 7. Must Add To Our Faith. (II Peter 1:5-11).
- 8. Christians are to be Faithful. (Revelations 2;10).

OF BEING FAITHFUL

- 1. During Persecution. (II Timothy 3:12).
- 2. Handle Bible Aright. (<u>II Timothy 2:15</u>).
- 3. Being Faithful In Service:
 - a. Visiting the sick. (James 1:27).
 - b. Attending Services. (Hebrews 10:25).
 - c. Personal Work. (James 1:27).
 - d. Preaching The Word. (II Timothy 4:12).
 - e. In Example. (I Timothy 4:12).
- 4. Faithful In Use of Talents. (Matthew 25).
- 5. Faithful in Prosperity. (I Corinthians 16:2).
- 6. Faithful in Time of Sorrow (John 14:1-6)