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Series: Faith Builders

Title: Without Faith It Is Impossible to Please God

Hebrews 11:1-6

<sup>1</sup>Now faith is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see. <sup>2</sup>This is what the ancients were commended for. <sup>3</sup>By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible. <sup>4</sup>By faith Abel offered God a better sacrifice than Cain did. By faith he was commended as a righteous man, when God spoke well of his offerings. And by faith he still speaks, even though he is dead. <sup>5</sup>By faith Enoch was taken from this life, so that he did not experience death; he could not be found, because God had taken him away. For before he was taken, he was commended as one who pleased God. <sup>6</sup>And without faith it is impossible to please God, because anyone who comes to him must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who earnestly seek him.

**Faith** is being sure or confident of what we hope for.

**Faith** is being certain if what of what we do not see.

**Faith** is placed in God's Word.

**Romans 10:17** - Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ.

**Faith** means you believe in God's existence without proof by our senses. v.6

**II Corinthians 5:7** - We live by faith, not by sight.

**Faith** in God includes rewards that are the result of earnestly seeking God. v.6

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**James 1:6-8** - <sup>6</sup>But when he asks, he must believe and not doubt, because he who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. <sup>7</sup>That man should not think he will receive anything from the Lord; <sup>8</sup>he is a double-minded man, unstable in all he does.