



**GREAT
FAITH**

The Faith of the Other Believers



2 Groups of People

Same **Faith**

One **Outcome**



Hebrews 11:32-35a ESV

³² And what more shall I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— ³³ who through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, ³⁴ quenched the power of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, were made strong out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight.³⁵ Women received back their dead by resurrection.

Hebrews 11:35b-38 ESV

³⁵ Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, so that they might rise again to a better life. ³⁶ Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. ³⁷ They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were killed with the sword. They went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, mistreated— ³⁸ of whom the world was not worthy— wandering about in deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

2 Groups of People

People who received miracles

People who experienced suffering



Hebrews 11:39 ESV

³⁹ And all these, though commended through their **faith**, did not receive what was promised.

Same Faith

Both were faithful to God

Both put their faith in God



We need to keep on being
Trusting and Faithful to God



VIDEO



Hebrews 11:39 ESV

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Same Faith

Put Your Hope in God till your last Breath



"Father, we come before you, trusting you even now for a miracle," he said. "We know that John 11 uses those exact words - even now, you can do a miracle. We saw Him raise Lazarus from the dead, we see the Lord in Genesis 22, rescue Isaac at the very last second. We see the dead girl raised from the dead. Luke 7, we see a boy raised from the dead. So, God is able, He is more than able. I'm just going to rest in that as best I can."

He added, "Lord, we know you are able. Please heal, please come through, but if it shouldn't be Your will, your sovereign will at the end of the day, then I trust You, and I love You anyway. We praise You, Lord. We pray in Jesus' name, amen."

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Hebrews 11:39-40 ESV

³⁹ And all these, **though commended through their faith**, did not receive what was promised, ⁴⁰ since God had provided something better for us, that apart from us they should not be made perfect.

One Outcome

Commanded for their Faith



Hebrews 12:1-2 ESV

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, ² **looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith**, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Fix your eyes on
Jesus Christ





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