

# **LIFE-Groups**

Growth Assignment—Week #26

## **Faith & Faithfulness—Heb 11:17-40**

Today as we complete our walk down the “Hall Of Fame of Faith” we will see that the author goes through a chronological listing of those men and women of faith. As we consider their faith throughout history, we also see God’s faithfulness to them and His promise throughout history. How does that affect your faith when you see God’s faithfulness throughout history?

What are some times that you have seen God’s faithfulness to you in the past?

Read Romans 15:4—Why were these things written in the past?

Read Hebrew 12:1—Why did the writer of Hebrews write these things to the Hebrews?

NOW LET’S TAKE A LOOK—lets go back to Hebrews 11:17-40 and complete our walk through the “Hall Of Fame Of Faith.”

Vs 17-19—Abraham & Isaac—How was Abraham able to have the faith to offer Isaac?

Vs 20-22—What was their faith able to accomplish for Isaac, Jacob & Joseph?

Read the following verses in Genesis to see what happened in the blessings:  
Genesis 27:27-40—

Genesis 47:28-31—

Genesis 48:8-22

Genesis 49:1-27—

Genesis 29-33

What was so important about the blessings in these passages?

Vs 23-28—Moses In Egypt

What do we learn about the faith of Moses’ parents?

How do we see that faith passed on to Moses?

What was the key to Moses’ faith? Vs 25-27

Vs 29-31—Joshua & Rahab

Read

Joshua 2:1-14—What was the faith of Rahab?

Joshua 6:20-23—How was Rahab’s faith honored?

Matt 1:5—What does this tell us about Rahab’s faith?

James 2:25—What does James say about Rahab’s faith?

Vs 32-40—Judges and Beyond

What do you know about Barak, Gideon & Samson?

Read:

Judges 4:4-10—Barak

Judges 6:11-18; 36-40—Gideon

Judges 14:1-7— Samson

And the Others:

What do we learn from the others listed in vs 33-38

What is the summary of faith given in 39-4?

What is the final understanding of faith that we gain from these passages?