



FAITH

LIVE INTENTIONALLY
VIEWING ETERNITY

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STUDY GUIDE

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INTRODUCTION

This FAITH Bible study flows out of the statement: **F**ully believing **A**ll God says, **I** choose by faith **T**o surrender my **H**eart to LIVE (Live Intentionally Viewing Eternity).

God created birds to roam, not to remain settled in a nest. From birth the momma bird feeds and protects her young and then teaches them to fly. What must it be like for a baby bird to take a leap of faith out of the nest and experience the truth about everything the momma bird taught and modeled? Can you imagine birds ever settling for nest-living when they could be flying?

God wants believers to soar on wings of faith. The Bible is the guidebook, the characters are the examples, and the Holy Spirit is the teacher of this life of faith. Stories fill the Bible of those who settled for a life of indifference, rebellion, and disobedience, and of those who soared on wings of amazing faith. The Bible gives clear instruction on living a life of faith while the Holy Spirit nudges and empowers believers to take wing. The question to answer each week—will you choose to settle or soar?

FAITH will teach, build, and encourage you to test your wings. The four eight-week studies provide insight into a dozen Bible characters as well as the teachings on faith of Jesus and Paul. Learn to rise above, reading through passages from the books of Judges, I Samuel, I & II Kings, Acts, John, and Romans.



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OVERVIEW

- DAY 1** Fully believing *Believing starts with knowing*
- DAY 2** All God says *Discovering the "all"*
- DAY 3** I choose by faith *Believing = taking God at His Word*
- DAY 4** To surrender *Give up possession of or power over*
- DAY 5** Heart to LIVE *Live Intentionally Viewing Eternity*

SUGGESTED SCRIPTURES

FAITH #1 | Old Faithfuls

- Week 1: Judges 6 (Gideon)
- Week 2: Judges 7 (Gideon)
- Week 3: 1 Samuel 16 (David)
- Week 4: 1 Samuel 17 (David)
- Week 5: 1 Kings 17 (Elijah)
- Week 6: 1 Kings 18 (Elijah)
- Week 7: 2 Kings 4 (Elisha)
- Week 8: 2 Kings 5 (Elisha)

FAITH #2 | Faith Teachings

- Week 1: John 14:1-14
- Week 2: John 14:15-31
- Week 3: John 15:1-17
- Week 4: John 15:18-27
- Week 5: John 16:1-15
- Week 6: John 16:16-33
- Week 7: John 17:1-18
- Week 8: John 17:19-26

FAITH #3 | Faith in Action

- Week 1: Acts 4:1-31 (Peter & John)
- Week 2: Acts 7 (Stephen)
- Week 3: Acts 8:26-40 (Philip)
- Week 4: Acts 9:1-31 (Ananias)
- Week 5: Acts 10 (Cornelius)
- Week 6: Acts 12:1-19 (Peter)
- Week 7: Acts 16:1-15 (Timothy & Lydia)
- Week 8: Acts 16:16-40 (Paul & Silas)

FAITH #4 | Faith Empowered

- Week 1: Romans 3:21-31
- Week 2: Romans 4:1-25
- Week 3: Romans 5:1-21
- Week 4: Romans 6:1-23
- Week 5: Romans 7:1-25
- Week 6: Romans 8:1-17
- Week 7: Romans 8:18-30
- Week 8: Romans 8:31-39

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WEEK: _____ **SCRIPTURE:** _____

Each day: **read** the Scripture, **pray** for understanding, and **answer** the questions.

DAY 1 FULLY BELIEVING

Believing starts with knowing

What is the context?

Summarize – put in your own words what this passage is saying.

List what you *know* from this passage about God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit.



DAY **2** ALL GOD SAYS

Discovering the “all”

List commands and promises.

Record contrasts, word pictures, and repeated words/phrases.

Consider reading the passage in two additional Bible versions (NLT, ESV, AMP, etc.) or comparing with other verses listed in the cross-reference section of your Bible.

DAY **3** | CHOOSE BY FAITH

Believing = taking God at His Word

Based on your findings in Days 1 & 2, what truths have you discovered?

What treasures have you found?

Which truths are easier or more difficult for you to believe?

If you believe these truths, how is your faith affected?



DAY **4** TO SURRENDER

Give up possession of or power over

Reread the passage and take time to listen and reflect.
Write what you hear the Spirit saying to you.

Write a prayer in response.

DAY **5** HEART TO LIVE

Live Intentionally Viewing Eternity

In what ways will you live by faith this week?

How will you live intentionally viewing eternity?

Who will you encourage with the truths you have learned?