

Devotional: Keep the Faith

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Beloveds,

We all have situations that we don't see how they're going to work out. There are times that life gets tough, real tough. But, we are trained to be stronger than our situations.

We do our best to find a solution or even a reason why. But there are some things God doesn't want us to know. He has the solution, but if He showed us the answer right now, it wouldn't take any faith. If we could see the provision, the healing, or the favor that He is going to bring, it would be easy to believe. The test comes when we don't have the answers. Thoughts tell us, "How are you going to make it after you retire? Will this marriage survive? Will I make it home tonight? What if your health doesn't improve?"

Sometimes there is no logical solution. The more we try to reason it out, the more discouraged we get. This is what faith is all about. You don't have to come up with a plan. You have to be comfortable not knowing.

Sometimes we think it's a lack of faith to say "I don't know or I need help with this ." Take the pressure off. God knows. He has you in the palms of His hands. He will direct your steps.

Proverbs 3:5-6 NLT

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take."

I pray that he will lead, direct, and protect you every hour of the day, and give you his wisdom as you exercise the faith that overcomes.

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