

Faith: Some Different Types of Faith

(Different Types of Trusting and Believing)

Weak Faith or Being Faithless

(Small, Very Little, or No Trusting and Believing):

“Him that is weak in the faith receive ye, but not to doubtful disputations.”
Romans 14:1 KJV

“As for the one whose faith is weak, accept him [into your fellowship], but not for [the purpose of] quarreling over his opinions.” ROMANS 14:1 AMP

“And being not weak in faith, [Abraham] considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sara's womb.” Romans 4:19 KJV

“He answereth him, and saith, O faithless generation, how long shall I be with you? how long shall I suffer you? bring him unto me.” Mark 9:19 KJV

“Then saith he to Thomas, Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side: and be not faithless, but believing.” John 20:27 KJV

“And [Jesus] said unto them, Where is your faith? And they being afraid wondered, saying one to another, What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.” Luke 8:25

“For what thanks can we render to God again for you, for all the joy wherewith we joy for your sakes before our God; Night and day praying exceedingly that we might see your face, and might perfect that which is lacking in your faith?” 1 Thessalonians 3:9-10 KJV

“...We want to give you everything you need to make your faith strong.”
1 Thessalonians 3:10 ERV

“...that we may...make good whatever may be imperfect and lacking in your **faith.**” 1 Thessalonians 3:10 AMPC

“...we pray earnestly for you, asking God to let us see you again to fill the gaps in your **faith.**” 1 Thessalonians 3:10 NLT

Strong Faith (Strong Trusting and Believing):

“He staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God; And being fully persuaded that, what he had promised, he was able also to perform.” Romans 4:20 -21 KJV

“Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.”

1 Corinthians 16:13 KJV

“Be on guard; stand firm in your faith [in God, respecting His precepts and keeping your doctrine sound]. Act like [mature] men and be courageous; be strong.” 1 CORINTHIANS 16:13 AMP

Unfeigned Faith:

“When I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also.” 2 Timothy 1:5 KJV

Unfeigned faith is referred to in other translations as:

Real Faith, True Faith, Genuine Faith, Sincere Faith, and I like the phrase “Uncontaminated Faith”.

“I remember your sincere and unqualified faith [the surrendering of your entire self to God in Christ with confident trust in His power, wisdom and goodness, a faith] which first lived in [the heart of] your grandmother Lois and your mother Eunice, and I am confident that it is in you as well.”
2 TIMOTHY 1:5 AMP

“Now the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned:” 1 Timothy 1:5 KJV

“Whereas the object and purpose of our instruction and charge is love, which springs from a pure heart and a good (clear) conscience and sincere (unfeigned) faith.” 1 Timothy 1:5 AMPC

“Unfeigned Faith” could easily fit in this “Strong Faith” category.

Ever Increasing Faith:

“We ought always and indeed are morally obligated [as those in debt] to give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is fitting, because your

faith is growing ever greater, and the [unselfish] love of each one of you toward one another is continually increasing.”

2 THESSALONIANS 1:3 AMP

“And the apostles said unto the Lord, Increase our faith. And the Lord said, If ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey **you.**” Luke 17:5-6 KJV

Faith Principle demonstrated by Jesus:

“And [Jesus] arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.” Mark 4:39 KJV

“That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God;”
Colossians 1:10 KJV

FF Bosworth: “Faith begins where the will of God is known.”

Exceedingly Growing Faith:

“We are bound to thank God always for you, brethren, as it is meet, because that your faith groweth exceedingly, and the charity of every one of you all toward each other aboundeth;” 2 Thessalonians 1:3 KJV

You must grow our faith with quality “**faith food**”, and then “**do the word**”, obey the word, and exercise our faith by our obedience and actions agreeing with the word.