

Coming face to face with inadequacy.

Mat. 8:25-26 – A storm

Mat. 14:22-31 – Walking on water

Mark 9:14-24 – Failure

Never give up!

Meet failure with prayer!

Dissatisfaction is a good thing. Phil. 3:13-14 — Constant moving forward Faith is central: To salvation by grace – Eph. 2:8-9 To a proper walk of faith – 2 Cor. 5:7 To hope of heaven – Heb. 11:1 To victory over the world – I John 5:4 To pleasing God – Heb. 11:6

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Satan attacks our faith:

His trials test our faith – Jas. 1:2-3

His trials are faith under fire – 1 Pet. 1:6-7

The less weakness in our faith, the better our ability to overcome temptation.

How do we go about the business of increasing our faith?

Three things necessary:

Desire.

Appeal to God's word – John 20:30-31; Rom. 10:17.

Application of what we learn.

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Getting faith works like everything else we pray for.

1 Sam. 17:31-37 – Source of David's increased faith.

If you want your prayer for increased faith to mean something, you must use the faith you already have.

