

Essential Doctrine #9 - The Necessity of Faith

What is Faith?

Generally: 1. complete trust or confidence in someone or something.

"this restores one's faith in politicians" (**mayor**)

Doctrinally: 2. strong belief in God or in the doctrines of a religion,
based on spiritual apprehension rather than proof.

1 Corinthians 13:13 (AMP) And now there remain:

faith [abiding trust in God and His promises],

(Heb. 11) (AMP) Now faith is the assurance (title deed, confirmation) of things hoped for (divinely guaranteed), and the evidence of things not seen [the conviction of their reality—faith comprehends as fact what cannot be experienced by the physical senses]. 2 For by this [kind of] faith the [a]men of old gained [divine] approval.

Why is it necessary?

Why must it be in God?

How do we get it?

How shall we walk by?

How do we live by faith?

