

sermon notes

Hebrews 11: The Bible's "Hall of Faith" Chapter

Trusting God in Life's Successes and Life's Sufferings Hebrews 11:32-35 — November 20, 2022

1. Trusting God brings displays of His _____ blessings _____ and His power even in difficult, overwhelming, seemingly-impossible situations (Hebrews 11:32-35a).

The examples of:

- 1) Gideon (Judges chapters 6-8)
- 2) Barak (Judges chapter 4-5):
- 3) Samson (Judges chapter 13-16)
- 4) Jephthah (Judges chapter 11)
- 5) David (1 Samuel chapter 17)
- 6) Samuel (1 Samuel chapters 1-12) and the prophets
- 7) Daniel (Daniel chapter 6)
- 8) Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-Nego (Daniel chapter 3)
- 9) Elijah (1 Kings chapter 19)
- 10) Elisha (2 Kings chapter 6)
- 11) Hezekiah (Isaiah chapters 36-37)
- 12) the widow whose son was raised from the dead (1 Kings chapter 17)
- 13) the woman whose son was raised from the dead (2 Kings chapter 4)

supporting Scripture: 2 Corinthians 12:9

2. Trusting God does _____ not _____ guarantee you will never have any problems in this life. But continue to trust God in difficult times; He is always trustworthy (Hebrews 11:35b).

There is "a _____ better _____ resurrection" for those who are saved — far better than being raised from the dead back to physical life on earth. There is the promise of a glorified body in the presence of the Lord forever, free from all suffering.

supporting Scriptures: Matthew 5:10
2 Peter 1:11
2 Timothy 2:12
1 Corinthians 15:51-55, 58