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DON'T WAVER: GOD IS FAITHFUL

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Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful." Hebrews 10:23 NKJV

These days it is very easy for people to question their faith. Candidly speaking, when we see godly people losing their jobs and losing their homes, struggling daily just to make it, it can create doubt in one's mind. We are really living in times where those of us who are not in these predicaments need to consider helping our brothers and sisters by sharing what we have. God's faithfulness is most often demonstrated to others as He uses us to do for others. I remember hearing stories from my uncle and aunt how the Lord would touch the heart of another member to provide food for him and his family during lean times. God often speaks to us to give others money that are in need during hard times. We should not doubt it's the voice of God urging us to do it because we don't wish to share. Our obedient response to the leading of the Spirit to come to the aid of others in and out of the kingdom can restore someone's confidence in how concerned, loving and faithful our God really is.



You will feel so great when you don't waver in being obedient and lend a hand by sharing clothes, food, funds, a ride, or whatever the Lord inspires you to do to encourage someone else. I'm aware this is not how we customarily apply this scripture. However, our hope in God is an expression of our faith to know we will not go under when we remember to express the love and presence of God in a tangible way to someone in need. It reveals we are stable in our confidence of God's faithfulness and in return encourage another to remain stable in their confidence of God's faithfulness toward them.

James 2:15-16 says, "If a brother or sister is naked and destitute of daily good, and one of you says to them, 'Depart in peace, be warmed and filled,' but you do not give them the things which are needed for the body, what does it profit?" It is so easy to waver in our minds about doing these things because it takes something from us. However, if we really believe that God is faithful, then our works verify our faith. Let's manifest our faith in God's faithfulness and decide to share what God has given us with others. Most of us have more than we can use or need, we won't even miss it. God will honor our actions and see that we are not wavering but act on the truth that God is faithful!

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