

Heb-11:6

Title: "How to Please God"

Sun. School

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Series: Transforming Truths

### 1. Introduction

a. Surrender, Transform, with Christ I Can, Daily Funeral, Emergency Exit, Confess, For the Good-All Things

- previous lessons in series

b. Please God without faith? Impossible!

c. What kind of faith?

- believe God exists - God lives

- believe God rewards those who seek God

d. Asking in faith - James 1:5-7

### 2. Explain Faith

a. Trust, confidence

- who do you trust?

\* someone telling truth?

\* someone telling lies?

b. What kind of faith?

- living faith - James 2:22-24

- dead faith - James 2:14-17

- faith shows itself - James 2:18

c. Changed lives - living different

d. Commitment

- James 2:23 - Abraham committed to God

& God committed Himself to Abraham

### 3. Live Daily by Faith

a. Please God daily

b. Many Old Testament people

- Heb 11 - Hall of Faith

\* faith in God

- Heb 11:2 elders received a good report (testimony) - by faith

c. Acting by faith

- James 2:8 love your neighbor

- James 1:19 quick to hear, slow to speak

- James 3:13 show good conduct (works) in humility

4. Focus on Christ Diligently
  - a. Jesus Christ first in life
  - b. Copy (mimic) Jesus character & attitude
    - 4 gospels show Jesus' life
  - c. Wisdom
    - need wisdom? ask God - Jms 1:5
    - Godly wisdom from above - Jms 3:17-18
      - \* peaceable
      - \* gentle
      - \* merciful
      - \* willing to yield
      - \* straight forward/honest
    - fruit of righteousness
      - \* planted in peace by peace makers
  - d. Avoid distractions