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GOD WANTS YOU TO KNOW HIM

God wants to know you and talk with you. He wants you to have his peace. But ***all have sinned*** *and come short of God. This is how* ***God demonstrated that he loved us****: he sent Jesus to pay the price for us. Why did Jesus have to die for our sin? Because* ***the wages of sin is death****. Jesus died the death penalty instead of us. What do you have to do? Make Jesus Lord of your life and believe that he died on the cross and* ***was raised from the dead for you****; Then say with your mouth you believe! Pray: "I believe in Jesus. Take my life and do something with it." That's it!*

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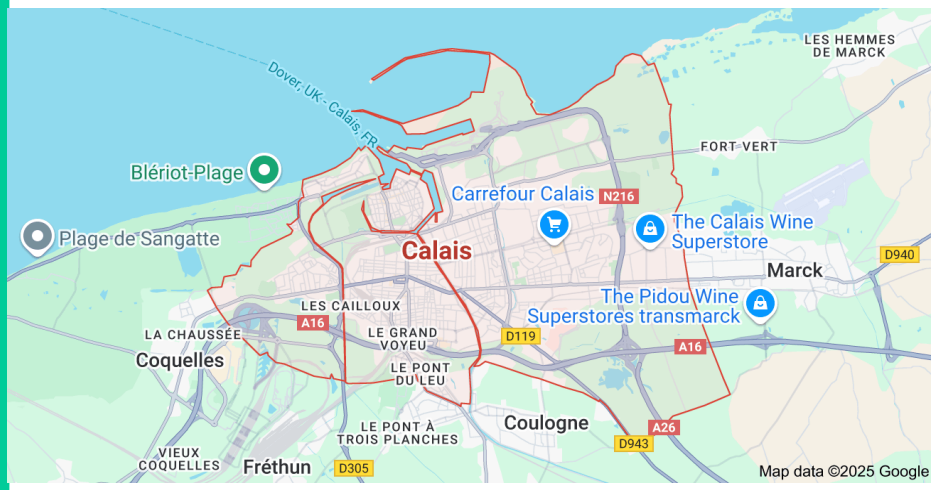

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What is faith? by Mary Leonard

"Now faith is a confident assurance of that for which we hope, a conviction of the reality of things which we do not see." Hebrews 11:1 Weymouth

Faith is a supernatural belief in our spirit that what God says in His Word is truth. "God is not man, that he should lie, or a son of man, that he should change his mind. Has he said, and will he not do it? Or has he spoken, and will he not fulfill it?" Number 23:19 esv. You can depend on God's Word. God backs His Word with all that He is. Faith will "say" what the Word of God says because faith in God is faith in His Word. "He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the ***word of his power.*** After making purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high," Hebrews 1:3 It is worth repeating, *you can depend on God's Word.*

Faith is now; it is in the present (Heb 11:1). Hope is

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future, and hope anchors us (Heb 6:19). Faith pulls what we hope for out of the future and into the present. Faith is always now in the present tense.

When you exercise your faith, you are not on your own. God has given you His faith in the first place. "For it is by grace that you have been saved through faith: and that not of yourselves, it is God's gift, and is not on the ground of merit." Ephesians 2:8 wnt. It is a gift from God. He gives you the seed of faith. God is no respecter of persons; He gives to every person a measure of faith to be able to succeed with. Romans 12:3 That seed of faith grows by hearing, and by hearing the Word of God. Romans 10:17 The Word of God germinates the faith that each of us already have. As our faith grows, we realize that what God has done for one, He will do for another.

As we meditate on God's Word, it causes us to believe His Word. Meditation involves the speaking of the Word. The more we meditate God's Word, the more we speak God's Word. As you keep God's Word in your mouth each day, then you'll come to the realization that you are believing His Word more and more. Speaking and believing, speaking and believing.

You exercise your faith by acting on the Word that you heard. Faith is an act or a verb. You must do something about the Word that you heard. The first action you can take is to declare your faith.

Our faith grows because we water our seed faith with the Word of God. Our faith grows because we have used it to resist the devil and we realize that God has already won the fight. Our faith grows because ***we*** have won the battle. He is for us and we are on His winning side!

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