



***“Faith is Active”
Faith Makes Us New
Part 4***

*If you are a follower of Jesus,
your identity is in Jesus*

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.”

2 Corinthians 5:17

GOD



HUMAN



HOLY

JESUS

~~**SIN**~~

DEATH

**For the wages of sin is
death, but the gift of God
is Eternal Life in Christ
Jesus our Lord**

“¹² But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God,”

John 1:12 ESV

True Faith Requires Action

When Jesus had finished saying all this in the hearing of the people, he entered Capernaum. ² There a centurion's servant, whom his master valued highly, was sick and about to die. ³ The centurion heard of Jesus and sent some elders of the Jews to him, asking him to come and heal his servant. ⁴ When they came to Jesus, they pleaded earnestly with him, "This man deserves to have you do this, ⁵ because he loves our nation and has built our synagogue." ⁶ So Jesus went with them."

Luke 7:1-6

True Faith depends on Jesus

“He was not far from the house when the centurion sent friends to say to him: “Lord, don’t trouble yourself, for I do not deserve to have you come under my roof. ⁷ That is why I did not even consider myself worthy to come to you. But say the word, and my servant will be healed. ⁸ For I myself am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. I tell this one, ‘Go,’ and he goes; and that one, ‘Come,’ and he comes. I say to my servant, ‘Do this,’ and he does it.”

True Faith depends on Jesus

⁹ When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, “I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel.” ¹⁰ Then the men who had been sent returned to the house and found the servant well.”

Luke 7:7-10

“...and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. ² Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith”

Hebrews 12.1-2

“We have this hope (Jesus) as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure”

Hebrews 6:19

True Faith responds by Serving

“What good is it, my brothers, if a man claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save him? ¹⁵

Suppose a brother or sister is without clothes and daily food. ¹⁶ If one of you says to him, “Go, I wish you well; keep warm and well fed,” but does nothing about his physical needs, what good is it? ¹⁷ In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead.”

James 2:14-17