Hebrews – Consider Jesus, Part 24 July 9 & 10, 2022

FAITH THAT WILL GET YOU THROUGH

Hebrews 11:32-38
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Hebrews 11:32-38 And what more shall I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— 33 who through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, 34 quenched the power of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, were made strong out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. 35 Women received back their dead by resurrection. Some were tortured, refusing to accept release, so that they might rise again to a better life. 36 Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. 37 They were stoned, they were sawn in two, they were killed with the sword. They went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, afflicted, mistreated— 38 of whom the world was not worthy—wandering about in deserts and mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth.

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III. Faith is not a	of in this life.	or

IV. God will give the	to

WHAT GOD PROMISES TO ALL WHO TRUST IN HIM:

- His love | Romans 8:35; 1 John 3:1
- His forgiveness | Psalm 86:5; 1 John 1:9
- His provision | Matthew 6:33; Phil. 4:19
- His presence | Psalm 9:9-10; James 4:8
- His Holy Spirit | John 14:16; Romans 5:5
- Rest for your soul | Ps. 23:1-3; Matt 11:28-29
- Eternal life | Proverbs 8:35; John 3:16

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- 1. Have you ever experienced God showing up in unexplainable ways?
- In your own words, explain what it means that God doesn't identify Believers by their failures.
- 3. Have you ever found yourself unable to look beyond a person's past failures?
- 4. When you think of the saints in Scripture who have suffered for their faith (or those in your own life who have experienced trials and hardships) does their faith encourage you?
- 5. What does it mean in v38 that the saints who have been martyred are those who "the world was not worthy"?
- 6. Share a difficult time when you had to depend on Jesus to get you through.

Next Week's Verses: Hebrews 11:39-12:2