



Welcome to our 4-week FAITH study. We pray that this study will allow you to grow closer to God, strengthen your faith, and deepen your knowledge and understanding of God's Word.

## **Week 2: Having Faith During Trying Times**

**FAITH is defined as:** the substance of things hoped for, but the evidence of things not seen

- Trying Times Don't Last Forever (It's seasonal)
- Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Faith without works is dead. **Galatians 6:9**
- God can show up and show out in our situations, if we keep the FAITH.
- Weeping endures for moment, but JOY comes in the morning. Psalms 30:5 (JOY can only come if we keep the FAITH)
- God did not create us to quit, but He created us to keep the FAITH
- When life becomes difficult, **DON'T QUIT BELIEVING, BUT KEEP BELIEVING!**

### **Key Scriptures:**

1. Let us not become weary in well doing, in due season we will reap if we faint not. **Galatians 6:9**
2. Weeping may endure for a night, but joy comes in the morning. **Psalms 30:5**
3. He pleaded earnestly with him, "My little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live." <sup>24</sup> So Jesus went with him **Mark 5:23-24**

## **Discussion Questions:**

1. What could've kept Jarius from seeking Jesus when his daughter was ill?
2. Are you going after God, during your tough situations like Jairus did?

### **Reflection:**

1. What's normally your first response to trying times?
2. Think of a time, when you faced a trying time, and you noticed your faith wavering.
3. What does God expect us to do when trying times come?

Lesson 2: Keeping Faith During Trying Time by Pastor Bobby Williams Jr.

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