



**Keys to Greater Faith**

**Trust Issues**

**Acts 25:1-12**

**1 John 1:8, “If we say that we have no sin,  
we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in  
us.”**

**2 Corinthians 13:5, “Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?”**

# **1. Patience**

**Psalm 84:10, “For a day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God, Than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.”**

**Matthew 6:24, “No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.”**

**Romans 8:25, “But if we hope for that we see not, then do we with patience wait for it.”**

**Matthew 24:36, “But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only.”**



## **2. Willingness**

**Hebrews 12:6-7, “6 For whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth, and scourgeth every son whom he receiveth. 7 If ye endure chastening, God dealeth with you as with sons; for what son is he whom the father chasteneth not?”**

**2 Timothy 4:7-8, “7 I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: 8 Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.”**

## **3. Trust in God**

**Genesis 50:20, “20 But as for you, ye thought evil against me; but God meant it unto good, to bring to pass, as it is this day, to save much people alive. 21 Now therefore fear ye not: I will nourish you, and your little ones. And he comforted them, and spake kindly unto them.”**

**John 3:17, “For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.”**

**Matthew 26:52-54, “...Put up again thy sword into his place: for all they that take the sword shall perish with the sword. 53 Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels? 54 But how then shall the scriptures be fulfilled, that thus it must be?”**

**Romans 5:3-5, “3 ...And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience; 4 And patience, experience; and experience, hope: 5 And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.”**



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