

THE CLASSICS | Week 4

We have been in this series called the classics and we have seen quite a few different stories

- David and goliath
 - o Allowing God to fight our battles
- The fall of man
- Crossing the red sea
 - o Trusting God to make a way
- Elijah and the prophets of Baal
 - o Confidence in God
- The spies Caleb and Joshua
 - o Not following the crowd
- Wrap it all up
- Hebrews 11
 - o The hall of faith
 - o Gives us names and snapshots of what some of these people did
- 32-40
 - o 35 some were tortured refusing release so they may rise again
 - willing to accept the worst because trust in the best God has to offer
 - o 39 they did not receive the promise (salvation)
 - o 40 Jesus had not come yet
 - how much further should we go knowing the promise has come
- 2:1-4
 - o 1 let us put it aside
 - o 2 Jesus example for the joy that was set before
 - o 3 him who endured hostility from sinners
 - o 4 you have not yet resisted to the point of blood
- We can learn a lot from the classics but are we going to strive after Christ like we should.
- We have these stories and many more of men and women who had not received the promise that we have so how much more should we go because we have it.
- In Hebrews 11 it goes through and says by faith... input your name in that and what would come after?
- By faith... Habakkuk 2:4 says the righteous should live by faith
 - o Prayed for people
 - o Cared for people
 - o Loved people
 - o Fed people
 - o Gave money
 - o Offer ourselves as a sacrifice
 - o If you can have faith to live eternally you can have faith to live boldly
 - o Prayed for healing
 - o Changed friend groups