

The Faith of Moses — The Wealth of Faith

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What we have learned so far in our study ...

- The Theme of the Book Jesus is "Better" ...
- The Outline of the Book of Hebrews ...
 - A Better Person: Jesus (1-6)
 - A Better Priesthood: Jesus (7-10)
 - A Better Principle: Faith (11-13)

The Examples of Faith (11)

The Features of Faith – Faith Described vs. 1-3

The Family of Faith — Faith Displayed vs. 4-40

Abel: The <u>WORSHIP</u> of faith. v. 4 - A picture of what it looks like when you first come to <u>SAVING</u> faith in Jesus Christ. "*Abel offered to God a better sacrifice* ..."

Enoch: The <u>WALK</u> of faith. vs. 5-6 - A picture of what it looks like when you truly are <u>SEEKING</u> God by faith. "*Enoch walked with God ..."* (cf. Genesis 5:22,24)

Noah: The <u>WORK</u> of faith. v. 7 – A picture of what it looks like when you truly <u>SERVE</u> God by faith. "Noah **prepared** an ark ..." (cf. Genesis 6:8-22)

Abraham: The <u>WORTHY</u> example of faith. vs. 8-19 - A picture of what it looks like when you truly <u>SURRENDER</u> to God by faith.

Isaac, Jacob, and Joseph: The <u>WAY</u> of faith passed on. vs. 20-22 - A picture of what it looks like when you <u>SUCCESSFULLY</u> communicate your faith to your children.

What we are going to learn today in our study ...

Moses: The <u>WEALTH</u> of faith. vs. 23-28 — A picture of what it looks like when you <u>SEIZE</u> eternal treasures.

For some people life is about LOSING it all, but for Moses it was about LEAVING it all.

LESSON -The Faith of Moses: The Wealth of Faith 11:23-28

I. CHAPTER 1 OF MOSES' LIFE - PRESERVED BY FAITH v. 23

His Parents — Amram and Jochebed (Exodus 6:20)

"By faith Moses, when he was born, was hidden for three months by his parents,"

"... because they saw he was a beautiful child;...."

"and they were not afraid of the king's edict."

God's Plan — "She got a wicker basket and covered it with **tar** and pitch" (Exodus 2:3)

II. CHAPTER 2 OF MOSES' LIFE - THE RENUNCIATION BY FAITH vs. 24-26

"<u>By faith</u> Moses, when **he had grown up**, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter ..."

"... **choosing rather** to endure ill-treatment with the people of God than to enjoy the passing pleasures of sin,"

"... **considering** the reproach of Christ great riches than the treasures of Egypt; **for** he was looking to the reward."

III. CHAPTER 3 OF MOSES' LIFE - A SEPARATION BY FAITH v. 27

"<u>By faith</u> he **left Egypt**, not fearing the wrath of the king; for endured, as seeing Him who is unseen."

IV. CHAPTER 4 OF MOSES' LIFE - AN INSTITUTION BY FAITH v. 28

"By faith he **kept the Passover** ... so that he who destroyed the firstborn would not touch them."

Today's Growth Point — How does this passage apply to you and your GCG?