

Rivals To Faith

"He said to them, 'Where is your faith?' ..." Luke 8:25 (English Standard Version)

Fear Is A Rival To Faith

A. When fear stifled faith:

1. Numbers 13:30,31 - They were afraid of the people of _____, and would not go take the _____ Land.
2. Numbers 14:11 - "How long will they not _____ in Me?"
3. Luke 8:24,25 - The _____ were fearful of the _____.
Jesus asked, "_____ is your _____?"

B. Does fear keep us from _____, or from _____ of our faith?

Unbelief Is A Rival To Faith

A. When unbelief eclipsed faith:

1. Mark 16:14 - Why didn't the apostles _____ those who had seen _____?
2. Acts 19:8,9 - They chose not to believe so they could hold on to their _____ beliefs and customs.
3. 1 Timothy 1:13 - _____ was once affected by unbelief, but chose to believe when he saw _____.

B. Many don't acknowledge _____ because they can't _____ Him.

Worldliness Is A Rival To Faith

A. Here is where many _____ struggle. Many are in _____ with the things of this _____.

B. When worldliness turns people away from faith:

1. 1 Timothy 6:9,10 - The _____ of _____ will turn people away from the _____.
2. Colossians 3:5 - _____ is the same as _____.

Busyness Is A Rival To Faith

A. How busyness may hinder my faith:

1. Psalm 46:10 - We must be _____ to know _____.
2. Romans 10:17 - _____ comes by _____ the word of God.
3. Luke 10:38-42 - Can we learn from the examples of both _____ and _____?

B. How can faith _____ if we don't take _____ for God?

The _____ that wins is the one we _____.

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