

Abraham Believed God

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Abraham's faith was rooted in his personal confidence in God, which led him to glorify God by trusting in His word and leaning on His love and power.

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Description

A.B. Simpson emphasizes that Abraham's faith was rooted in a personal relationship with God, showcasing a deep trust in His character as a faithful Friend. Abraham's willingness to step into the unknown was a testament to his confidence in God's promises and love. The essence of glorifying God lies not in our actions but in allowing others to witness His power and goodness through our lives. Simpson encourages believers to lean fully on God, recognizing Him as our covenant partner and everlasting Friend. Ultimately, God seeks humble vessels to demonstrate His glory to the world.

Transcript

Abraham's faith reposed in God Himself. He knew the God he was dealing with. It was a personal confidence in One whom he could utterly trust. The real secret of Abraham's whole life was in his friendship with God. He knew God to be his great, good and faithful Friend. Taking Him at His word, he stepped out from all that he knew and loved and went forth upon an unknown pathway with none but God. In addition to trusting in the Word of God, have we learned to lean our whole weight upon God, the God of infinite love and power, our covenant God and everlasting Friend? We are told that Abraham glorified God by this life of faith. The truest way to glorify God is to let the world see what He is and what He can do.

God does not so much want us to do things as to let people see what He can do.

God is not looking for extraordinary characters as His instruments, but He is looking for humble instruments through whom He can be honored throughout the ages.

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