

# A Test of Faith

by George Mueller

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*George Müller's life was marked by faith, trust, and God's provision as he overcame obstacles to pursue his calling as a missionary.*

**Scripture:** Philippians 4:19, James 1:2

**Topics:** "Faith", "Divine Provision"

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## Description

George Müller shares his journey of faith, detailing how he faced financial struggles and the challenge of obtaining a passport for missionary training. Through prayer and reliance on God, he was provided with unexpected opportunities, such as teaching German to American professors, which met his needs. Despite the obstacles, including a serious illness during his training, Müller emphasizes the importance of trusting God in every circumstance and how faith can lead to divine provision and direction.

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## Transcript

Without his father's allowance George Müller was penniless. Very shortly after committing the problem to God he was asked to teach German to visiting American professors and for this he was paid much more than he actually needed.

The greatest obstacle George Müller had to overcome was the acquisition of a passport to attend a missionary training school in London, because he was expected to serve his national service. After much prayer he went through with the signing up process for the Army and following a series of medicals he was discharged from active service for life as being medically unfit.

George Müller in 1829 made his way to London to train as a missionary to the Jews. After only a short time at the missionary training school he became seriously ill and nearly died. It was whilst recuperating in the Devon town of Teignmouth that George Müller's life was to take another change of direction.

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