

Living by Faith

by Thomas Brooks

Living by faith means trusting in God's promises and provisions, leading to spiritual satisfaction and a greater appreciation for Christ.

Scripture: Matthew 6:33, John 10:10, Romans 1:17, 2 Corinthians 5:7, Galatians 2:20, Philippians 3:20, Colossians 3:2, 2 Timothy 4:7-8, Hebrews 11:1, 1 Peter 1:8-9

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Description

Thomas Brooks emphasizes that living by faith, as stated in 2 Corinthians 5:7, allows the soul to find satisfaction in God alone. This faith diminishes negative traits such as pride, self-love, impatience, and unbelief, while also reducing the allure of worldly pleasures. By living in faith, believers are presented with greater and sweeter promises in Christ, leading to a diminished value placed on earthly vanities.

Transcript

"We live by faith, not by sight." 2 Corinthians 5:7

Living by faith brings the soul to sit down satisfied

in the naked enjoyments of God.

Living by faith dries up the springs of . . .

pride,

self-love,

impatience,

murmuring,

unbelief, and

the carnal delights of this world.

Living by faith presents to the soul greater,

sweeter, and better things in Christ--than

anything this world can afford.

Living by faith lessens the soul's esteem

of all outward vanities.

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