

FAITH IN ACTION AGAINST ALL HOPE

PASTOR GREG MUNCK
SEPTEMBER 27, 2020

"What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? 15 Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. 16 If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? 17 In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead. 18 But someone will say, "You have faith; I have deeds." Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by my deeds. 19 You believe that there is one God. Good! Even the demons believe that—and shudder. 20 You foolish person, do you want evidence that faith without deeds is useless? 21 Was not our father Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? 22 You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did. 23 And the scripture was fulfilled that says, "Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness,"and he was called God's friend. 24 You see that a person is considered righteous by what they do and not by faith alone. 25 In the same way, was not even Rahab the prostitute considered righteous for what she did when she gave lodging to the spies and sent them off in a different direction? 26 As the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without deeds is dead." *James 2:14-26*

EMPTY vs. TRUE _____ v14

EMPTY vs. TRUE _____ v15-17

EMPTY vs. TRUE _____ v18-20

"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father who is In heaven will enter. *Matthew 7:21*

EMPTY vs. TRUE _____ v21-26

"I believe God made me for a purpose, but he also made me fast. And when I run I feel His pleasure." *Eric Liddell 1924*

"Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says". *James 1:22*

God has _____ you!

God has a _____ for you!

God has _____ you!

You see that a person is considered **righteous** by what they do and not by faith alone. *James 2:24*

**God made YOU for a purpose, but he also gifted you.
And when you serve Him and others with that gift
you feel His pleasure.**



PASTOR GREG MUNCK