

# Faith

## ***Judges 6:33-7:8***

A. Faith can come upon you, Judges 6:34

Spirit: wind, breath

Lord: Jehovah, the proper name for God, “the existing one”

Enveloped: to dress, be clothed

“Faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

Romans 10:17

B. Faith will lead to an action, Judges 6:34

C. Faith will challenge you, Judges 6:36-40

D. Faith will be tested, Judges 7:2-9

*Consider it a great joy, my brothers and sisters, whenever you experience various trials, because you know that the testing of your faith produces endurance. And let endurance have its full effect, so that you may be mature and complete, lacking nothing.*

James 1:2-4

1. God was testing their pride, Judges 7:2
2. God was testing those who were in faith vs. fear, Judges 7:3
3. God was testing their obedience, Judges 7:4

E. God was building their faith, Judges 7:8-9

Ways God will build your faith:

1. Previous victories
2. Pruning our lives
3. Through His promises

*“Author and finisher of our faith”*

Hebrews 12:2

4. His prayers for us

*“But the spirit Himself intercedes for us.”*

Romans 8:26