

THE LAW OF FAITH – 4
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REVIEW: ROMANS 3:27

- Faith is a spiritual law by which we access grace.
- There are conditions that must be met for its operation.
 1. Must be based on God's Word. **NUMBERS 23:19, PSALMS 89:34**
 2. Must ask and have the right motive. **JAMES 4:2-3**
 3. Must command when necessary. **ACTS 3:6**

CONTINUE:

4. We must believe we receive.
 - A. **MARK 11:24** – The prayer of faith is based on the law of faith. We believe we receive it in its invisible form in order to see it in its visible form.
 - B. **JAMES 1:5-8** – The emphasis is on our receiving, not God giving.
 - C. **DANIEL 10:10-14** – Daniels words were heard the day he prayed, but the answer was delayed by demon forces 21 days.
 - D. **1 JOHN 5:14-15** – We have the petition when we pray. Jesus understood this law. **JOHN 11:40-43** He knew the Father heard his faith declaration.
5. Must hold fast our confession.
 - A. **HEBREWS 3:1, 4:14-16** Profession is also confession.
 - B. **MATTHEW 10:32, PROVERBS 12:6**, this involves us in calling things which be not as though they are. **ROMANS 4:17**
 - C. **JOHN 12:42-43** – Confessing Christ is necessary.
6. Must act upon what we believe and confess.
 - A. **JAMES 2:26** – The body is inactive, inoperative, unfruitful and non-productive without the Spirit. Likewise, faith without corresponding actions is inactive, inoperative, unfruitful and non-productive without corresponding actions.
 - B. Abraham offered Isaac, Rahab hid the spies, Naaman dipped seven times, the woman with the blood issue said and did, Noah built an ark, and Israel marched around Jericho's walls.
7. Must stand against every opposing force.
 - A. **EPHESIANS 6:13-14, 2 CORINTHIANS 10:3-5.**
 - B. **HEBREWS 6:13-15** – Time can be a force of opposition. Miracles don't always happen instantly.

CONCLUSION:

God has done His part, now we must do ours. If we meet the conditions, we can expect great results.