

Don't Lose Hope

What are you hoping for? Hebrews 11:1 says that faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not yet seen. All of us have something that we are hoping for that we have not yet seen. Maybe we are hoping for healing in our bodies. Maybe we are hoping for a loved one to turn their life around and follow God. Maybe we are hoping to see change in our family, our community, and/or our workplace. It can be a struggle to hold on to hope, especially in the midst of situations that appear to be "hopeless." Doubt, fear, and unbelief try to rob us of our hope. These stand in direct opposition to faith in God and His promises. The onslaught of what we actually see takes a toll on our hope and the enemy knows it. That's why we have to have our hope anchored and secured into faith in Christ and His ability to bring it to pass. He alone knows all that must take place before our hope is made site.

I want to admonish and encourage you to hold on to your hopes. Abraham hoped against all hope to hold on to the promise God made to him. He did not waiver in doubt and unbelief. Even though his body was dead, Abraham believed that God could give his body new life, new hope. Whatever situation you may be facing today, anchor your hope into GOD. Put on the blinders of faith and hold on to what God has promised you with everything you have. Don't allow the enemy to steal your dreams and visions. Don't grow weary because in due season, at the just the right time, God will bring a harvest to you. Don't lose hope! Hope and keep on hoping!

In His Hope,
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Here is a poem that I wrote to share with you. I pray that it will be a source of encouragement to you.

DON'T LOSE HOPE
When the storms of life surround you
And it seems that all is lost
The peace of God will ground you
In a Hope that can't be tossed.

No mountain is too high
No valley is too deep

**No river is too wide
For God's love and grace to reach**

**So in the middle of your crisis
Whatever doubt may say
Don't lose the Hope that Christ is
The Light that guides your way**