

When
Faith
Gets **Real**
Hebrews 11

Relationships Aren't Exempt

Hebrews 11:20-22

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“To dwell up above with those we know, that will be glory! To live here below with those we know, that’s a different story.”

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“Normal, who’s normal? Not you, that’s for sure! No one you’ve ever met, either. None of us are normal according to God’s definition, and the closer we get to each other, the plainer that becomes. Yet for all our quirks, sins and jagged edges, we need each other.”

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“Community is more than just a word; it is one of our most fundamental requirements. So how do flawed, abnormal people such as ourselves master forces that can drive us apart and come together in the life-changing relationships God designed us for?” —**John Ortberg**

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²⁰By faith Isaac invoked future blessings on Jacob and Esau. ²¹By faith Jacob, when dying, blessed each of the sons of Joseph, bowing in worship over the head of his staff. ²²By faith Joseph, at the end of his life, made mention of the exodus of the Israelites and gave directions concerning his bones.

—**Hebrews 11:20-22 ESV**

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Real faith makes us “relatable” and influential for generations to come.

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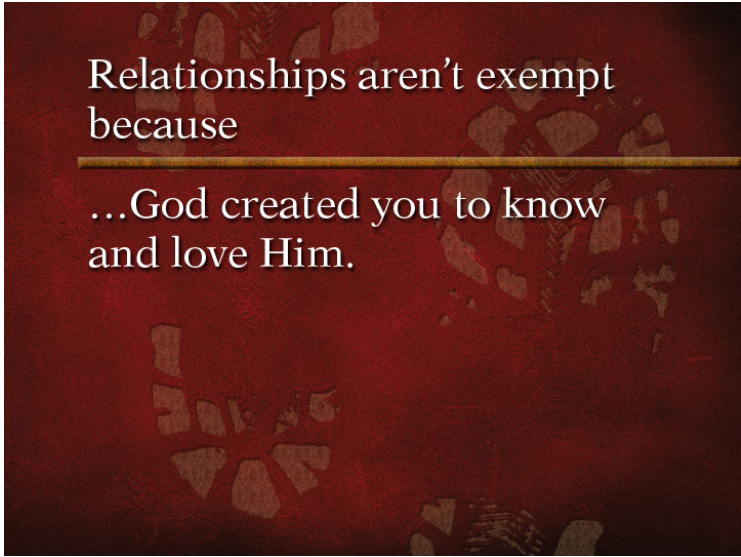


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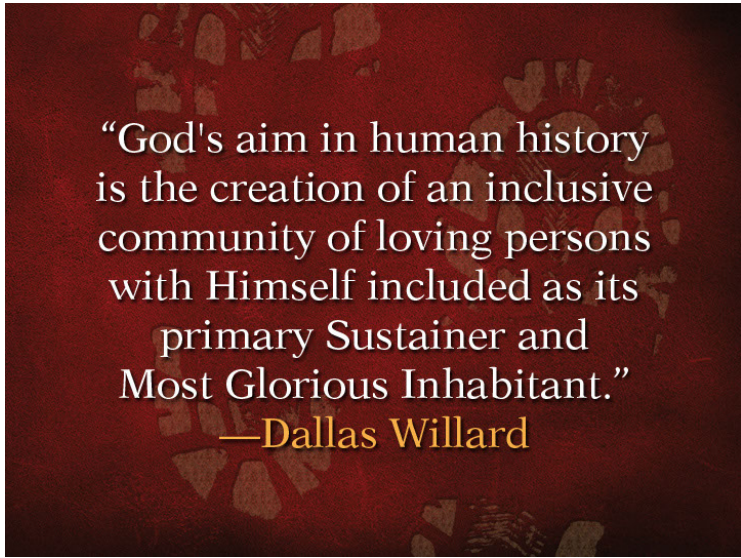
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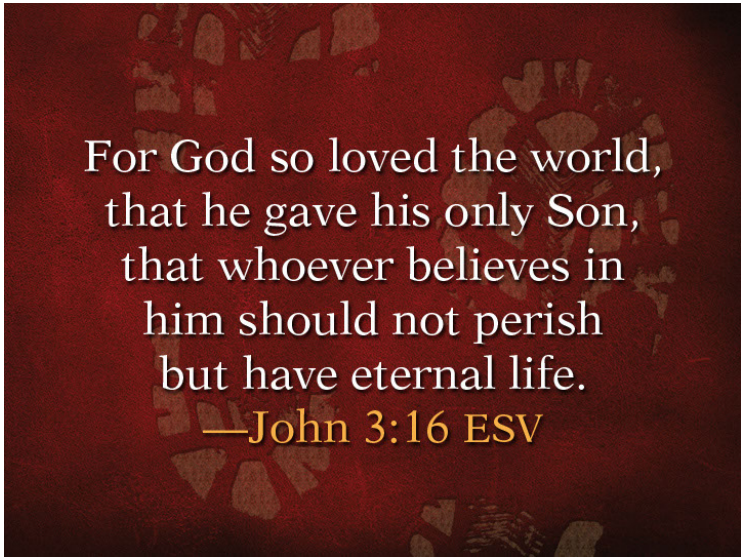
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“God's aim in human history
is the creation of an inclusive
community of loving persons
with Himself included as its
primary Sustainer and
Most Glorious Inhabitant.”

—Dallas Willard

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For God so loved the world,
that he gave his only Son,
that whoever believes in
him should not perish
but have eternal life.

—John 3:16 ESV

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Jesus answered him,
 “Truly, truly, I say to you,
 unless one is born again
 he cannot see the kingdom
 of God.” —John 3:3 ESV

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⁹By faith he went to live in
 the land of promise, as in a
 foreign land, living in tents with
 Isaac and Jacob, heirs with him
 of the same promise. ¹⁰For he
 was looking forward to the city
 that has foundations, whose
 designer and builder is God.

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¹³These all died in faith, not
 having received the things
 promised, but having seen
 them and greeted them from
 afar, and having acknowledged
 that they were strangers and
 exiles on the earth.
 —Hebrews 11:9-10, 13 ESV

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“Every society is only twenty
 years away from barbarism.
 Twenty years is all we have to
 accomplish the task of
 civilizing the infants who are
 born into our midst each
 year.” —Albert Siegel

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“The three patriarchs mentioned in Hebrews 11:20-22 illustrate the power of faith in facing death. These men had not always lived faithfully. They trusted God imperfectly, just as we do. All three men’s names appear frequently and favorably in Scripture, and we are inclined to think of them as models of the life of faith...

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What makes the dying faith of these men so significant is that, like Abraham, they died without seeing the fulfillment of God’s promises. They passed them on to their children by faith.”

—John MacArthur

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