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Stepping Over the Line into Faith

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“Now faith” is a Spirit, and either we are in it or we are not!

Peter stepped over the line of no return when he responded to the instructions of the Lord to step out of the boat and onto the waters.

And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, Bid me come unto thee on the water. And He said, Come. (Matthew 14:28-29)

As Peter obeyed in faith, he could do the impossible, namely, walk on the water.

Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego stepped over the line into Faith when they said that they were not going to bow to the King's command and worship the golden image, regardless of what the king would do to them. (Daniel 3:16-18)

And they, too, got to experience a wonderful miracle because of their faith and obedience.

They were totally unharmed by the fire, although it killed the men that threw them into it.

Stepping over the line into faith is like parachute jumping from an airplane, one just has to make up one's mind, before hand, and then just do it.

Faith is an action word, as we can see in James 1:22: and without faith it is impossible to please (receive from) God.
(Hebrews 11:6)

If we say that we are believing God and yet are asking Him over and over for the same thing, we are not in faith but rather in hope--hoping that the Lord will have pity on us, and maybe answer us for the sake of our many prayers.

Now, what can you do today to step over the line into faith?

Before you do anything, remember to read the Word and pray until you hear the voice of the Spirit of God. Then act on what He tells you to do, and you will find that the impossible suddenly becomes totally possible.

But as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also. (James 2:18)

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