

A LITTLE FAITH EQUALS DOUBT

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Matthew 14: 26 -31 And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying it is a spirit; and they cried out for fear.

But straight way Jesus spake unto them, saying, be of good cheer: it is I: be not afraid.

And Jesus said come, and when Peter was come down out of the ship he walked on the water, to go to Jesus.

But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, saying LORD save me.

And immediately Jesus stretched forth His hand, and caught him, and said unto him, O thou of little faith, wherefore didst thou doubt?

PETER'S LITTLE FAITH WAS DOUBT.
WHEN HE BEGAN TO SINK, JESUS'
MERCY STEPPED IN AND SAVED HIM,
WHEN DOUBT WAS ABOUT TO
DROWN HIM.

There was other times when Jesus condemned His disciples for having a little faith.

Read Matthew 6 : 30, and Matthew 8 : 24 - 26

MUSTARD SEED FAITH IS NOT A LITTLE FAITH, IT IS A GREAT FAITH.

A little faith is unsure, unstable, it is simply doubt.

Mustard seed faith is a TRIED faith.

I Peter 1:6 - 7 Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations:

That the TRIAL of your FAITH, being

much more precious than gold that perisheth, though it be TRIED with FIRE, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ:

I Corinthians 3: 15and the FIRE shall TRY every man's work of what sort it is.

GOD SAID THAT HE WOULD BRING THE THIRD PART THROUGH THE FIRE, AND WILL REFINED THEM AS SILVER IS REFINED, AND WILL TRY THEM AS GOLD IS TRIED:....(ZECHARIAH 13 : 9)

Isaiah 48: 10 Behold I have refined thee, but not with silver; I have chosen thee in the furnace of affliction.

Job 23 : 10 But He knoweth the way that I take: when He hath TRIED me, I shall come forth as gold.