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Exceedingly Growing Faith Series - Part 3: Keep Your Eyes on Jesus

The Bible teaches that our faith can grow exceedingly. One essential principle for faith to grow exceedingly is to keep your eyes on Jesus.

1 Two ways you can keep your eyes on Jesus

1.1 Remove every obstacle to faith - Hebrews 12:1

1.2 Look beyond the problem to Jesus – Hebrews 12:2

1.2.1 Peter began to sink when he took his eyes off of Jesus – Matthew 14:26-30

1.3 Consider Jesus in everything – Hebrews 3:1

2 Abraham kept his eyes on the promise, and God

2.1 Abraham and Sarah began with no faith – Genesis 17:17-18

2.2 Abraham did three things that caused his faith to grow

#1 He did not ignore the natural circumstances – Romans 4:19

#2 He continued to look to God's promise – Romans 4:18, 20, 21

#3 He continued to look to God - Romans 4:21

2.3 The result was strong faith that received the promise in impossible circumstances

Conclusion: Do you desire for your faith to grow exceedingly, live a happy, blessed life, and accomplish God's will for your life? Then keep your eyes on Jesus, consider all Jesus has done for you and given to you. Then, follow Abraham's example, and your faith will grow exceedingly.

Discussion Questions:

1. What does it mean to keep your eyes on Jesus?
2. What does it mean to consider Jesus?
3. What three things did Abraham do that caused his faith to grow exceedingly?