

HEBREWS
Our Superior Savior
By Faith they Endured ~ The Community's Past Challenges
Age to Age Examples of Faith
Hebrews 11:32-40

PASTOR'S PRAYER

Almighty God, You are the King of kings, Lord of lords and Victorious Sovereign of all creation. You are worthy of all praise, worship and exaltation this morning and forevermore. We confess this morning attempts to be sovereign. We confess our exaggerated ability and our presumptuous pride. Lord, we confess this morning that we are not able and you are all powerful, all knowing and everywhere present. Thank you. Lord, grant us this morning faith to trust you in our times of struggle and hardship. Grant us grace that we might be sustained and encouraged along our way to your kingdom. Lord, thank you for giving us your Word, the examples of the saints of old and one another today that we might be established and built up in our faith. You are a good God. You have delivered your people in the past & your have sustained your people through suffering. Thank you. Would you accomplish this kind of confident faith in us this morning that we may find our great rest, comfort and hope in Jesus Christ & Him crucified this morning. For it is in His name we pray these things. Amen & Amen.

Central Textual Truth

The Hebrews pastor wanted his congregation to live in triumphant faith as the saints of old.

Central Sermon Aim

I want SGBC to live in triumphant faith as the saints of old.

OUTLINE

- A. Delivered through Faith (vv. 32-35a)
 - 1. The Faithful Examples
 - 2. The Faithful Victories : Political, Personal, Emotional, Final
- B. Suffered through Faith (vv. 35b-38)
 - 1. Volitional Suffering
 - 2. Continual Suffering
 - 3. Fatal Suffering
 - 4. Material Suffering
- C. Commended through Faith (vv. 39-40)