

GOD IS FAITHFUL TO HIS PROMISES.
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Hebrews 10:23-AMP

23 So let us seize and hold fast and retain without wavering the hope we cherish and confess and our acknowledgement of it, for He Who promised is reliable (sure) and faithful to His word.

The scriptures bible: ...Let us hold fast the confession of our expectation without yielding, for He who promised is trustworthy.

Passion - So now we must cling tightly to the hope that lives within us, knowing that God always keeps his promises!

1. WE NEED TO EXPECT GOD TO FULFILL WHAT HE SAID HE WOULD DO.

Psalms 62:5 – AMP

5 My soul, wait only upon God and silently submit to Him; for my hope and expectation are from Him.

6 He only is my Rock and my Salvation; He is my Defense and my Fortress, I shall not be moved.

Passion – 5 I am standing in absolute stillness, silent before the one I love, waiting as long as it takes for him to rescue me. Only God is my Savior, and he will not fail me.

6 For he alone is my safe place. His wrap-around presence always protects me as my champion defender. There's no risk of failure with God! So why would I let worry paralyze me, even when troubles multiply around me?

Numbers 23:19-AMP

19 God is not a man, that He should tell or act a lie, neither the son of man, that He should feel repentance or compunction= (reservation, regret, reluctance, doubt) [for what He has promised]. Has He said and shall He not do it? Or has He spoken and shall He not make it good?

2. WHEN EVERYTHING AND EVERYONE REMAINS FAITHLESS, HE STILL REMAINS FAITHFUL.

2Timothy 2:13-AMP

... If we are faithless [do not believe and are untrue to Him], He remains true (faithful to His Word and His righteous character), for He cannot deny Himself.

Deuteronomy 7:9-AMP

9 Know, recognize, and understand therefore that the Lord your God, He is God, the faithful God, Who keeps covenant and steadfast love and mercy with those who love Him and keep His commandments, to a thousand generations, ...

Message Bible: Know this, God, your God is God indeed, a God you can depend upon.

Isaiah 40:8-CJB

8 The grass dries up, the flower fades; but the word of our God will stand forever."

3. WE NEED TO BE LOYAL IF WE WANT TO SEE THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD.

Psalms 27:13-14-AMP

13 [What, what would have become of me] had I not believed that I would see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living!

14 Wait and hope for and expect the Lord; be brave and of good courage and let your heart be stout and enduring. Yes, wait for and hope for and expect the Lord. NLT-...Wait patiently for the LORD. Be brave and courageous. Yes, wait patiently for the LORD.

Passion – 14 Here's what I've learned through it all: Don't give up; don't be impatient; be entwined as one with the Lord. Be brave and courageous, and never lose hope. Yes, keep on waiting—for he will never disappoint you!

Loyal: the act of binding yourself to a course of action. It's the act of being constant.

To be "constant" is to be free from any changes that take place, no matter good or bad, and to refuse to become distracted.

Proverbs 28:20-AMP

20 A faithful man shall abound with blessings,...

What does it mean to "expect"?

Expect - to possess a strong belief that some event will eventually happen.

Expectancy – is looking with pleasure and excitement to something taking place.

2Corinthians 1:20-AMP

20 For as many as are the promises of God, they all find their Yes [answer] in Him [Christ]. For this reason we also utter the Amen (Amein) (so be it) to God through Him [in His Person and by His agency] to the glory of God.

Yes, means affirmative and amen/amein means so be it.

1 Kings 8:56-AMP

"...there has not failed one word of all His good promise..."