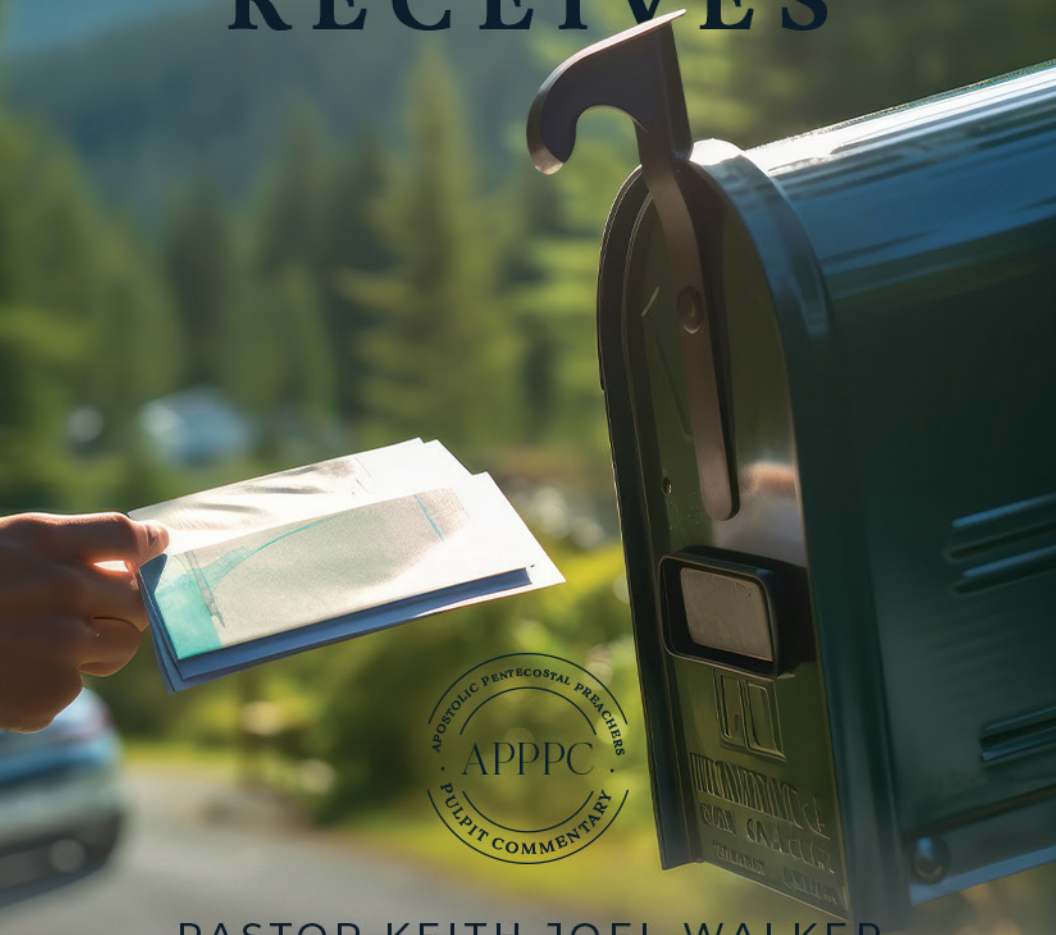


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## 1. Faith

- Greek Word: Pistis (πίστις)
- Signifies trust, confidence, or reliance on someone or something, particularly in the context of faith in God and Jesus Christ.

## 2. Believe

- Greek Word: Pisteuo (πιστεύω)
- Means to have faith in, to trust, or to rely upon. It is commonly used in the context of believing in Jesus and His teachings.

## 3. Receive

- Greek Word: Lambano (λαμβάνω)
- Means to take, accept, or receive. In the context of faith and belief, it often refers to receiving blessings, salvation, or healing.

### Key Scriptures in the Gospels

#### Faith, Believe, and Receive

##### 1. Mark 11:24

- “Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours.”

##### 2. John 1:12

- “But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.”

### 3. John 14:13-14

- “And whatever you ask in my name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.”

### 4. Luke 8:48 (The Woman with the Issue of Blood)

- “And he said to her, ‘Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace.’”

### 5. Matthew 9:22 (The Woman with the Issue of Blood)

- “Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, ‘Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well.’ And instantly the woman was made well.”

### 6. John 6:35

- “Jesus said to them, ‘I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.’”

### 7. John 11:40

- “Jesus said to her, ‘Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?’”

### 8. Matthew 21:22

- “And whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith.”

## Additional New Testament Scriptures on Faith and Belief

### 1. Romans 10:9-10

- “If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes and is justified, and with the mouth one confesses and is saved.”

### 2. Acts 16:31

- “And they said, ‘Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved, you and your household.’”

### 3. Hebrews 11:1

- “Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen.”

### 4. James 1:6

- “But let him ask in faith, with no doubting, for the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea that is driven and tossed by the wind.”

### 5. 2 Corinthians 5:7

- “For we walk by faith, not by sight.”

### 6. Ephesians 3:20

- “Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power

at work within us.”

## Old Testament Examples of Faith, Belief, and Receiving

### 1. Abraham (Genesis 15:6)

- “And he believed the Lord, and he counted it to him as righteousness.”
- Abraham’s faith led to the promise of descendants and the covenant.

### 2. Moses and the Israelites (Exodus 14:13-14)

- “And Moses said to the people, ‘Fear not, stand firm, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will work for you today.’”
- The Israelites believed in God’s deliverance and received salvation from the Egyptians.

### 3. Hannah’s Prayer (1 Samuel 1:20)

- “And in due time Hannah conceived and bore a son, and she called his name Samuel, for she said, ‘I have asked for him from the Lord.’”
- Hannah’s faith in God led to her receiving the child she prayed for.

### 4. David (Psalm 27:13-14)

- “I believe that I shall look upon the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living! Wait for the Lord; be strong, and let your heart take courage; wait for the Lord!”

- David's faith in God's goodness assures him of future blessings.

#### 5. The Widow of Zarephath (1 Kings 17:15)

- "And she went and did as Elijah said. And she and he and her household ate for many days."
- Her belief in Elijah's word led to miraculous provision during a famine.

#### 6. Daniel in the Lion's Den (Daniel 6:23)

- "Then the king was exceedingly glad and commanded that Daniel be taken up out of the den. So Daniel was taken up out of the den, and no kind of harm was found on him because he had trusted in his God."
- Daniel's faith in God led to divine protection and deliverance.

#### 7. Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego (Daniel 3:17-18)

- "If this be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of your hand, O king. But if not, be it known to you, O king, that we will not serve your gods."
- Their faith led to miraculous deliverance from the fiery furnace.

#### 8. The Israelites at Jericho (Joshua 6:20)

- "So the people shouted, and the trumpets were blown. As soon as the people heard the sound of the trumpet, they shouted a great shout, and the wall fell

down flat.”

- The Israelites’ faith and obedience led to the miraculous victory over Jericho.

## Conclusion

The New Testament and Old Testament provide numerous examples demonstrating that faith and belief in God lead to receiving His promises, blessings, and miracles. This theme is crucial for believers today, emphasizing the importance of trusting in God and confidently expecting to receive what they have prayed for and believed in.