



The Focus word for August is Faith

The verse for week 32 August 2 - 8th

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding." Proverbs 3:6 NLT

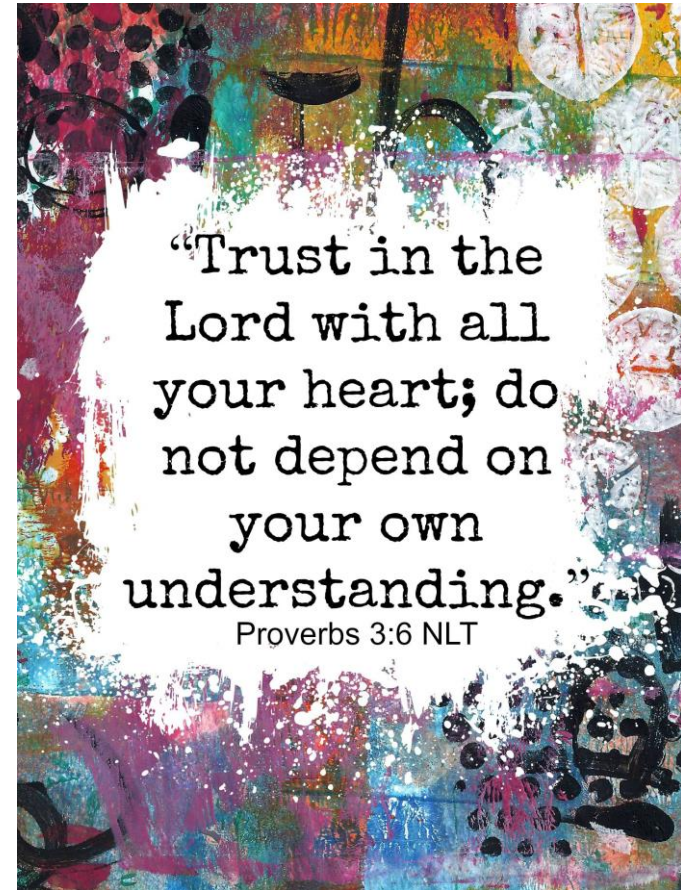
Anytime we demonstrate faith, we're relying on something. Faith in God means we rely on him and depend on his reliability. Having faith means realizing that God is bigger, greater, and better than me and that He love me.

It is not easy to live by faith. We live in a very broken world and started the moment Adam and Eve got booted out of the Garden of Eden. Dang it!

The weather is messed up, our bodies are messed up, our relationships are messed up, the list goes on and on and sometimes it would seem easier to just throw in the towel but God promises us that there is hope and a future (along with many more promises.) He also gives us a choice to trust Him..and that right there is FAITH. Faith is not a 50/50 thing. You can't have faith in God for a few things and then have faith in yourself for the other things. Faith is not just optimism or positive thinking.



Faith is the confident assurance that God is in control of the future and that He plans what is best for my life. He does that because he loves us.



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