

Why were these people chosen as examples for us to imitate?

1. They were _____
2. They faced _____
3. They faced discouragements: temporary _____, frequent _____, harsh _____.
4. They had family _____ Cultural _____ Physical _____ .
Personal _____. Bad _____.
5. They knew _____
6. They had _____ from God
7. They did not have the _____ of promises but saw them at a _____.

What general behaviors of these heroes can we imitate?

ABEL - Hebrews 11:4-5

ENOCH - Hebrews 11:5

NOAH - Hebrews 11:7-11

ABRAHAM - Hebrews 11:8-22

SARAH - Hebrews 11:11

ISAAC - Hebrews 11:20

JACOB - Hebrews 11:21

JOSEPH - Hebrews 11:22

What was required of them? Every situation required a sacrifice of _____.

Hebrews 2:11-13 ¹¹ For both He who sanctifies and those who are being sanctified are all of one, for which reason He is not ashamed to call them brethren, ¹² saying:..... ¹³ And again: "I will put My trust in Him.

Hebrews 2:17 Therefore, in all things He had to be made like His brethren, that He might be a merciful and faithful High Priest in things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people

Hebrews 3:1-2 Therefore, holy brethren, partakers of the heavenly calling, consider the Apostle and High Priest of our confession, Christ Jesus, ² who was faithful to Him who appointed Him, as Moses also was faithful in all His house.

Hebrews 3:12 Beware, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief in departing from the living God;

Hebrews 3:19 So we see that they could not enter in because of unbelief.

Hebrews 4:2 For indeed the gospel was preached to us as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in those who heard it.

Hebrews 6:1 Therefore, leaving the discussion of the elementary principles of Christ, let us go on to perfection, not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works and of faith toward God

Hebrews 6:12 that you do not become sluggish, but imitate those who through faith and patience inherit the promises.

Hebrews 10:22-23 let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water. ²³ Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful.

Hebrews 10:38-39 Now the just shall live by faith; But if anyone draws back, My soul has no pleasure in him." But we are not of those who draw back to perdition, but of those who believe to the saving of the soul

Hebrews 11:1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Hebrews 11:6 But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him

Hebrews 11:39 And all these, having obtained a good testimony through faith, did not receive the promise

Hebrews 12:2 looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Hebrews 13:7 Remember those who rule over you, who have spoken the word of God to you, whose faith follow, considering the outcome of their conduct.