

Transformed

How God Changes Us

Part 2

Inspired by Rick Warren



“... we can be mirrors that brightly reflect the glory of the Lord. And as the Spirit of the Lord works within us, we become more and more like him.”

2 Corinthians 3:18 (The Living Bible)

Transformation Requires



“... without faith it is impossible to please God...” **Hebrews 11:6a (NIV)**

“... everything that does not come from faith is sin.” **Romans 14:23 (NIV)**

“They went right into the house where he was staying, and Jesus asked them, “Do you believe I can make you see?” “Yes, Lord,” they told him, “we do.” Then he touched their eyes and said, “Because of your faith it will happen.””

Matthew 9:28–29 (The Living Bible)

God Tests our Faith through _____



“... the going is rough for a while down here. These trials are only to test your faith, to see whether or not it is strong and pure. It is being tested as fire tests gold and purifies it—and your faith is far more precious to God than mere gold...” **1 Peter 1:6–7 (The Living Bible)**

So how do you pass the test of difficulties?

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“Whatever happens, my dear brothers and sisters, rejoice in the Lord. I never get tired of telling you these things, and I do it to safeguard your faith.” **Philippians 3:1(NLT)**

God Tests our Faith through _____



“Then the Lord said to Moses, “I will rain down bread from heaven for you. The people are to go out each day and gather enough for that day. In this way I will test them and see whether they will follow my instructions.” **Exodus 16:4 (NIV84)**

How do we pass the test of demands?

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“... Abraham obeyed when God called him to leave home ...”
Hebrews 11:8 (NLT)

God Tests our Faith with _____



“Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine.” **Proverbs 3:9–10 (NIV84)**

How do you pass the test of dollars?

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“Give to others, and God will give to you. Indeed, you will receive a full measure, a generous helping, poured into your hands—all that you can hold. The measure you use for others is the one that God will use for you.” **Luke 6:38 (GNB)**

God Tests our Faith with _____



“...when the way is rough, your patience has a chance to grow. So let it grow, and don't try to squirm out of your problems. For when your patience is finally in full bloom, then you will be ready for anything, strong in character, full and complete.” **James 1:2–4 (The Living Bible)**

What happens while you are waiting?

“For since the world began, no ear has heard and no eye has seen a God like you, who works for those who wait for him!”
Isaiah 64:4 (NLT)