

A person in dark clothing stands on a wooden pier, looking out at a misty ocean with mountains in the background. A large white circle is superimposed over the scene, containing the text 'PARTING FAITH'.

PARTING FAITH

WHAT HAPPENS
WHEN YOU
HAVE FAITH

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What Faith is Not ...



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1. something you can see



A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out at a calm lake. In the background, there are mountains under a soft, hazy sky. The person is wearing dark clothing and is seen from behind.

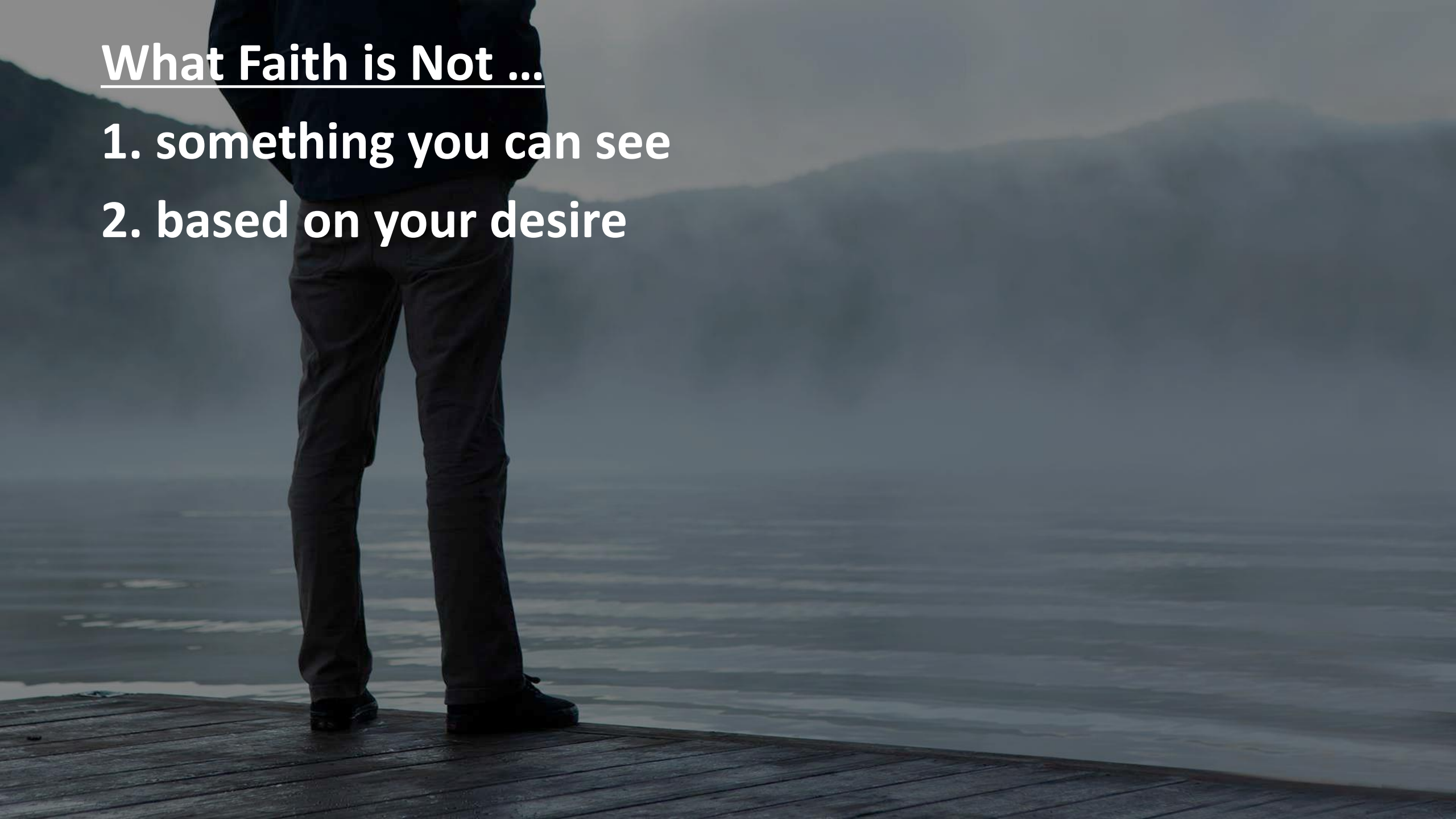
What Faith is Not ...

1. something you can see

Now faith is the assurance of things hoped for, the conviction of things not seen. – Hebrews 11:1

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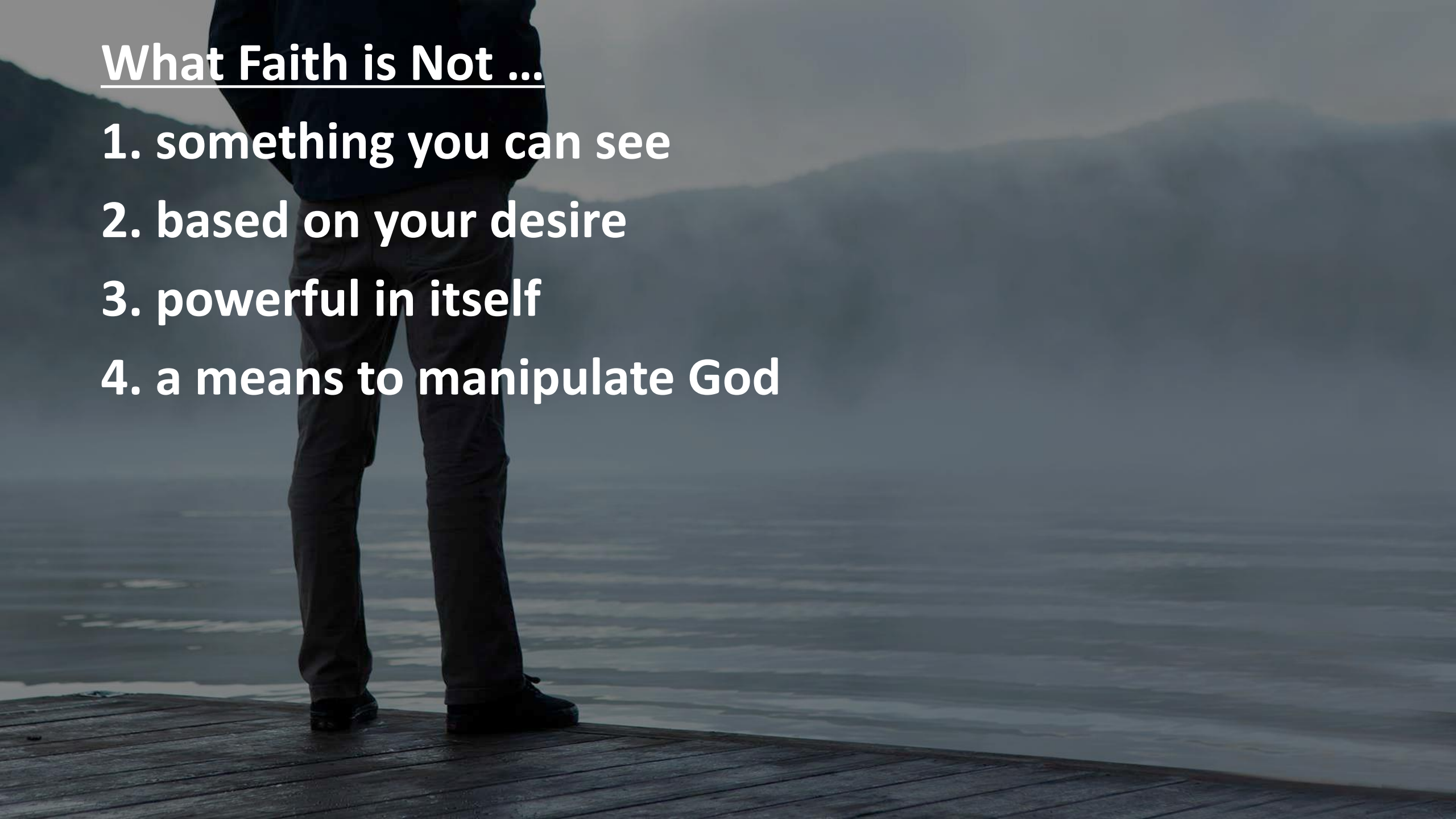
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What Faith is Not ...

1. something you can see
2. based on your desire
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4. a means to manipulate God
5. the object of your faith

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out over a calm body of water towards a range of mountains in the distance. The scene is captured in a soft, slightly desaturated light, possibly during dawn or dusk. The person is seen from behind, wearing dark clothing. The text is overlaid on the left side of the image.

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*looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith –
Hebrews 12:2a, ESV*

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Hebrews 11:2, NIV

Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

**FAITH IS SEEING FROM
GOD'S POINT OF VIEW**

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out at a misty lake with mountains in the background. The person is wearing a dark jacket and light-colored pants. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting dawn or dusk. The text "2 Kings 6:15-17" is overlaid on the image in a white, sans-serif font, underlined, and set against a dark blue rectangular background.

2 Kings 6:15-17

A person in a dark jacket and trousers stands on a wooden pier, looking out over a calm lake towards distant mountains. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting dawn or dusk. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

2 Kings 6:17

Then Elisha prayed and said, “O Lord, please open his eyes that he may see.” So the Lord opened the eyes of the young man, and he saw, and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.





A person in a dark jacket and light-colored pants stands with their back to the camera on a wooden pier. They are looking out over a calm body of water that is partially shrouded in mist. In the distance, a range of mountains is visible under a soft, overcast sky. The overall mood is contemplative and serene.

YOUR FAITH IS

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**WHERE YOU
LOOK WHEN
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OR UNCERTAIN**

A person in a dark jacket and trousers stands with their back to the camera on a wooden pier. They are looking out over a calm body of water that reflects the surrounding misty landscape. In the distance, mountains are visible through the haze. The overall mood is contemplative and serene.

When We Trust in Self ...

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When We Trust in Self ...

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out over a calm body of water towards a range of mountains in the distance. The scene is captured in a soft, slightly desaturated light, possibly during dawn or dusk. The person's legs and feet are visible in the foreground, standing on the wooden planks of the pier.

When We Trust in Self ...

1. We exaggerate our difficulties

They gave Moses this account: “We went into the land to which you sent us, and it does flow with milk and honey! Here is its fruit. But the people who live there are powerful, and the cities are fortified and very large. We even saw descendants of Anak there -
Numbers 13:27-28

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When We Trust in Self ...

- 1. We exaggerate our difficulties (Numbers 13:27-28)**
- 2. We underestimate what God can do in us.**

We saw the Nephilim there (the descendants of Anak come from the Nephilim). We seemed like grasshoppers in our own eyes, and we looked the same to them. - Numbers 13:33

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When We Trust in Self ...

1. **We exaggerate our difficulties** (Numbers 13:27-28)
2. **We underestimate what God can do in us.** (Numbers 13:3)
3. **We get discouraged**

That night all the members of the community raised their voices and wept aloud. All the Israelites grumbled against Moses and Aaron, and the whole assembly said to them, “If only we had died in Egypt! Or in this wilderness! - Num 14:1-2

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4. **We blame God**

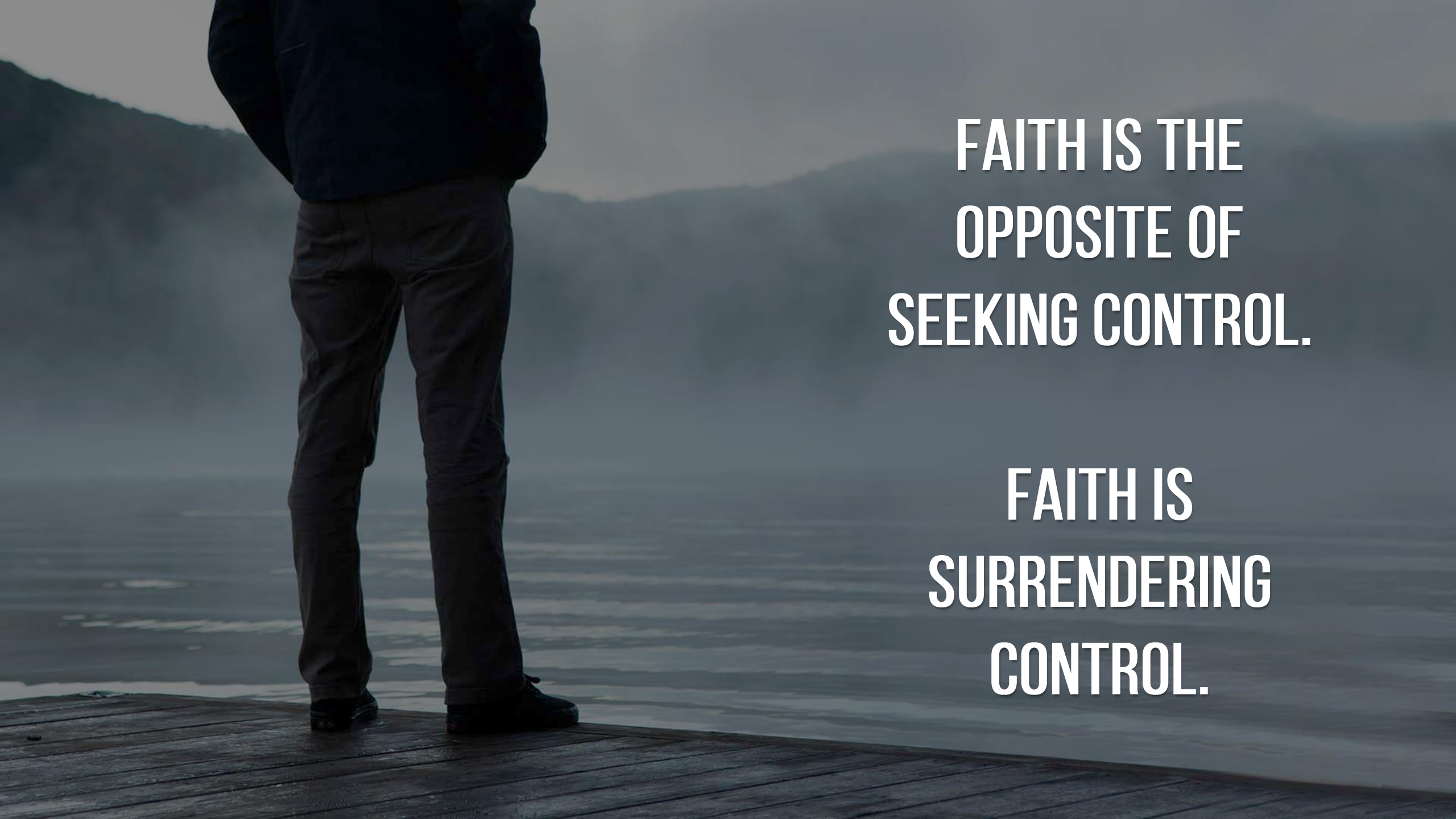
Why is the Lord bringing us to this land only to let us fall by the sword? Our wives and children will be taken as plunder.

Wouldn't it be better for us to go back to Egypt? – Num. 14:3

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2. We underestimate what God can do in us. (Numbers 13:3)
3. We get discouraged (Numbers 14:1-2)
4. We blame God (Numbers 14:3)
5. FEAR!!



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**FAITH IS THE
OPPOSITE OF
SEEKING CONTROL.**

**FAITH IS
SURRENDERING
CONTROL.**

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out over a large body of water. The water is calm, and the background features misty mountains. The person is wearing a dark jacket and light-colored trousers. The text "When We Trust in GOD ..." is overlaid on the image, underlined.

When We Trust in GOD ...

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out over a large body of water. The water is calm and reflects the light. In the background, there are mountains and a hazy sky. The person is wearing a dark jacket and pants. The text is overlaid on the image.

When We Trust in GOD ...

1. Not our difficulties, but God's strength

A person is standing on a wooden pier, looking out over a calm body of water. In the background, there are misty mountains. The scene is serene and contemplative.

When We Trust in GOD ...

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2. Not what we can do, but what Christ has done

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When We Trust in GOD ...

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3. Not discouragement, but **Freedom**
4. **NO FEAR!!**

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1 John 4:18a

There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear.





**“I SEARCHED
THE HEAVENS
AND I FOUND
NO GOD”**

**- YURI
GAGARIN**





**“I
SAW
GOD
EVERYWHERE!”**

— JOHN GLENN

John 3:3



*Jesus replied, “Very truly
I tell you, no one can see
the kingdom of God
unless they are born
again.”*