

# ***The Rock Church***

***... Loving God***

***... Loving People***

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## **STAYING CREATIVE IN A DESTRUCTIVE WORLD**

In a day when the world is experiencing economic changes, physical and mental attacks from epidemic diseases and continuous wars between nations, God our Heavenly Father has provided a way for all people to stay positive and stay CREATIVE.

The Bible tells us that God so loved this world (people, races and nations) that He gave His only begotten Son, Jesus, that whoever believes in Him would not (by any means) perish but have everlasting life (John 3:16). As we take God at His Word and continually live by faith in His Love and Truth, we are guaranteed access to His CREATIVE POWER by His Holy Spirit. Many times in the Scriptures God has declared to His people, "DO NOT BE AFRAID" (Mark 6:50).

Faith is God's Creative Power!

### **SOME THOUGHTS ON FAITH....**

Faith is a RELATIONSHIP and a LIFESTYLE. (Romans 1: 16, 17)

Faith is a continuous response to the Covenant Love of God our Father. (John 10: 27-29)

Faith and Love cannot exist separately. (1 Corinthians 13:2)

Faith has its source and its anchor in the

1. Worship of the Person of Jesus.
2. Words of the Person of Jesus.
3. Works of the Person of Jesus.

My prayer is that as you continue to look to Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith (Hebrews 12:2), you will stand strong in Him and in His Creative Power in a troubled world.

In Hebrews 11:6 we see that living by faith not only blesses the Father's Heart but releases His Blessing on US!!

**YOU ARE BLESSED!!**

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