

# Do It Afraid Part 1

## 2 Timothy 1:7 (AMPC)

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity (of cowardice, of craven and cringing and fawning fear), but [He has given us a spirit] of power and of love and of calm and well-balanced mind and discipline and self-control.

## Psalm 118:6 (AMPC)

The Lord is on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me?

## Romans 14:23 (AMPC)

But the man who has doubts (misgivings, an uneasy conscience) about eating, and then eats [perhaps because of you], stands condemned [before God], because he is not true to his convictions and he does not act from faith. For whatever does not originate and proceed from faith is sin [whatever is done without a conviction of its approval by God is sinful].

## Hebrews 13:5 (AMPC)

Let your character or moral disposition be free from love of money [including greed, avarice, lust, and craving for earthly possessions] and be satisfied with your present [circumstances and with what you have]; for He [God] Himself has said, I will not in any way fail you nor give you up nor leave you without support. [I will] not, [I will] not, [I will] not in any degree leave you helpless nor forsake nor let [you] down (relax My hold on you)! [Assuredly not!]FootnotesHebrews 13:5Marvin Vincent, Word Studies. Hebrews 13:5Marvin Vincent, Word Studies. Hebrews 13:5Marvin Vincent, Word Studies. Hebrews 13:5Kenneth Wuest, Word Studies: Three negatives precede the verb. Hebrews 13:5Kenneth Wuest, Word Studies: Three negatives precede the verb. Hebrews 13:5Marvin Vincent, Word Studies. Hebrews 13:5Alexander Souter, Pocket Lexicon.

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But without faith it is impossible to please and be satisfactory to Him. For whoever would come near to God must [necessarily] believe that God exists and that He is the rewarder of those who earnestly and diligently seek Him [out].

## John 6:28-29 (AMPC)

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## Romans 12:3 (AMPC)

For by the grace (unmerited favor of God) given to me I warn everyone among you not to estimate and think of himself more highly than he ought [not to have an exaggerated opinion of his own importance], but to rate his ability with sober judgment, each according to the degree of faith apportioned by God to him.

## Romans 12:3 (NIV)

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## Psalm 118:6 (NIV)

The Lord is with me; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?

## John 10:10 (AMPC)

The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance (to the full, till it overflows). FootnotesJohn 10:10Alexander Souter, Pocket Lexicon of the Greek New Testament.

## Romans 1:17 (AMPC)

For in the Gospel a righteousness which God ascribes is revealed, both springing from faith and leading to faith [disclosed through the way of faith that arouses to more faith]. As it is written, The man who through faith is just and upright shall live and shall live by faith.

## Mark 11:23-24 (AMPC)

Truly I tell you, whoever says to this mountain, Be lifted up and thrown into the sea! and does not doubt at all in his heart but believes that what he says will take place, it will be done for him. For this reason I am telling you, whatever you ask for in prayer, believe (trust and be confident) that it is granted to you, and you will [get it].

## 1 Thessalonians 2:13 (AMPC)

And we also [especially] thank God continually for this, that when you received the message of God [which you heard] from us, you welcomed it not as the word of [mere] men, but as it truly is, the Word of God, which is effectually at work in you who believe [exercising its superhuman power in those who adhere to and trust in and rely on it]. Footnotes1 Thessalonians 2:13Marvin Vincent, Word Studies.

## Joshua 1:1-3 (NIV)

1 After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord , the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: "Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites. I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses.

## Joshua 1:6 (NIV)

Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them.

## Joshua 1:9 (NIV)

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."