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## Prayer Partner Letter

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Dear Prayer Partner,

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*For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith for faith, as it is written, "The righteous shall live by faith."*

*[Romans 1:17 ESV]*

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God showed me something just now. The righteous live by faith. That means that everything in the Kingdom of God is within reach. **Anyone** can believe. So, if we live by faith, then we all **can** live by faith. If righteousness was achieved by **any** kind of works, then someone could say, "I was not capable of doing that!" But all of us can choose to believe God. It is not about how we feel. Faith is not a confident feeling. It is a decision to believe what God says about the situation, **regardless** of how I feel.

You say, "But Brother Kerr, I just don't have that kind of faith!" That too is on the bottom shelf!

How do I **get** faith?

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*So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.*

*[Romans 10:17 KJV]*

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If you put the Word of God in your ears, you will put the Word of God in your **heart**! When you do that, God says that faith **will come**. He cannot lie, and He said this is the way to cause faith to come. What is it that you are wanting to believe God for? Start putting what the Word says about that into your heart. Find what God has already said about your situation in His Word. Then believe that is what He will do.

When God put Adam in the garden, he gave him everything he needed to rule his situation in the Kingdom of God. Jesus death and resurrection has purchased those resources back to us. Once again, all the resources of the Kingdom are in our reach! We have the means to obey the first order from God again.

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*And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.*

*[Genesis 1:28 KJV]*

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Have dominion!

We were created to rule in God's Kingdom.

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*Rev 1:6 And hath made us kings and priests unto God and his Father; to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.*

*Rev 5:10 And hast made us unto our God kings and priests: and we shall reign on the earth.*

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It is time we stop saying, "Well, that's the best I can do *under the circumstances*." Do not live *under* the circumstances! Dominate them! "Have dominion!" It was purchased for us! It is within reach!

1. Put the Word in your mouth.<sup>1</sup>
2. Faith will rise in your heart.<sup>2</sup>
3. Bring your circumstances into subjection to the Word.
  - a. That is what Jesus meant when He said, "Pray...Thy kingdom come, thy will [Word] be done on earth as it is in heaven."<sup>3</sup>
4. Have dominion!<sup>4</sup>

God bless each of you,

John Kerr      Isaiah 50:7, 42:6,7

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<sup>1</sup> Joshua 1:8, Psalm 1:3

<sup>2</sup> Romans 10:17

<sup>3</sup> Matthew 6:10, Like 2:11

<sup>4</sup> Genesis 1:28