

**Unstoppable Faith Starts With a Risen Savior!**  
**Unstoppable: Faith That Won't Quit! Pt. 1**  
**1 Corinthians 15:3-7, 1 Peter 1:3-5**

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**1 Corinthians 15:3**, For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, **4** that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, **5** and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve. **6** After that, he appeared to more than five hundred of the brothers and sisters at the same time, most of whom are still living, though some have fallen asleep. **7** Then he appeared to James, then to all the apostles, **8** and last of all he appeared to me also...

**1 Peter 1:3**, Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, **4** and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, **5** who through faith are shielded by God's power until the coming of the salvation that is ready to be revealed in the last time.

**Luke 23:38**, There was a written notice above him, which read: THIS IS THE KING OF THE JEWS. **39** One of the criminals who hung there hurled insults at him: "Aren't you the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" **40** But the other criminal rebuked him. "Don't you fear God," he said, "since you are under the same sentence? **41** We are punished justly, for we are getting what our deeds deserve. But this man has done nothing wrong." **42** Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." **43** Jesus answered him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

**What Does Unstoppable Faith Do?**

**1. Unstoppable Faith Overcomes the GRAVE**

**Matthew 28:5**, The angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you are looking for Jesus, who

was crucified. **6** He is not here; he has risen, just as he said. Come and see the place where he lay."

**Luke 24:5**, ... but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? **6** He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you...

**John 11:25**, Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die..."

**Hebrews 12:2**, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

**2. Unstoppable Faith Overcomes DOUBT**

**John 20:24**, Now Thomas (also known as Didymus), one of the Twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. **25** So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!" But he said to them, "Unless I see the nail marks in his hands and put my finger where the nails were, and put my hand into his side, I will not believe." **26** A week later his disciples were in the house again, and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" **27** Then he said to Thomas, "Put your finger here; see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it into my side. Stop doubting and believe." **28** Thomas said to him, "My Lord and my God!" **29** Then Jesus told him, "Because you have seen me, you have believed; blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

**Mark 9:24**, Immediately the boy's father exclaimed, "I do believe; help me overcome my unbelief!"

**Hebrews 11:1**, Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.

### 3. Unstoppable Faith Overcomes FAILURE

**John 21:15**, When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon son of John, do you love me more than these?” “Yes, Lord,” he said, “you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my lambs.” **16** Again Jesus said, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” He answered, “Yes, Lord, you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Take care of my sheep.” **17** The third time he said to him, “Simon son of John, do you love me?” Peter was hurt because Jesus asked him the third time, “Do you love me?” He said, “Lord, you know all things; you know that I love you.” Jesus said, “Feed my sheep. **18** Very truly I tell you, when you were younger you dressed yourself and went where you wanted; but when you are old you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will dress you and lead you where you do not want to go.” **19** Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God. Then he said to him, “Follow me!”

**Psalm 51:12**, Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

**Romans 8:1**, Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus,

### 4. Unstoppable Faith Overcomes MEANINGLESSNESS

**Ephesians 2:8**, For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— **9** not by works, so that no one can boast. **10** For we are God’s handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

**John 4:28**, Then, leaving her water jar, the woman went back to the town and said to the people, **29** “Come, see a man who told me everything I ever did.

Could this be the Messiah?” **30** They came out of the town and made their way toward him... **39** Many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman’s testimony, “He told me everything I ever did.”

**Acts 9:15**, But the Lord said to Ananias, “Go! This man is my chosen instrument to proclaim my name to the Gentiles and their kings and to the people of Israel.”