

**THE FAITH OF THE PATRIARCHS pt 4
(Hebrews 11:8-22)**

I. The Superiority of Jesus Christ (1:1-10:18)

II. The Application of Christ to the Christian Life (10:19-13:25)

D. The Application of the Faith Principle By O.T. Saints (chp 11)

1. Men of faith **before** the time of the **Patriarchs** (11:3-7)

2. The faith of the _____ (11:8-22)

- a. Abraham, by _____, _____ God when _____ to go to a place he would afterward receive as an inheritance! (11:8a)
- b. Abraham, by _____, responded to God's call, without _____ where he was going!(11:8b)
- c. By _____, Abraham lived a _____ life by _____ in the land of promise living in _____ with his heirs (11:9)
- d. By _____, he endured his time there _____ & _____ for an eternal city whose builder & maker was God! (11:10)
- e. By _____, Sarah received strength to conceive _____ whom she bore to Abraham when she was past age because she judged God _____ to His promise! (11:11)

- The *results* of all this is seen in 11:12-16

f. By _____, Abraham _____ Isaac based on the eternal _____ of God!(11:17)

- Why was this so significant?

- What does "*only begotten son*" mean?

- How was he unique?

1) He was the particular _____ son born to Abraham & Sarah!

2) He was the only son God said would _____ the _____ promises given to Abraham!

- How was this test emphasized? (Hebrews 11:18)

“seed” =

“Your seed ... shall be called” =

Hebrews 1:19 - “concluding” =

- g. Next, we see Isaac, _____ Jacob & Esau concerning _____ (11:20)
- h. By _____, Jacob _____ each of the sons of Joseph before he died. (11:21)
- i. Lastly, we see Joseph, by _____, making mention of _____ that concerned him:
- 1) God had revealed to him that Israel would one day depart from _____ & return to the _____.
 - 2) By _____, Joseph requested that his _____ be transferred & _____ in the land of _____ awaiting the _____ of the body.

*Why did he request this?

- What lessons did the faith of the patriarchs teach the Hebrews of the first century & what do they teach us today as well?