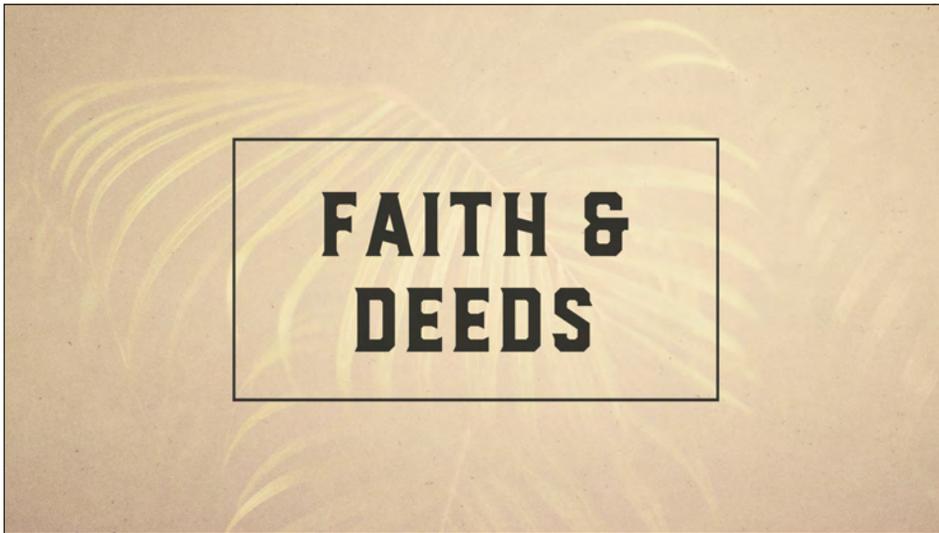


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**“A person is justified by works
and not by faith alone.” (v. 24)**

- ◆ Gets our attention, and **we get it**.
- ◆ Shows an **ethnic** communication style.
- ◆ **Paradox** can be a comfort. It’s not a contradiction.
- ◆ The **teachings** of James and Paul go together.

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Same Point, in different words	v. 14
Example	vs. 15-16
Same Point, in different words	vs. 17-18
Example	v. 19
Same Point, in different words	v. 20
Example	vs. 21-23
Same Point, in different words	v. 24
Example	v. 25
Same Point, in different words	v. 26b
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DEAD FAITH
is all talk,
no action.

v. 14

LIVING FAITH
is merciful.

vs. 15-16

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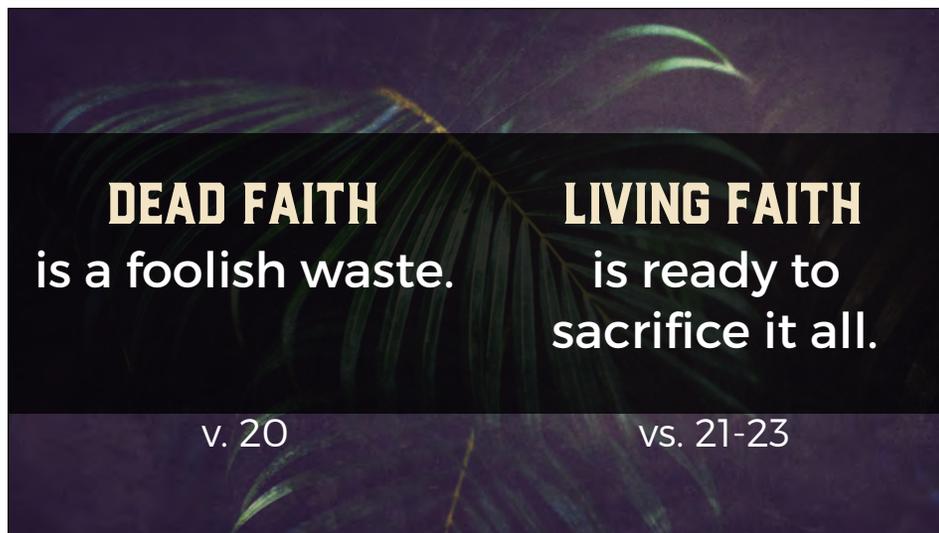
DEAD FAITH
shudders in fear.

v. 19

LIVING FAITH
is led by love.

vs. 17-18

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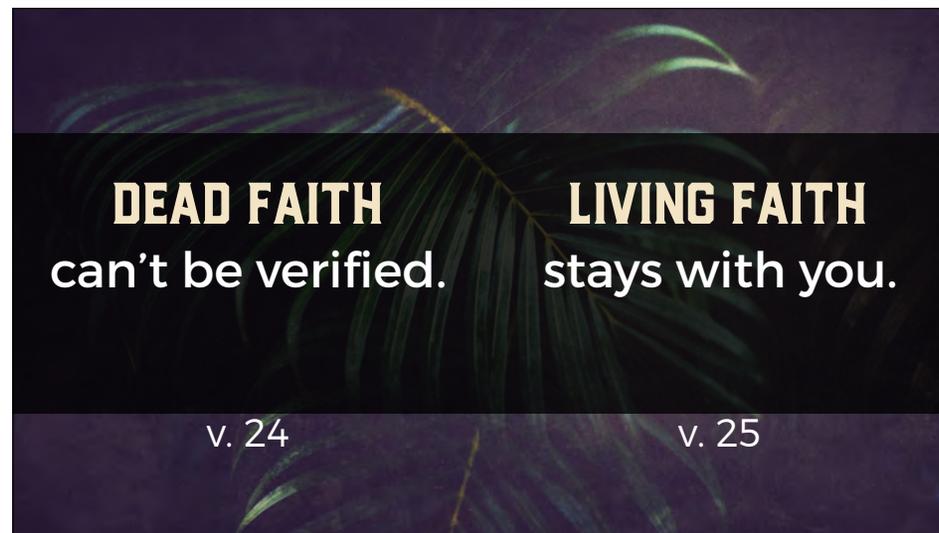


DEAD FAITH
is a foolish waste.

LIVING FAITH
is ready to
sacrifice it all.

v. 20 vs. 21-23

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DEAD FAITH
can't be verified.

LIVING FAITH
stays with you.

v. 24 v. 25

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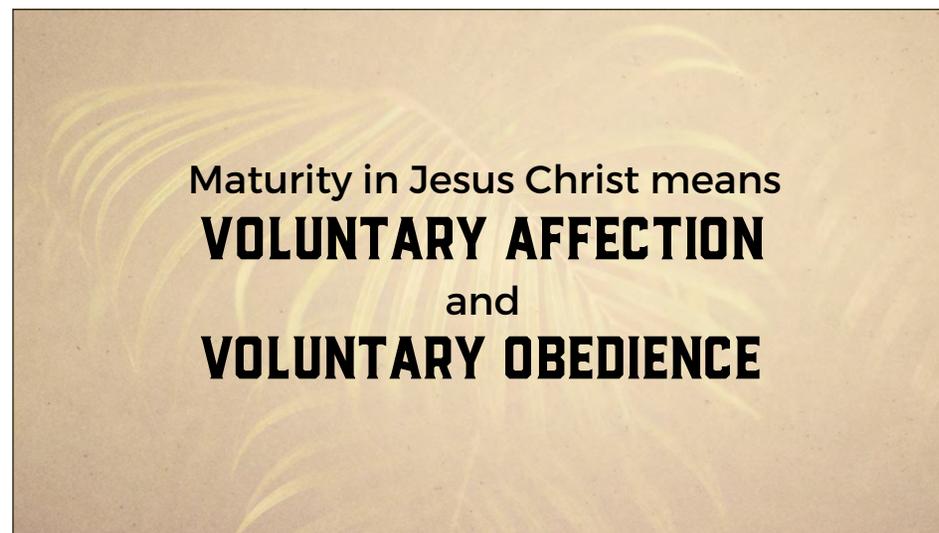


DEAD FAITH
is disintegrated.

LIVING FAITH
flourishes in any
environment.

v. 26 v. 26

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Maturity in Jesus Christ means
VOLUNTARY AFFECTION
and
VOLUNTARY OBEDIENCE

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OUR PRIORITIES

EVANGELIZING the lost.

MENTORING those who need your experience.

CARING for those in pain and in need.

TRAINING in righteousness.

SACRIFICING your time, treasure and talent.

PRAYING for God's best.

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