

Book: 2 Peter
Series: *True Faith vs. False Teaching:
Add To Your Faith, Knowledge*
Lesson 3: *Our Productive Faith, Part 1*
Text: 2 Peter 1:5-11
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INTRODUCTION

2 Peter 1:5-11 deals with the doctrine of sanctification—that is, the process by which God brings His saving work to bear upon our practice and sin’s power through the gospel accomplishments of Jesus Christ. This passage (1:1-11) and its teaching needs to become very familiar to believers, for without it we can fall into a variety of errors in our practice of true faith and true living.

In a nutshell, saving faith is productive faith—it produces a lifestyle consistent with its profession, which in turn produces confidence in one’s completeness in Christ. In this passage, we learn clearly that such production starts with God and must be completed through His resources; nonetheless, He both enables and demands our cooperation.

THE _____ FOR FAITH’S PRODUCTION (v. 5)

Application:

THE _____ OF FAITH’S PRODUCTION (v. 5)

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THE _____ OF FAITH’S PRODUCTION (vv. 5-7)

THE _____ OF FAITH’S PRODUCTION (vv. 8-9)

1. *The result stated positively—production leads to spiritual _____*

Application:

2. *The result stated negatively—lack of production leads to spiritual _____*

Application:

THE _____ OF FAITH’S PRODUCTION (vv. 10-11)

1. _____ *of salvation*

2. _____ *of salvation*

CONCLUSION

Friends, cooperate with God in the productivity of your faith. Yes, add to your faith!