

## EMPLOYERS FOR CHRIST: THE MEANING OF FAITHFULNESS

Definition of faithfulness: Steadfast, dedicated, dependable and worthy of trust.

### KEY POINT: THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS FAITHFULNESS

**Bagalatia 5:22-23 / KwabaseGalathiya 5:22-23 / Galatians 5:22-23** “22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.”

### KEY POINT: JESUS IS YOUR PERFECT EXAMPLE OF FAITHFULNESS

**1 Petro 2:21 / 1 KaPetru 2:21 / 1 Peter 2:21** “To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps.”

### KEY POINT: HOLD ON TO YOUR FAITHFUL CREATOR DURING SUFFERING

**1 Petro 4:19 / 1 KaPetru 4:19 / 1 Peter 4:19** “So then, those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good.”

### KEY POINT: YOU CAN TRUST GOD BECAUSE HE IS FAITHFUL

**Bahebere 10:23 / KumaHeberu 10:23 / Hebrews 10:23** “Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful.”

### KEY POINT: GOD BLESSES THE FAITHFUL

**Diema 28:20 / Izaga 28:20 / Proverbs 28:20** “A faithful man will be richly blessed, but one eager to get rich will not go unpunished.”

### KEY POINT: PRACTISE FAITHFULNESS

1. Keep your word
2. Be consistent in your behaviour
3. Show that you are worthy of trust
4. Be dependable in good times and in bad times

#### REMEMBER:

1. The fruit of the Spirit is faithfulness
2. Jesus is your perfect example of faithfulness
3. Hold on to your faithful Creator during suffering
4. You can trust God because He is faithful
5. God blesses the faithful
6. Practise faithfulness

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