

TALK IT OVER

Road to Revival

BOTTOM LINE

Faith is not passive – it rises with boldness, courage, and surrender to God.

CONVERSATION STARTER

What's a fear you have overcome or are working to overcome?

THINGS TO CONSIDER

What did you hear? What do you think? What will you do?

RESOURSES

- The Daily: newpointe.org/thedaily
- The Story of Deborah (8 min.)

KEY VERSES AND QUOTES

Background Scripture: Judges 4-5

seen. Hebrews 11:1 NKJV

After that whole generation had been gathered to their ancestors, another generation grew up who knew neither the Lord nor what he had done for Israel. Judges 2:10 NIV

All the people did what was right in their own eyes. Judges 21:25 NRSV Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not

"Rising faith always points back to Jesus, recognizing Him as the source of victory and giving God all the glory."

"Faith isn't passive; it is a living, empowered force that elevates both the individual and the community in Christ."

"Speaking boldly is not about volume – it's about clarity and conviction rooted in God's Word."

"Sometimes the miracle is in the moment you move."

"Rising faith is contagious – it lifts others, awakens purpose, and brings people together."

"Faith that rises is not loud for the sake of noise, but bold in the face of darkness, active in obedience, and humble in victory."

Quotes by Chad Fisher

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Have you ever had experience trying to lead when someone is rebelling? What makes it exceptionally hard? What experience have you had or seen when God has patiently allowed someone or a group to rebel and experience their consequences? How do you understand that as God showing love? Deborah is standing between a generation that had lost its way and a generation God has called to do great things. It called her to rise up in courageous faith. Discuss the way you find yourself there. Faith stands firm in the face of fear. Where is fear trying to control you? Faith doesn't deny fear - it refuses to be controlled by it. Faith speaks boldly even when the odds are against you. What truth do you need to speak – in your home, team, school, work, or church that feels risky but necessary? Faith acts courageously when called. Where is God asking you to act in obedience, not just believe from a distance? Faith inspires confidence in others. Whose faith is inspiring you? Who needs you to help them rise up? Faith gives glory to God alone. True faith always points back to God. How can you authentically point people to Jesus when you win?

ACTION STEP

I want to have rising, courageous faith that accomplishes God's purposes and points others to Him. I am asking God to help me grow in this way: _____