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How much faith did we place in ourselves to acquire salvation? **None!**
Then why do we trust in our ability, our strength, and our intellect to live the life that we received by Faith?

Much danger is contained in such independent thinking! Jesus said, **“I am the way, and the truth, and the life”**. Jesus is not just another life. He didn’t give us a type of life, nor did He set the curve for a life-style, leaving us with some principles by which to live. For a believer, Christ is your life!. **“For you have died and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ, who is our life, is revealed, then you also will be revealed with Him in glory. Therefore consider the members of your earthly body as dead to [sin]”** (Colossians 3:3-5 There is so much more to our salvation than a one-time experience which guarantees heaven. Living the Christian life is experienced and expressed by using the same faith by which we were saved. It is experiencing a personal relationship with Christ who fills our life.

Paul's instructions Titus and Timothy are the same instructions to all believers:

1. Believers are to be an exhibit of God's grace/mercy for all to see
2. Believers are to seek a life that honors God
3. Believers are to remain focused on Jesus Christ

“We may speak about a place where there are no tears, no death, no fear, no night; but those are just the [benefits](#) of heaven. The beauty of heaven is seeing God.” Max Lucado, Experiencing the Heart of Jesus:

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