

- Introduction:**   \*\*The Christian Life is not easy...  
                          \*\*Christians live by faith... *Hebrews 10:37-38*  
                          \*\*God deals with us individually...

***I.       There is a Unity of Faith...***

- A. They persevered in faith...           vs. 13***  
***B. There is a clear confession of faith...   vs. 14***  
***C. There is a reward for faith...           vs. 15***  
***D. There is something that keeps faith going...   vs. 16***

***II.       There is a Real Desire of Faith...***

- A. A Better Country...***
- B. Life here is temporal     James 4:14 cf. Hebrews 10:10***
- C. Heaven is Real...***

***III.       There is a Clear Distinction of Faith...***

- A. The Christian is in the world...but...   Colossians 3:2***
- B. He is not Satisfied with the World...***
- C. He lives in Hope of Something Better...***
1. Canaan was “typical...”
  2. The New Heavens and New Earth is far better...

***IV.       The Wonderful Results of Faith...***

- A. A Willingness to live on the Earth as Strangers and Pilgrims...***
- B. God is Not Ashamed to own Them...***

**Application:**