

## Faith Walker Gen 12:1-3

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Abraham, the father of three religions:

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	STEP ONE: WALK AWAY FROM WHAT IS FAMILIAR.  Now the LORD had said to Abram: "Get out of your country, from amily. And from your father's house"		
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STEP TWO: WALK IN THE UNKNOWN Faith is a constant walk in the dark.			
<ul> <li>Heb 11:1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.</li> <li>Noah did not know if it would rain after 120 years of construction.</li> <li>Daniel did not know how the lions would react at bedtime.</li> <li>Abraham did not know that God would provide a ram in the thicket when sacrificing his son.</li> <li>Moses did not know how Pharaoh would react when he asked to let his people go.</li> </ul>			
BENEFIT ONE: YOU WILL BEAR GODLY OFFSPRING The Great Commission is not a suggestion.			
bapti Spirit	8:19-20 Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, ing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you; I am with you always, even to the end of the age." Amen.		

•	Sinners will inherit eternal life	because of your faith.	
•	Christians will become disciples		
•	Disciples will reproduce themselves		
	because of your faith.	in others	
	because of your faith.		
BENEFIT TWO: YOU WILL HAVE A GOOD REPUTATION			
	22:1 A good name is to be chosen rather trather trather than silver and gold.	han great riches, loving	
	WHAT DO PEOPLE THINK WHEN THEY HEA	AR YOUR NAME?	
•	Are you a <u>blessing</u> ?		
•	Do people leave your presence better off	emotionally	
	mentally and spiritually		
	enter your presence?		
•	When people hear your name, do they thi thoughts?	nk <u>positive</u>	
•	When people hear your name, are they <u>re</u> Lord?	minded of the	
•	When people hear your name, are they enfaith ?	couraged to walk by	
BI	ENEFIT THREE: YOU WILL ENJOY	GOD'S SUPPORT	
Gen 1. curses	2:3 I will bless those who bless you, an you	d I will curse him who	
•	God provides resources:		
•	God opens doors:		
•	God provides special abilities:		
BENEFIT FOUR: YOU BECOME A BLESSING ON OTHERS WORLDWIDE			
You can have an immediate worldwide ministry through:			
•	Finicially supporting other mi		
•	Praying for others.		
•	Discipling Christians to go into i	nission field.	
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