

Faith is stronger than Depression. If I will just show up and do the Word JESUS will appear.

This one is for me. The Scriptures thrill me. Depression is cured by inspiration from Bible Pictures.

Hebrews 10:38 Now **the just shall live** by faith: but if any man **draw back**, my soul shall have **no pleasure** in him.

39 But **we are not of them who draw back** unto perdition; but of them that **believe to** the saving of the soul.

**Face up Al Friend. Identify.**  
**We are not of them who draw back**

I must face up to depression. Look it right in the eye. Deal with the thing bothering me. Depression causes me to withdraw. I will make a come back.

My big problem is I draw back when I should believe. There is a place in God for me to correct my withdrawing. I need recall to start the process. I have a recall database inside me.

**Keep the word in your mind.**

2 Corinthians 5:7 For we walk by faith, not by sight:

**WE ALL SEE OUR AUTHORITY IN THE PICTURE OF THE WORD. WE SPEAK THE WORD!**

Trying to do too many things can be depressing.

Nothing gets done. I get side tracked by things that - annoy, bother, harass, trouble, make me anxious and uneasy. I need to forgive and release the thing that is depressing me. Beware! Some that Jesus had compassion on didn't make it. They drew back from Him.

Depression is a deadly thing. Some of the children of Israel wandered and died in the wilderness. I make my own decisions. I will make a choice. I will choose this day to serve the Lord. His word thrills me. It inspires away my depressing thoughts.

I must see the pictures in the scriptures to give God what He wants. He does His work on earth through my body. To make my body available to Him I must understand how He works. He has given me--in the Bible--wisdom in small enough parts that I can understand. God wants to show Himself strong. To be an upright man I must live by faith and let Him perform His word through me.

The devil tempts us using these same pictures we see in the scriptures. The difference is he wants us to be proud in ourselves for what we do. Notice how the devil used the scripture to tempt with pride.

Luke 4:9 And he brought him to Jerusalem, and set him on a pinnacle of the temple, and said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down from hence:

10 For it is written, **(the devil quoted scripture)** He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee:

11 And in their hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.

The devil quotes scripture to misuse it. He will quote it to me as he did with Jesus. He will tempt me to use it for my own foolish pride. But I have the advantage over Satan. I am not ignorant of his devices.