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### 3. Conclusion

Our lot, our tasks, our moments of doubt and unbelief all serve to test our faith. The testing should result in greater faith as we respond prayerfully and contentedly to the will of the Lord. Our faith is tested, not ruined, and the test should show how wonderful faith is and how much blessed we are when we are acting in accord with its principles.

#### F. HOW DOES FAITH TRIUMPH

Luke 18:18-30

Luke 24:13-53

#### 1. Introductory Notes

We do know that faith triumphs ultimately in our victory over the world as we are informed in John 5. But for our discussions based in Luke we are interested in the way in which it is triumphant in varied aspects of daily living. To this end we generally say that faith triumphs in that by it we overcome the drawbacks and disappointments of life.

Through faith we realize that we are not limited to this world or to its expressions. Our lives are secured by God and what would seem to be catastrophic on any other basis becomes liveable on and in the concept of faith. Faith triumphs by delivering us from the frustration of ignorance and doubt and allowing us to live in the reality of knowing the Son of God.