Rahab's Faith Joshua 2:8-15

The woman and mother we will study today stands as one of the greatest examples of redeeming grace in all of Scripture. Her testimony is included in the great hall of faith and along with SARAH is the only woman mentioned (Hebrews 11:31). She is referenced alongside ABRAHAM as an example of having a faith that worked (James 2:25). But the greatest inclusion of Rahab in the NT is in the ancestry of the MESSIAH and Savior of the world, Matthew 1:5. Here is a woman redeemed out of a life of harlotry who becomes known for her incredible faith.

1. A ______ Faith

A. Her faith came by _____, Joshua 2:10.

B. Her faith was an ACT OF HER WILL.

C. Her faith is evidenced by ______, Joshua 2:6. "She seeketh wool, and flax, and worth willingly with her hands... a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised" (Prov. 31:13, 30).

D. Her faith is evidenced ______. James 2:25, Was not Rahab the harlot justified by works, when she had received the messengers, and had sent them out another way?

2. A ______ Faith, Joshua 2:3-5

• Rahab willingly hid the spies, she defied her king; she stood against earthly powers, at great risk. Her loyalty was to God and to His people.

3. A______ Faith, Joshua 2:10,11

• Although she was pressured by the powerful system of worldliness that thrived in Jericho, she believed. Her faith led her to stand alone.

4. A _____ Faith, Joshua 2:9-11

• Rahab simply says, "I KNOW" (Joshua 2:9).

- 5. A_____ Faith, Joshua 2:12-13
- Rahab's faith led her to be instantly concerned for the deliverance of her loved ones: "show kindness unto my father's house... and deliver our lives from death."

6. A Faith, Joshua 2:12; 21 Joshua 2:21; ...she bound the scarlet line in the window.