



A few days later, when Jesus again entered Capernaum, the people heard that he had come home. So many gathered that there was no room left, not even outside the door, and he preached the word to them. Some men came, bringing to him a paralytic, carried by four of them. Since they could not get him to Jesus because of the crowd, they made an opening in the roof above Jesus and, after digging through it, lowered the mat the paralyzed man was lying on. When Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "Son, your sins are forgiven." Mark 2:1-5

I. Compassion

Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Colossians 3:12

II. Faith

In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead. James 2:17

We live by faith, not by sight. 2 Corinthians 5:7

III. Love

And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love. 1 Corinthians 13:13

IV. Determination

Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6:9

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