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**2 Cor. 5:21** For He made the One who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

“He (Jesus) that had no personal relationship with nor committed any sinful acts of his own, became the carrier, bearer, wearer of fallen mankind’s sinful disposition (which was separated from the nature of God): so that consequentially, anyone that would receive the gift of Eternal Life through calling upon Jesus for it would become the manifestation of the righteousness of God, through the indwelling presence of the Holy Spirit; He having entered into them to bring the nature of God & that gift of Eternal Life!

In becoming the Sponge of God during His trial, abuse, & crucifixion, Jesus soaked in the effects of our sinful nature, so that He could carry it into hell, where the nature of sin is condemned to reside. As He submitted Himself to the will of God as our substitute at that time, all penalties due from God upon mankind was poured upon Jesus, once for all of time for all of mankind. Our guilt of sinfulness was transferred to Him by the grace of God, so that we would be cleansed from sin in the judgement of God; Jesus became the Lamb of God at Calvary, God’s personal sacrifice for sin, in our behalf, once & for all of time. All of our guilt before God was laid upon Jesus, as our Substitute, & along with the guilt went all of the due punishment. Jesus died as the Lamb of God, yet arose & ascended to Heaven as the Lord of Glory! Through the New-Birth, the Lord of Glory has His life in you, you’re a family member of God, a spiritual sibling of Jesus, & a vessel of the Holy Spirit. You are holy, righteous, accepted in God, & you are His king & priest upon Earth, as an heir of the promises of God, & as a co-heir in union & you have been sanctified, & sealed by the Holy Spirit, now & forevermore!”



**Sponge of LOVE**



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**Rom. 12:3** set your mind to be right-minded, even as God has dealt to every man the measure (degree, essence, quality) of faith.

**2 Cor. 4:11, 13** ....so that the life of Jesus might also be revealed in our body....for we, having the same spirit of faith.... we also believe and therefore we speak...

**1 Jn 4:4** You are of God, little children, and you have overcome them (the spirits of anti-christ) because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

**1 Jn 5:4** For everything that has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that overcomes the world, our faith.



As partakers of the divine nature of God, through the New-Birth, we have the faith of God Himself placed within us, as a facet of His nature.

The faith of God dwells within us, so we can manifest signs, wonders, miracles, & resurrection-life fruit, as Jesus & His disciples did.

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty; release from sin, no sense of guilt, freedom from captivity, deliverance from all forms of infirmity. The same Holy Spirit that raised Jesus from Hell, spiritual & physical death abides in us & can manifest the same greatness for us, in us, & through us. As Christians, we have the resurrection life of God within us, that can raise the dead, heal the sick, move mountains, call us to walk on water, & enforce the defeat of darkness that Jesus manifested.

The faith of Christ within us yearns to move upon us, flow over us, & pour through us, to continue to set the captives free from all bondage. The Holy Trinity is the same yesterday, today, & eternally; what they've done before in behalf of people, they can do again, to, for, & through us. As temples of God, vessels of the Holy Spirit, & ambassadors of Christ, we have a divine calling, & we're anointed & appointed to walk in that equipping.

You can speak to mountains of opposition, command them to be removed from within, upon, or before you, & experience the miraculous victory over them, just as Jesus told His disciples.

The faith of God doesn't have to settle for putting up with harmful things: the Greater One lives in you, & can change things through you.

God in you is greater than anything that can rise against you; stand in your faith, resist the affliction, watch God work, & you shout the victory!