

Real Faith: Real Faith

What does a dynamic, living faith look like? (James 2:14-20)

1. **Dynamic faith makes a practical difference in the life of my community.** (James 2:15-16)

Dead faith is lip service; **dynamic faith** is life service. (James 2:17-18)

- My faith is dead if I talk without caring.
- My faith is dead if I preach without loving.
- My faith is dead if I quote the Bible without applying it in my own life.
- My faith is dead if I pray on Sunday and don't show compassion on Monday.
- My faith is dead if I give my tithe and spend the rest on myself.
- My faith is dead if I live next to people without loving them.

Does my faith “talk” or does it “walk”?

Dynamic faith requires trusting that moves beyond belief. (James 2:19)

Does my faith merely subscribe to truths or does it take steps of action?

2. **“Faith” and “works” don't compete; they complete each other.**
(James 2:22, 26; Galatians 5:6)

How are you going to express your faith through love this next month?