



**Wild & Crazy
Faith**

What if **outside**
persecution occurs and
being backed up against
a wall is unavoidable?
How will you and I
choose to respond?

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Hebrews 11:29-30

**Faith is revealed
under **pressure** and
persecution**

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God is **actively** at work
and He is equally
interested in our
reaction as He is about
the offense that
precipitated it

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**Red Sea &
Other Walls:
Refined
Faith**

**Hebrews 11:29 - This verse
gives us the reason
why the **Israelites**
decided to pass through
the **Red Sea** - it was
because of faith**

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**Believers pass through
from this life to the
next **safely**, only because
God miraculously
provided for us**

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The Egyptian army
was coming to take back
by force what they felt
they lost

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God divides the **Red Sea**
in two and the children
of Israel walk across
by faith on dry ground

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**After wandering in the
wilderness for 40 years
because of their
unbelief, God is poised
once again to
miraculously provide**

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Jericho was a **massive fortress** - full of well-trained soldiers with state of the art weapons, geared at **protecting** themselves

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**This scene strips all
the strength **found in
self** - there was NO way
and NO how that the
Israelites could **win****

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God has ALWAYS been and
ALWAYS will be in the
business of taking the
weak and the **foolish**
things to confound the
strong and **haughty**

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**"By Faith" - That's how
the children of Israel
stepped out**

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"After" - there needed to be obedience or those walls were staying put (God wanted total heart surrender in obedience)

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CHALLENGE

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How should we **face** and
conquer the walls in our
lives? (Hebrews 12:1-2)

Run with endurance with
your eyes **fixed on Jesus**
(the source of our faith)

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