

1 Corinthians 13:13 NIRV – ‘The three most important things to have are faith, hope and love.’

Hope is being confident there is _____

Hope is not _____

Hope in not _____

Many people today are _____

Hope is based on the _____ of God and the _____ of God

Isaiah 49:23 ‘I am the LORD, those who hope in me will not be disappointed.’

The benefits of hope

1. Hope motivates us to _____

Isaiah 40:31 NIV ‘those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength.’

2. Hope enables us to _____

Philippians 4:13 CEV ‘Christ gives me the strength to face anything.’

3. Hope encourages us to _____

Jeremiah 29:11 NLT ‘For I know the plans I have for you,’ says the LORD. “They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.”’

4. Hope helps us to _____

Eg Peter after his denial

How to grow in hope

1. Focus on the _____

2. Read the _____

3. Fill up with the _____

Romans 15:13 NLT ‘I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.’

1. Remember the _____

Conclusion

The power of just a _____ in hope

My commitment: