

Living the Crazy Life of Faith

HELPFUL SCRIPTURES

SERMON NOTES

Matthew 18:12-14

I. When a CRAZY Faith Becomes a FADING Faith

A. What If You are “*THE ONE*”!

1. Today (Reading) Jesus told His disciples good shepherds prioritize lost lambs over sheep that are safe.

B. Loss is Real!

1. Everyone experiences loss. Especially since we live in a world that is broken!

Hebrews 4:15

2. The causes of a fading faith are different for each of us. Yet they end up being the same for all of us!

C. “*Unless I See It*”

1. Have you ever felt as though you have missed out on a significant, life-changing opportunity?!

John 20:24-25

John 20:19

John 11:8, 16

Matthew 5:45

D. Hoping to See

1. A “Fading Faith” begins by having Faith. Non-believers never experience the despair of a “Fading Faith.”

John 20:26-28

2. Perhaps you are hurting, broken-hearted and exhausted – but my friend, *you belong!!*

Galatians 6:2

CONCLUSIONS:

Meadows:

Ephesians 2:8

2 Corinthians 12:9

Guests:

Titus 3:5-7

Acts 2:38