

Living Faith

James 2:21-26

Intro:

Are James and Paul in conflict?

The point that James is trying to make is that there is a _____ of the two that you cannot separate.

What is significant about **verse 21** is that it shows us that Abraham's faith in God was true, because it was not based on what he _____, but by what he _____. That's when we knew... that's what James is trying to say in this text.

To perfect faith means = To prove faith, to fulfill faith, to _____ faith, to bring to fruit faith, to make _____ the faith that is there.

Two illustrations of faith and works cooperating together:

Abraham –

- Abraham, like you and like me, in his faith journey had times of stumbling, wavering, and weakness.

Two examples:

1)

2)

Application: *How do you know you have a living faith?*