Northwest Bible Church - April 25, 2021 - 1 Peter - Alan Conner

**1 Pet. 1:8-9**

*The Nature of Saving Faith*

Intro

**A. FAITH WITHOUT SIGHT (1 Pet. 1:8).**

 1. Not “blind faith”.

 2. True faith does not need physical sight. Heb. 11:1

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 3. Those with faith not based on sight are blessed. Jn. 20:24-29.

**B. FAITH PRODUCES LOVE FOR CHRIST (1 Pet. 1:8).**

 1. Agape - love.

 2. How do we grow our love if it is small? Lk. 7:47

**C. FAITH PRODUCES A GREAT AND GLORIOUS JOY (1 Pet. 1:8).**

 1. “greatly rejoice” -

 2. This joy is “inexpressible”.

 3. This joy is “full of glory”.

**D. FAITH RESULTS IN SALVATION (1 Pet. 1:9).**

 1. Present and future salvation.

 2. “obtained as the outcome of your faith”.

Conclusion