1) Some time later, Mark H., the author, was in a ________________, wild church service where people were laughing, rejoicing, shouting, and praising God. Some were even leaping for joy, running, and dancing!

- The word ‘radical’ defines “a person who holds or follows strong convictions or extreme principles; extremist.”

During all of this, the Lord spoke to Mark H. in this way: “Hello, neighbor! Faith ain’t pretty, but everyone needs ____________!

  o  Who is the ‘neighbor’? __________
  o  You get your faith from whom? __________
  o  You learn how to _______________ your faith
  o  And you respond to what? _______________________________  
  o  How do you release your faith? _______________________________

Romans 10:17—“So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God”. 
Romans 10:17 SEB—“Since a person believes something because he hears about it (Word of God), he should hear the message of Christ (Word of God).”

Psalms 119:162—“(I rejoice at Your Word, as one that finds great spoil (treasure)”.
Psalms 119:162 MSG—“I’m ecstatic over what You say, like one who strikes it rich.”

 Jeremiah 15:16—“Your Words were found, and I did eat them (Word of God); and Your Word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of my heart…”
Jeremiah 15:16 GNT—“You spoke to me, and I listened (carefully) to every Word. I belong to You, Lord God Almighty, and so Your words filled my heart with joy and happiness.”

1 Peter 1:8-9—“(yet believing, you rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory: Receiving the end of your faith, even the salvation of your souls.” (GWT quotes “as you obtain the salvation that is the goal of your faith.” MSG quotes “Because you kept on believing, you’ll get what you’re looking forward to: TOTAL SALVATION.” BARCLAY quotes “And the secret of your joy is that, as the final result of your faith, you are on the way to receiving the salvation of your souls.”)

2) You notice that between ‘believing’ and ‘receiving’ in two verses is what? _______________________________

**JOY UNSPEAKABLE:**

3) When you became truly Bible-believing Christian, there must be some rejoicing with joy unspeakable. If the joy ‘unspeakable’, you must let it out somehow through ________________, ________________ for joy, and ________________ or _______________ for joy.

  o  This kind of joy is: a) few of glory  b) ½ of glory  c) ¾ of glory  d) full of glory
  o  The spirit of faith declares the outcome (something happening) even in _______________ of adversity.
  o  Who is the ‘adversity’? _______________________________

  o  You see (understand) the victorious __________ of the challenge you are facing.

4) Some people would have ‘great faith’,

  o  but they are too _______________ about being ‘pretty’ all the time. What does it means?

  o  they want to look ‘___________’ or ________________.
  o  Real Bible faith ______________ always pretty. What does it means to you?

**Shouting, Dancing, and Running:**
5) When the glory of God is manifested, it brings what? ________________________________

6) Who will cause you to shout while the walls are still standing, like God’s people did at Jericho before the walls came down?

7) Who will cause you to dance like David did when the Ark of the Covenant was returned to Jerusalem and the glory returned? __________________________

8) Who will cause may cause you to run like Elijah did when the hand of the Lord came upon him? The rain Elijah had prayed and contended for was coming, and he outran the king’s chariot. __________________________

9) Who will cause you to sing and praise God loudly, as Paul and Silas did at midnight when they were imprisoned in chains. The power of God shook the prison and set them free. ________________________________

10) These (walls of Jericho—people shouted, David danced when the Ark returned, Elijah outran when the rain is coming after, and Paul and Silas praised the Lord, the whole building shook up) are __________________________ of the power of God.

11) The SUPERNATURAL POWER OF GOD is the __________________________ of the POWER OF GOD in these stories.

12) They (Joshua, David, Elijah, Paul, and Silas) are all connected to: a) doubt   b) little faith   c) faith   d) ?

13) YES NO NOT SURE: You need faith?
Romans 1:17—“The just shall live by faith”.
Romans 1:17 NCV—“But those who are right with God will live by trusting in Him.”

14) YES NO NOT SURE: Without faith please God?

15) Lilian B. Yeomans said, “God delights in His children stepping out over the aching void with nothing under their feet but the Word of God.”
   • God _____________ as we _________________ a faith that _________________ on the Word.
     o It means God watches you to _____________ the same things what God has said.

16) Often the spirit of faith may cause a person to look _____________, as Naaman did when the prophet Elisha told him to dip 7 times in the muddy Jordan River.
   • What God required of Naaman for his healing from leprosy was not difficult, but it seems too ________________.
   • Naaman’s ________________ almost made him miss his miracle, but he finally acted on the prophet’s word and was totally ________________.
   • If Naaman decides to follow his reasoning, also he refuses to follow the prophet’s word; then he will miss his ________________ and will not receive his totally ________________.

1 Corinthians 1:27 VOC—“But celebrate this: God selected the world’s foolish to bring shame upon those who think they are wise; likewise, He selected the world’s weak to bring disgrace upon those who think they are strong.”

Zechariah 4:6 GNT—“The angel told me to give Zerrubbabel this message from the Lord, “You will succeed, not by military mighty or by your own strength, but by My Spirit.”

#6 Memorize verse: I (David) promised, “I’ll be careful on life’s journey not to sin with my words; I’ll seal my lips when wicked people are around.” (Psalms 39:1 The VOICE of PSALMS)
answer:

1) radical
   faith
   that’s me
   God
   release
   the Word and the power of God
   believing and speaking God’s Word

2) joy unspeakable

3) laughing, shouting, leaping, dancing
   d) full of glory
   middle
   poverty, debt, marriage crisis, no job, lay off from work, health issue, hurting, rejecting, etc...
   end

4) concerned, not want to embarrass, not want to have any black eye on me
   cool, sophisticated
   ain’t, getting black eye on me

5) the supernatural power of God

6) the spirit of faith

7) the spirit of faith

8) the spirit of faith

9) the spirit of faith

10) demonstration

11) demonstration

12) c) faith

13) yes

14) no

15) watches, demonstrate, acts
    say

16) foolish
    foolish
    reasoning, healing
    miracle, healing