Hebrews 11:1-16 The Faith of Conviction and Action

Introduction

In his 2004 book entitled "Rumors of Another World", Philip Yancy asks the question:

Does faith us into seeing a world that doesn't exist, or does it the existence of a world we can't see without it?

In Chapter 11, versus 1-16 the writer's purpose is to make it clear that the old and new _____ both required _____ as the basis for salvation

Heb.11:1-3 – The Meaning Of Saving Faith

1) An "assurance" is an _____ certainty of a truth

2) A "conviction" is an _____ consequence (or evidence) of the internal reality

These two realities are present in every example of faith we see in Heb.11:1-16

Dr. John MacArthur says in his commentary on Hebrews, "Discovery of origins is far outside man's scope of knowledge and investigation. His attempts to discover where the universe came from, or where man himself came from, cannot possibly end in anything but ______. He is doomed to go from one ______ theory to another."

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