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Daily Words of Encouragement

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Hebrews 11:3 "By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God's command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible."

As scientist continue to make attempts to explain the origin of the universe, there always seems to be a problem that they run into that debunks their theory... We like to call this, "first cause". World renown scientist Stephen Hawking expressed... "Because there is such a law as gravity, the Universe can and will create itself from nothing."

Here in Hebrews chapter 11, the writer seeks to clarify the true meaning of faith. The very first example out of the gate is that of creation. The age old question of where did we come from finds its answer in the unseen externally existent objective reality of God. God created all things and we receive this truth by faith. It is upon this truth that all other truths exists. And while I appreciate the search of Mr. Hawking towards reasons... I would say much like how we define wind might we define God...

We may not be able to see God, but we most certainly can see the effects of His existence in His creation, and in how His power is at work in the hearts and minds of His people. Truly, we serve a creator this is much greater than our finite minds can fathom.

God bless!

-Pastor Chris