

## KEEPING FAITH — BREAKING FAITH

In the context of God’s covenant ways for Himself and His people, the following express various truths revealed in Scripture.

KEEPING FAITH	BREAKING FAITH
You keep faith with the Lord by obeying Him and yielding to His Spirit.	You break faith by disobeying or ignoring what you know He requires of you.
You keep faith with the Lord by believing in and responding to Him.	You break faith when you behave as if He is not present; neither obeying nor honoring His Presence.
You keep faith with the Lord by forgiving others and leaving all justice to Him.	You break faith when you do not forgive, holding out for justice on your terms.
You keep faith by learning and revealing the truth about the Lord.	You break faith by remaining ignorant and misrepresent the truth about Him to others.
You keep faith with the Lord by seeking and walking in His truth and values.	You break faith when <i>you</i> decide what is true, determining what is good or evil.
You keep faith with the Lord by treating others as you would Him; giving what is due the Lord to all made in His image: respect, honor, and what Paul calls “the continuing debt to love.”	You break faith when you withhold these things, or by mistreating or abusing others in any way.
You keep faith with the Lord by using His gifts to serve your neighbor.	You break faith by holding back when He wants to touch someone through you.

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