

WHAT HOPE DOES FOR US

I. The abiding force of hope

- A. 1 Cor. 13:13 – Hope will abide, remain, continue
- B. Eph. 2:12 – We are not without hope

II. When we have hope

- A. Psalm 42:5, 11 – It displaces discouragement
- B. Prov. 13:12 – It gives us desire & motivation
- C. 1 Thess. 5:8; Heb. 6:19 – It protects and anchors our soul
- D. 2 Kings 4:1-6 – It provides a vessel to contain God's miracle or like a thermostat that sets the goal for faith to achieve (Heb.11:1)
- F. Eph. 1:17, 18 – It makes you see what is not visible to the natural eye (like Abraham you can picture God's promise Gen. 15:5, 6; Gen. 22:17)