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*Up Close...*

1. Can you describe the last time you actually and specifically trusted God about something?
2. How would you rate yourself in the three keys to growing your faith:  
1) focusing on the Word, 2) having a witness, and 3) walking daily in your faith?
3. What practical steps could you commit yourself to just now that would grow your faith and all the joy and blessing that comes with it?

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WEEK OF MARCH 7, 2010

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- **Catherine Hershberger** – That the Lord would continue to provide for her as she prepares for a summer missions trip to Africa.
- **The Nations & People of Haiti & Chille** – Recovering from devastating earthquakes. May Jesus' peace, hope, and soon coming become well known! (Matt. 24:6-8) Pray for the safety, courage, and effectiveness of those leading relief efforts.
- **Church Leadership** – Pray for God's direction and protection of the men (and their families) who serve in leadership. Pray for wisdom during this transition. Pray for courage to lead boldly. Pray for protection from temptation and the attacks of Satan.
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