Perspective  
(Hebrews 11:8-10)

• God knows where you’re going. (Hebrews 11:8)
  ◦ Abraham did not go in blind faith, but in complete confidence in God’s trustworthiness. Many of Jesus’ disciples were called to follow Him without any idea of where they were going. (Matthew 4:18-19, 9:9, 16:24)
  ◦ God is omniscient. He sees the world and He sees you. (Psalm 139:16)
  ◦ One of the names of God is “El Roi”. It means ‘The God who sees me’. Early on, Hagar used this name to describe God. (Genesis 16:13-14)
    David also came to the same conclusion about God. (Psalm 121)

• This world is not our home. (Hebrews 11:9)
  ◦ Believers live as ‘strangers’ in this world, temporarily residing on Earth while our real home is in Heaven. (Hebrews 11:13-16, 1 Peter 2:11)
  ◦ Tents are mobile dwellings. The Bible even refers to our physical bodies as tents. (2 Corinthians 5:1-4, 2 Peter 1:13)

“Walking by faith will cause all of us to recognize that as children of God we are just pilgrims and strangers down here on Earth. Faith looks out yonder to the future. And the child of God today is looking to the future.”  
- J. Vernon McGee

• Look forward, the best is yet to be. (Hebrews 11:10)
  ◦ We should be looking forward to a New Heaven and a New Earth. (2 Peter 3:10-14)
    A city with “permanent” foundations. (Revelation 21:2-4)
  ◦ God is the architect and builder. (John 14:1-4)