

Courage of a Lifetime
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List the top 3 people you think have courage or have displayed courage in history. Why do you say that?

Webster's says courage is: **the attitude of facing and dealing with anything recognized as danger**

Other words similar to courage: **valor, boldness, spirit, audacity, daring**

One of the people in history that I think has shown courage and someone we can learn from is **William Wallace**.

His story is shown in the movie **Braveheart** starring Mel Gibson.

Promises from God's word to help us with courage:

1. **Joshua 1.6-9**: God is with us.
2. **Romans 8.28**: God will work things for our good.
3. **Hebrews 4.15-16**: God will give mercy and He understands what we are going through.

What do you need courage for?

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