

Faith

Faith does not spring out of nothing.
It comes with the discovery
Of the holy dimension of our existence.....

Faith does not detach us from thinking;
It does not suspend reason.
It is opposed not to knowledge
But to indifferent aloofness, to the essence of living.

Faith means to hold small things great,
To take light matters seriously,
To distinguish the common and the passing
From the aspect of the lasting.....

Faith is a dynamic, personal act,
Flowing between the heart of human beings
And the love of God.....

Faith is the insight
That life is not a self-maintaining, private affair,
Not a chaos of whims and instincts,
But an aspiration, a way, not a refuge.

Faith is real only when it is not one-sided but reciprocal.
We can rely on god, if god can rely on us