

Floor vs. Flaw

In the architecture
of our spiritual lives
faith is our floor
and firm foundation;
without it we slide down
the slope of our flaws.

We walk steadily
on our floors,
but trip over
our flaws.

We rest securely
on our floors,
but come crashing down
around our flaws.

With trust and confidence
we proceed flawlessly;
with diffidence and mistrust
we sink floorlessly.

Virtue and piety
extend our floors;
our flaws increase
with sin and vice.

Before every decision,
therefore,
ask yourself:
"Will this support
my floor
or contribute to
my flaw?"

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