

A Dead Religion or a Live Relationship?

The Grand Finale

Mark 11:22-25; II Corinthians 5:7

Do you want a dead religion or a live relationship? When we understand and believe that God's ultimate purpose in our having faith in Him is to bless someone else then nothing is impossible and our faith comes truly alive.

Faith takes what God has given. How does faith take it all? It takes it by God's Word or everything that pertains to life. Faith takes the Word into its eyes, and it puts the Word into its ears. Faith gets the Word into its heart and speaks it out its mouth and we call this RHEMA.

Whatever you see in God's Word that you desire or need, ask for it according to that scripture. Philippians 4:19 says, "My God shall supply all my needs . . ." Psalms 37:4 tells us that if "I delight myself in the Lord He will give me the desires of my heart." If it is healing, prosperity, forgiveness, or love, ask for it because it is right there in God's Word.

How to have a live faith . . .

I. When you ask for whatever it is, keep that Word right in front of your _____, read it aloud again and again so you can get it into your spiritual ears and it will _____ in your heart.

A. When the _____ is in abundance in your heart, your mouth will speak it.

1. God's Word _____ to you out of your heart.
2. You begin to believe the Word of God above every circumstance and it will _____ out the negative words of your situation.
3. You will begin to anticipate receiving what you _____ for as your faith takes it.

B. Every single blessed thing in your life will and can be given to you through _____.

1. Plan on speaking to the Lord about your _____.
2. Plan on speaking to the Lord about your job or _____.
3. Plan on speaking to the Lord about your _____.

II. You cannot depend on somebody else's _____.

A. The Lord wants you to be a _____ for somebody else's faith.

1. God _____ people.
2. God uses people when they have a _____ to faith.
3. Faith works by _____ out of a loving heart.

B. _____ feeds faith into our lives and into the lives of people God brings across our paths.

1. Nothing is impossible when we understand that God wants to bless us so that we can _____ others.
2. God wants to use us to participate in _____ blessing.
3. Starting today put your faith on something you need or desire according to God's Word.

Conclusion

1. I encourage you today, stay with your _____. Don't leave anything on the table.
2. Stick with your faith in God and His Word for as _____ as it takes.
3. It is a great _____, a great reason to take everything God has to give us – so we can be apart of all He is doing.

- A live relationship gives all the glory and praise to God -

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