

HAVE FAITH IN GOD

Thursday-Trusting God Is Key To Success

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A. Trusting God gives Him access to help you

1. The Lord is waiting for them to trust Him because this gives Him access to be gracious to them-Is30:2-That walk to go down into Egypt...to trust in the shadow of Egypt! ¹⁵ For thus saith the Lord God, the Holy One of Israel; In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence (trust) shall be your strength: and ye would not. ¹⁶ But ye said, No ¹⁸ And therefore will the Lord wait, that he may be gracious unto you
2. The way you get God's help is you trust Him-1Ch5:20-They were helped against them, and the Hagarites were delivered into their hand, and all that were with them: for they cried to God in the battle, and he was intreated of them; because they put their trust in him; Ps115:11-Ye that fear the Lord, trust in the Lord: he is their help and their shield
3. To prosper we must trust God-2Ki18:5-He trusted in the Lord God of Israel; so that after him was none like him among all the kings of Judah, nor any that were before him. ⁶ For he clave to the Lord, and departed not from following him, but kept his commandments, which the Lord commanded Moses.⁷ And the Lord was with him; and he prospered whithersoever he went forth
 - a. When we stop trusting God we stop prospering-The end of our trust is the beginning of problems
 - b. The enemy works endlessly to get us to not trust God because he knows it's connected to our success

B. You want to make the Lord your trust-Ps40:8-Blessed is the man that makes the Lord his trust

1. God defends those that trust Him-Ps5:11-Let all those that put their trust in thee rejoice...because thou defend them
2. God saves those that trust in Him-Ps17:7-Shew thy marvellous lovingkindness, O thou that savest by thy right hand them which put their trust in thee from those that rise up against them.
3. Great goodness is laid up for those who trust-Ps31:19-Oh how great is thy goodness, which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee; which thou hast wrought for them that trust in thee before the sons of men!
4. Trust and be fed-Ps37:3-Trust in the Lord, and do good; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.
5. Trust and be happy-Pr16:20-Whoso trusteth in the Lord, happy is he.
6. Trust and be made fat-Pr28:25-He that puts his trust in the Lord shall be made fat.
7. Trust and be safe-Pr29:25-Whoso putteth his trust in the Lord shall be safe.

C. There is a False trust-This is a person that says they are trusting God, never do what He says; A big part of us trusting God is doing what He says; Hezekiah trusted God and kept His commandments

1. You have no scriptural right to expect the results of trusting when you're not really trusting-If you're not obeying you're not trusting
2. You have no scriptural right to trust God to prosper you and help of you if you're going to ignore Him

D. We've been commanded to have faith in God and God's commands are always for our good-Mk11:22-Have faith in God; Jn14:1-You believe in God, believe also in me; Pr3:5-Trust in the Lord with all your heart; Is26:4-Trust ye in the Lord forever