

1. Intro: FULL FAITH

- ✓ Salvation, Relationship, Full faith, Find faith
- √ 'The just shall live by faith..' Hebrews 10:38
- ✓ Luke 1:37 'For nothing will be impossible with
 - **God**.' Keys: What is your HOPE?
 - WITH GOD
- ✓ RELATIONSHIP -Slave/Son? Relationship grows
- ✓ ALL THE HELP Holy Spirit: Fruit and gifts



Isaiah 49:15-16 "Can a mother forget the baby at her breast and have no compassion on the child she has borne? Though she may forget, I will not forget you! See, I have engraved you on the palms of my hands; your walls are ever before me.

God wants to help..



2. Faithful Father:

2.1 Fathering and Faith:

Faith I Complete trust or confidence in someone or something.. Reliance, dependence, hope, trust, belief

Hebrews 11:1 I Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.



Galatians 4:7 So you are no longer a slave, but God's child; and since you are his child, God has made you also an heir.

Romans 8:15 For you did not receive the spirit of bondage again to fear, but you received the Spirit of adoption by whom we cry out, "Abba, Father."



FAITH: DO YOU SEE GOD AS A FATHER?

DO YOU SEE GOD AS A GOOD FATHER?

WHAT IS A GOOD FATHER?



2.2 Do you see God as a Father?

2.2.1 JESUS:

✓ Relationship – Father Child [Father Son]



Matthew 3:16 As soon as Jesus was baptized, He went up out of the water. Suddenly the heavens were opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and resting on Him. 17And a voice from heaven said, "This is My beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased!"



Matthew 4:1 Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. 2 And after fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. 3 And the tempter came and said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command these stones to become loaves of bread." 4 But he answered, "It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.""



So, Jesus gets questioned / challenged..



2.2.2 That moment AND REDEMPTION

✓ Sometimes good to revisit



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'And so the time came when he was no longer the one that I would run to..'



- ✓ Redemption
- **✓** Restoration
- √ Faith restored
- ✓ Truth restored
- √ The One to run to



2.2.2 Scripture:

John 3:1 "See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know Him"



Romans 8:15

For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, "Abba! Father!" 16 The Spirit himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, 17 and if children, then heirs—heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.



2.3 Believing is Seeing:

Okay, not really.. or not greatly or not often.. what now?



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THE KEY



John 14:6 Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. 7 If you had known me, you would have known my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him." 8 Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." 9 Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip?



John 14:...

Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? 10 Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. 11 Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves.



3. A Good Father then?

Isaiah 61: 1

The Spirit of the Lord GOD is on Me, because the LORD has anointed Me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives and freedom to the prisoners; 2 to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor, and the day of our God's vengeance; to comfort all who mourn, 3 to provide for those who mourn in Zion; to give them a crown of beauty



instead of ashes, festive oil instead of mourning, and splendid clothes instead of despair. And they will be called righteous trees, planted by the LORD to glorify Him.

A Good Father...

LET'S PRAY

