

Sunday Sermonette "Little Faith, No Such Thing" February 23, 2020

"You unbelieving and perverse generation,' Jesus replied, 'how long shall I stay with you? How long shall I put up with you?"

Matthew 17:17 NIV

Read: Matthew 17:14-20

Are there days that seem like your faith has taken a hike and left you all alone? Trusting GOD 24 hours day, every day does take commitment. Commitment is the word that only GOD is deserving. You cannot truly be committed to anyone or anything if you are not committed to GOD.

In Matthew and Luke, JESUS repeatedly is accusatory by talking about little faith. In truth, HE is saying "you of little faith" as teaching comment. If you have little faith, you have no faith at all or you have tremendous faith. Faith is faith. In reality, you cannot have a little faith or a lot of faith. You either have faith or you don't.

In Matthew 17:20, we read: "He replied, 'Because you have so little faith. Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you.'" Read carefully. Faith as small as a mustard seed is huge faith. Faith is faith. JESUS is telling us that faith is faith.

We disappoint ourselves when we allow Satan and his army of earthly angels to drag us down while convincing us of little faith. If you have faith, you have faith. Faith exists if you are a believer. It does not exist in small amounts or large amounts. It simply is. It is as much as you will ever need and cannot be measured. Faith is constant. You can never use all the faith GOD has given you.

When you are questioning your faith, you are questioning GOD HIMSELF. Next time you feel your faith waning, say a prayer. Ask GOD to forgive you. HE did not

give you a faith that grows and shrinks. HE did not give you a faith that comes and goes.

GOD gave you faith.

Today's Prayer:

"Thank YOU, LORD for the faith YOU have given me. Forgive me for questioning YOU when I question my faith. I will be diligent in my efforts and depend on YOU alone. YOU are my faith. Amen."

Feel HIS Blessings!

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