

SERIES: THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST
— *Volume 2: Walking God's Way*

Lesson 4: Having Faith IN God - part 2 [10 May 2020]

Foundation:

- Mark 11:22 — HAVE FAITH IN GOD (emphasis on IN)
- Psalm 103:1 - 2
- Matthew 6:9
 - ❖ “Hallowed (sacred, to be revered) be Thy Name”
- Ephesians 1:3 - “BLESSED with ALL Spiritual BLESSINGS”
- John 14:1 - 12
 - ❖ Verse 7: If you have known Me
 - Have you known Me?
 - Have you known My Character?
 - ❖ Verse 9: If you have seen Me
 - Have you seen Me?
 - Have you seen the results of My Ministry?
 - The results are the work of My Father
 - ❖ Verse 10: I speak not of Myself
 - “you’ve see Me, you’ve see the Father”
- To Trust and have Faith (confidence) in God, we must KNOW Him
- We know God through:
 - ❖ His Word / His Names
 - ❖ Jesus
 - ❖ A Designation
 - ❖ A Symbol
 - ❖ By Deeds & Actions

I. First Mention

A. Genesis 1:1 = GOD

1. *Elohim* = creative power, creative ability, creative Glory: The Majestic Ruler
2. *Omnipotent* = ALL POWERFUL

B. Our first introduction to God is an introduction to His Power & Authority

C. He created by speaking His desired results

D. To have Faith IN God we must Believe in God and All that He is

1. Hebrews 11:6

E. To have the Faith of God, we must operate the way God operates

II. To Abram, God introduced Himself as “All Mighty God”

A. *El Shaddai* = ALL MIGHTY GOD

B. Genesis 17:1

1. When Abram was 99 years old, God reveals Himself as *El Shaddai*
2. Meaning, ‘*The All Sufficient One*’

C. Psalm 91:14 - 16

1. Seven promise of *El Shaddai*: The God Who is More than Enough
 - a. Verse 14 — Deliverer (also vs. 15)
 - b. Verse 14 — Set him on High: a place or power & authority
 - c. Verse 15 — I will answer when he calls
 - d. Verse 15 — I will be with him in trouble
 - e. Verse 15 — I will honor him
 - i. Honor = to respect, to esteem highly (Webster’s Dictionary)
 - ii. Honor = to make weighty, *abound in My Glory* (Stong’s Concordance)
 - f. Verse 16 — with long life I will satisfy him
 - g. Verse 16 — I will show him My Salvation
 - i. Help
 - ii. Deliverance
 - iii. Healing
 - iv. Prosperity (no lack in any area of life)

D. I will show these things to the person who will set his love upon Me (God)

E. Because he has KNOWN My Name

III. To Moses, God revealed Himself as God Almighty, Jehovah, Lord

A. Exodus 6:3 - 8

1. God is revealing Himself to Moses through His Names
2. Our knowledge of God is dependent upon the way He is revealed through the Scriptures
 - a. John 7:38 - “... as the scriptures say...”

B. God is Revealed by...

1. His Names
2. A Designation
3. A Symbol
4. By Deeds & Actions

C. Exodus 6:3 — God Almighty or *EL SHADDAI*

1. To understand God, we must have revelation of His Names - to know:
 - a. His Character
 - b. His Nature
 - c. His Ability
2. His Names reveal all that, and they reveal God’s Will