Can God Trust You? – Part 2 (B)

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Last month we started the second part of the teaching series titled "Can God Trust You?" We have looked at what it means to trust and studied the lives of some biblical characters who God could trust and those who disappointed God.

We then considered the requirement for trustworthiness and have looked at seven areas in which God requires our trustworthiness. We would now continue from where we stopped and conclude the teaching.

AREAS IN WHICH GOD REQUIRES YOUR TRUSTWORTHINESS

8. **God's Wealth.** Can God trust you with His wealth? Wealth is much more than money. There are people who have money but do not have peace. There are people who have money but have trouble that their money cannot resolve harassing their lives every day. Can God trust you with His substance? Psalm 24;1 says, ***"The earth is the Lord's, and all its fullness, The world and those who dwell therein."***

   Let us learn from the parable of the rich but foolish farmer in Luke 12:16-21: ***"Then He spoke***

a parable to them, saying: "The ground of a certain rich man yielded plentifully. And he thought within himself, saying, 'What shall I do, since I have no room to store my crops?' So he said, 'I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods. And I will say to my soul, "Soul, you have many goods laid up for many years; take your ease; eat, drink, and be merry." ' But God said to him, 'Fool! This night your soul will be required of you; then whose will those things be which you have provided?' "So is he who lays up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.""

This man was already rich, and then his land, which God gave him, added an increase. God gave him a good harvest for his labor. Not everyone who goes to work receives a full salary, but you are receiving a full salary. Can God trust you with that wealth? Some people take pay cuts and are fired the following day but your own pay is untouched and on time. Can God trust you with earthly riches? Can God trust you with the increase you are asking for? Can God trust you with the promotion you seek?

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9. **Growth-Related Troubles.** Can God trust you with your growth-related troubles? For every level of growth you enter, there is a measure of trouble you must pass through to get there. Nobody becomes a certified surgeon without sitting for exams, studying anatomy correctly, facing operations, using a scalpel, and staying under the watchful eye of professors. You sweat profusely when you are asked to make your first presentation to your class. That is an example of growth. Can God

trust you with the trouble that comes with growth?

Job 14:1 makes a powerful statement: ***"Man who is born of woman is of few days and full of trouble."*** The trouble may be related to physical growth or spiritual growth. There is trouble that will come whenever you want to enlarge your territory. Job is a man whose story we have all read in the Bible. He had multiple troubles. But listen to what he said in Job 13:15. He was a man whom God can trust: ***"Though He slay me, yet will I trust Him. Even so, I will defend my own ways before Him."*** Job purposed not to disappoint God. His wife suggested that He should curse God, but he refused to curse God.

Can God trust you to sing in the midst of your troubles? The three Hebrew boys were thrown into the blazing fire, and they did not just sit there. It is recorded for us that they were loosed, walking in the midst of the fire, and they were not hurt.

Psalm 59:16-17: ***"But I will sing of Your power; Yes, I will sing aloud of Your mercy in the morning; For You have been my defense and refuge in the day of my trouble. To You, O my Strength, I will sing praises; For God is my defense, My God of mercy."*** The psalmist sang in the morning when trouble came. Can God trust you?

10. **God's Laughter.** Can God trust you with His laughter? His laughter is His testimony. A testimony that He is a faithful God who keeps promises. Abraham and Sarah had their laughter, and the name of their laughter was Isaac. God promised them but they could not wait and did their own thing with Ishmael. But He kept

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watching them. When they realigned themselves, and He could trust them, their laughter came. Can God trust you with His laughter?

That testimony you are looking for does not belong to you; it comes from God. That is why you do not have it right now. Can He trust you with it? Will your laughter not make you turn your back on God? Will your testimony not make you say, "Well, I have been praying for this testimony. Now I have it. Goodbye, God"?

A man was praying fervently. His foundation was a challenge: his father was poor, his mother was poor, his uncles were poor, and his aunts were poor. He was in generational poverty. After he gave his life to Jesus Christ, he began to pray, "God, deliver me from this poverty that I have known all my life." He prayed and prayed. Then God gave him a vision that he should go into the transport business. He was happy, but he said, "Where would I get money to start the business?"

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God said, "Do not worry." God gave him favor. The man got his first dump truck, and he started driving it. Things were going well.

Then he noticed that the best patronage for his dump truck came on Sundays. But he refused to work on Sundays. After three months, the man said, "Am I not stupid? Is it not business? Is it not just one day? I will go to church on another day." He started doing his dump truck business on Sundays. He made more money and bought additional dump trucks. So, he needed drivers now. The man killed Sunday worship, and he did not even remember to go to church midweek. He was always awake from sunup to sundown when his drivers would come back to

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give account. It was after they came at night and gave account he would go to sleep. He started having high blood pressure.

Gradually, the man who used to quote scripture started cursing his drivers when they came back with complaints instead of money. They would complain that their tires went flat or the police arrested them, whereas they had done their own business and pocketed the money. The man started cursing them and they also cursed him in the name of their own gods. Gradually, one by one, the dump trucks began to die until he was left with nothing. That is when he realized he had abandoned God.

Can God trust you with laughter and your testimony?

11. **God's Spiritual Gifts.** Can the living God trust you with His spiritual gifts? Many people pray for God to give them spiritual gifts. When He gives it to you, what are you going to do with it?

1 Corinthians 12:1-11: *"Now concerning spiritual gifts, brethren, I do not want you to be ignorant: You know that you were Gentiles, carried away to these dumb idols, however you were led. Therefore I make known to you that no one speaking by the Spirit of God calls Jesus accursed, and no one can say that Jesus is Lord except by the Holy Spirit. There are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. There are differences of ministries, but the same Lord. And there are diversities of activities, but it is the same God who works all in all.*

But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to each one for the profit of all: for to one is given the word of wisdom

through the Spirit, to another the word of knowledge through the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healings by the same Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another discerning of spirits, to another different kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills."

Can God trust you to use these gifts and not to merchandise them? A sister in Africa went to a man of God to pray with her. The man said, "Before I pray with you, go and see my wife." She went to the woman, who asked her situation. After she narrated it, the woman asked her to deposit some money before she could see her husband. The sister said, "I was not prepared for that." The woman replied, "When you are ready, come back. God bless you, my sister." Can God trust you with His spiritual gifts?

12. Position of Authority. Can God trust you with a position of authority? Many people want to be the head; they want to be above; they want to be the manager.

Let us read Matthew 24:45-51: *""Who then is a faithful and wise servant, whom his master made ruler over his household, to give them food in due season? Blessed is that servant whom his master, when he comes, will find so doing. Assuredly, I say to you that he will make him ruler over all his goods. But if that evil servant says in his heart, 'My master is delaying his coming,' and begins to beat his fellow servants, and to eat and drink with the drunkards, the master of that servant will come on a day when he is not looking for him and at an hour that he is not aware of, and will cut him in two and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites. There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth."*

Everyone reading this occupies a position of authority,

irrespective of where you are; whether in your relationship or in your home. Are you a father, a mother, the oldest child, the youngest child, or the middle child? You have your own role in that home. You have authority that cannot be compared to another. There is work allocated to adults and jobs given to children. Can God trust you?

If David could not be trusted to watch over the sheep and little flock, like his father asked him to, when others were going to battle, do you think God would have made him king over Israel?

For those who have spiritual positions and spiritual authority over other people, are you feeding the people of God with the correct word of God? Are you doing for them what God intended that you should do for them? Or do you want them to come and submit themselves to you as slaves before you do what you need to do?

13. **Divine Secrets.** Can God trust you when He gives you divine secrets and knowledge of things or people? The secrets of God are with those who fear Him.

    Daniel was a trustworthy person with divine secrets. Paul the apostle said in 2 Corinthians 12:3-4, ***"And I know such a man—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know, God knows— how he was caught up into Paradise and heard inexpressible words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter."*** Can God trust you with confidential things?

14. **Divine Power.** Lucifer was given power, but did he prove trustworthy? No. He created rebellion in heaven.

    When Jesus Christ gave us power in **Luke 10:19a**, He did not say we could tread upon serpents and scorpions alone. He said, ***"Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the***

enemy…" The enemy is the devil and he has power. Can God trust you with power?

Lucifer was given power in Revelation 12:7-12: *"And war broke out in heaven: Michael and his angels fought with the dragon; and the dragon and his angels fought, but they did not prevail, nor was a place found for them in heaven any longer. So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.*

Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, "Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down. And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.

Therefore rejoice, O heavens, and you who dwell in them! Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and the sea! For the devil has come down to you, having great wrath, because he knows that he has a short time.""

I have shared before the story of an evangelist who went into serious prayer because he was going for a massive evangelism program. He prayed and fasted, and then he went for the program. When he was done with the program, he came back home. He greeted his wife and children. The children said, "Daddy, welcome." But the wife was just looking at him.

He said to his wife, "Please prepare some light food for me to break my fast." He had been fasting for many days. The woman said, "Food? You want food? Go to the kitchen and prepare it yourself." The man was shocked. "I have been fasting all these days, and you are saying that?" The man raised his hand to hit her. He had not even brought his hand

down on her yet, but the woman fell down.

He said, "I only raised my hand. What are you doing on the floor?" The woman did not move, nor did she stand up. He said, "You better get up and go and prepare the food I asked for." And he left her. But the Holy Spirit said, "If you do not start praying now, she is dead." He went back to check on her and found that she was truly not breathing. "You do not know what you carry. You raised your hand? She is already gone." He stopped thinking about breaking his fast and continued praying. He prayed and sweated without food until the woman opened her eyes.

He asked her, "Are you okay?" The woman said, "What happened? I need water." He ran to get water. "What else do you want?" The woman said, "I feel like I should eat something." He asked, "What do you want to eat?" Then He went to the kitchen and prepared food for her quickly. He did not know that he was carrying such anointing.

Can God trust you with His divine power?

SELF-EXAMINATION FOR TRUSTWORTHINESS

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2 Corinthians 13:5-7 says, ***"Examine yourselves as to whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Do you not know yourselves, that Jesus Christ is in you?—unless indeed you are disqualified. But I trust that you will know that we are not disqualified. Now I pray to God that you do no evil, not that we should appear approved, but that you should do what is honorable, though we may seem disqualified."***

Examine yourself in your relationship with the living God. Are you truly born again? Are you sincerely faithful to God? Are you abiding in Him or are you abiding in religion? It is only those who abide in Him that can bring forth fruit that will glorify the Father.

John 15:5 says, ***"I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, bears much fruit; for without Me you can do nothing."***

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Prayer Points:

1. My Father, I thank You for being my refuge and my strength, in the name of Jesus.
2. Every rain of hardship falling upon the world now, you will not touch my family, in the name of Jesus.
3. Blood of Jesus, decontaminate our city, in the name of Jesus.
4. Every satanic prescription for my life, I cancel you by fire, in the name of Jesus.
5. My Father, my Father, my Father, rearrange my portion to glorify Your name, in the name of Jesus.

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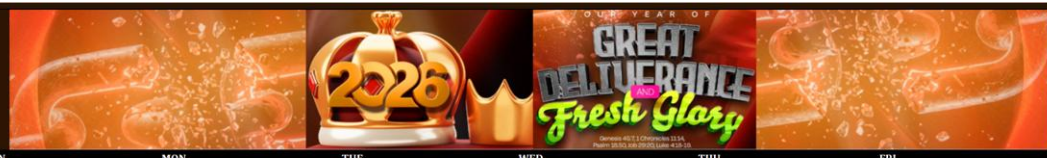

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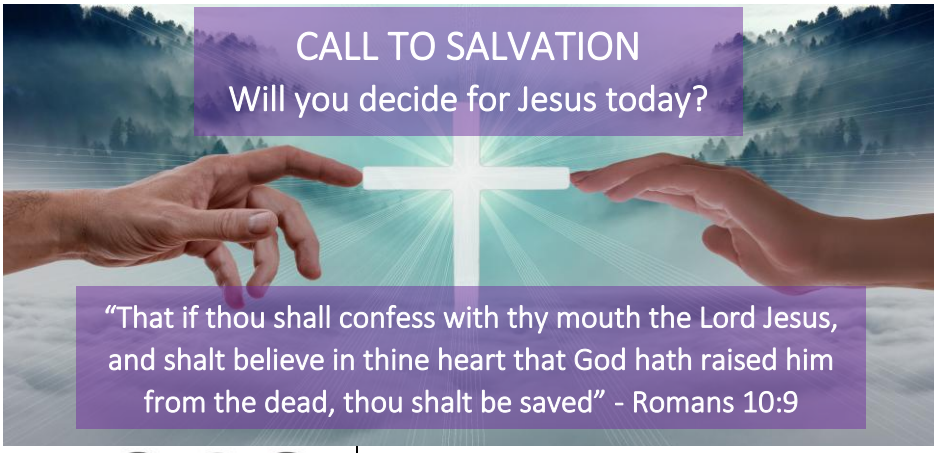

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