WALK BY FAITH NOT BY SIGHT PDF WEEK 3

Last week we discussed two major points of this series

* + 1. Faith is what you hear
    2. Obedience is what you do

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This week's PDF is going to continue with some biblical examples of “hearing” and “obeying” by FAITH!

OLD TESTAMENT EXAMPLE

Joshua 6:1-21

* Jericho was “straitly shut up” verse 1
* Joshua “heard” a word from the Lord verse 2-5
* Joshua shared what he heard with the necessary people verse 6-7
* Joshua and the people “obeyed” the Lord's instructions and received the victory verse 8-21

NEW TESTAMENT EXAMPLE

Matthew 21:2-7

* Jesus sent two disciples verse 1
* The two disciples “heard” clear and concise instructions verse 2
* NOTE: Jesus did this to fulfill prophecy in Zechariah 9:9
* The disciples “obeyed” what they were told to do verse 6-7
* Jesus was greeted with a commanding entry into the city 8-11

As we develop more into FAITH HEARERS AND OBEDIENCE DOERS lets see what similarities we can find in both of these examples.

1. These were unusual instructions
2. There was no mistaking what was said by the Lord and “heard” by the people

(Joshua and the disciples)

1. The Lord DID NOT give them instructions they were unable to do
2. The Lord's desired outcome was realized because of the obedience of the servants of the Lord

WOW what a wonderful illustration of real people obeying our real God....can I encourage you today to step out in obedience! What is it you need the Lord to do for you and more importantly, what is the Lord asking of you! Walk by Faith Not by Sight, you'll be glad you did.....God bless