



Gathering at 502 Pike Street, Superior MT

CFF WEEKLY WRAP-UP for 01/15/23

TITLE: Biblical Life-Words: Living by God's Word
TEXT: *Proverbs 3:5-6*
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Biblical Life-Word: We began last week with the word-- "SEEK" ...

Let's get started on this week's Word: "TRUST"

Definition: "A confidence, reliance, resting of the mind on the integrity, veracity, justice, friendship, or other sound principle of another person; to completely depend upon"

Remember our **Basic Outline** we will follow for each week with **3 sections:**

- 1] **Look** at our Weekly Word: TRUST
- 2] **Learn** from or about our Weekly Word: TRUST
- 3] How to **Live Out** our Weekly Word: TRUST

FIRST, LOOK:

Biblical Life-Word for Week: "TRUST" We will investigate a number of Biblical references ...

Ruth 2:12: ¹² The LORD recompense thy work, and a full reward be given thee of the LORD God of Israel, under whose wings thou art come to TRUST. (Boaz to Ruth)

2 Samuel 22:1-3: And David spake unto the LORD the words of this song in the day that the LORD had delivered him out of the hand of all his enemies, and out of the hand of Saul: ² And he said, The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; ³ The God of my rock; in Him will I TRUST: He is my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my high tower, and my refuge, my Saviour; Thou savest me from violence.

2 Samuel 22:31: As for God, His way is perfect; the word of the LORD is tried: He is a buckler (Shield) to all them that TRUST in Him.

2 Kings 18:5: ⁵ He (Hezekiah) TRUSTed in the LORD God of Israel; so that after him was none like him among all the kings of Judah, nor any that were before him.

Job 13:15: Though He slay me, yet will I TRUST in Him: but I will maintain mine own ways before Him.

Psalm 5:11: (70 References in Ps.) But let all those that put their TRUST in Thee rejoice: let them ever shout for joy, because Thou defendest them: let them also that love Thy name be joyful in Thee.

Psalm 18:2: The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will TRUST; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower.

Psalm 20:7: Some TRUST in chariots, and some in horses: but we will remember the name of the LORD our God.

Psalm 34:8: O taste and see that the LORD is good: blessed is the man that TRUSTeth in Him.

Psalm 56:3-4: ³ What time I am afraid, I will TRUST in thee. ⁴ In God I will praise his word, in God I have put my TRUST; I will not fear what flesh can do unto me.

Psalm 118:8: It is better to TRUST in the LORD than to put confidence in man.

Psalm 143:8: Cause me to hear Thy lovingkindness in the morning; for in Thee do I TRUST: cause me to know the way wherein I should walk; for I lift up my soul unto Thee.

Proverbs 30:5: Every word of God is pure: He is a shield unto them that put their TRUST in him.

Isaiah 26:3: Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee: because he TRUSTeth in Thee.

Jeremiah 17:7: Blessed is the man that TRUSTeth in the LORD, and whose hope the LORD is.

Nahum 1:7: The LORD is good, a strong hold in the day of trouble; and He knoweth them that TRUST in Him.

Mark 10:24: And the disciples were astonished at His words. But Jesus answereth again, and saith unto them, Children, how hard is it for them that TRUST in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!

2 Corinthians 1:9-10: But we had the sentence of death in ourselves, that we should not TRUST in ourselves, but in God which raiseth the dead: Who delivered us from so great a death, and doth deliver: in whom we TRUST that he will yet deliver us;

1 Timothy 6:17: Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor TRUST in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy.

SECOND, LEARN

Biblical Life Word for Week: “TRUST” -- to Learn from Our Biblical Life Word for the Week we will examine it in **3 Points:**

1st Point: SELECT one specific passage of Scripture referencing TRUST:

Proverbs 3:5: ⁵ TRUST in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

Proverbs 3:6: ⁶ In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.

2nd Point: **STUDY** our one specific passage of Scripture: **Proverbs 3:5-6**

Oh, by the way a great reminder of why we study the Bible is found in **1 Peter 1:24-25**: *24 For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away: 25 But the word of the Lord endureth forever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.*

Study Point 1: If you are a born-again child of God committed to following Jesus daily, *these verses are for you*. You're **first assignment** is to *5 Trust in the LORD with all thine heart: totally-completely rely on and only depend upon Him.*

Study Point 2: If you are a born-again child of God committed to following Jesus daily, *these verses are for you*. Your **second assignment** is to *5b lean not unto thine own understanding:* the object of your **trust** must only be the Lord; He alone is totally completely trustworthy every time—all the time!

Prov. 28:26

26 He that trusteth in his own heart is a fool: but whoso walketh wisely, he shall be delivered.

Study Point 3: If you are a born-again child of God committed to following Jesus daily, *these verses are for you*. Your **third assignment** is *6 In all thy ways acknowledge Him: Philippians 4:6*

6 Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

Study Point 4: If you are a born-again child of God committed to following Jesus daily, *these verses are for you*. When you and I follow these **assigned steps** there will always be a **result or benefit** from the Lord; He will show you the way and make that way passable!

Luke 1:37

37 For with God nothing shall be impossible.

3rd Point: **SUMMARIZE** our specific passage of Scripture: **Proverbs 3:5-6**

Summary Statement 1: "In order to **trust** in your Lord 'with all your heart', you must first **stop trusting in yourself**--you must acknowledge that you can't, but He can!"

Pastor Tony Evans in Dallas, TX writes: Proverbs 3:5-6 "The Hebrew word for trust means to lie down on—to put your entire weight on something. When you go to sleep, you lie down on your bed because you believe it is strong enough to hold you. With all thine heart means entirely, without exception. So, in essence God says, "Trust me completely; I can sustain you. Your own understanding won't support you."

Matthew 6:33

But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Galatians 2:20

I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave Himself for me.

Summary Statement 2: ⁶ In all thy ways acknowledge Him... This statement stresses the fact that we are to **consider all of life**, to be careful in everything, no exceptions to the limits or scope of this requirement. There's a perfect illustration to our summary point found in *two separate encounters* our Lord has with His disciples.

The two passages for this illustration are found in [Luke 5:1-11](#) and [John. 21:1-8](#). Both involve the lack of catching and the catching of fish.

- If you're going fishing, and you are, take Jesus with you!
- As you are going fishing, there will be some net working to be done; He includes you in His catch! (Better learn how to clean fish and yes, it will be messy!)
- It's never about the fish, it's always about Jesus!

FINALLY, LIVE OUT:

Biblical Life Word for the Week: "TRUST," by taking these 3 steps of action:

Action Step One: As a child of God, a true follower of Jesus, you must **choose to Face the Fact of**

[John 16:33](#)

These things I have spoken unto you, that in Me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

Action Step Two: As a child of God, a true follower of Jesus, you must **choose to Deal with Your Doubt:**

[Matthew 21:21](#)

Jesus answered and said unto them, Verily I say unto you, If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this which is done to the fig tree, but also if ye shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; it shall be done.

[1 Timothy 2:8](#)

I will therefore that men pray every where, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting.

[1 John 4:4](#)

Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

[1 John 5:9](#)

If we receive the witness of men, the witness of God is greater: for this is the witness of God which He hath testified of His Son.

Action Step Three: As a child of God, a true follower of Jesus, you must **choose to Rely on and Rest upon** [Your Source:](#)

[John 15:7](#)

If ye abide in Me, and My words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

[Ephesians 1:3](#)

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

Philippians 4:13

I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

Philippians 4:19

But my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.

1 John 5:14-15

¹⁴ And this is the confidence that we have in Him, that, if we ask any thing according to His will, He heareth us:¹⁵ And if we know that He hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of Him.

CONCLUSION

“Through It All” by Andrae’ Crouch

I’ve had many tears and sorrows,
I’ve had questions for tomorrow,
There’ve been times I didn’t know right from wrong.
But in every situation, God gave me blessed consolation,
that my trials come to only make me strong.

*Through it all, through it all,
I’ve learned to **trust in Jesus**,
I’ve learned to **trust in God**.
Through it all, through it all,
I’ve learned to **depend upon His Word**.*

I’ve been to lots of places,
I’ve seen a lot of faces,
There’ve been times I felt so all alone.
But in my lonely hours, yes, those precious lonely hours,
Jesus lets me know that I was still His own

I thank God for the mountains,
and I thank Him for the valleys,
I thank Him for the storms He brought me through.
For if I’d never had a problem, I wouldn’t know God could solve them,
I’d never know what faith in God could do.