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DO I KNOW YOU?

A “MOSES MOMENT!”

- Please pray with me to invite Holy Spirit
- HONOR and PRIVILEGE
- Pastor Trey – “Will you deliver message?”
- The “Moses Moment” (Exodus 3&4)
 - I’m not good enough!
 - I don’t have all the answers!
 - People won’t believe me!
 - I’m a terrible public speaker!
 - I’m not qualified – send anyone but me!
- Fasting and Prayer:
It’s NOT ABOUT YOU, IT’S ABOUT ME!



DO I KNOW YOU?

AN ORDINARY, SIMPLE QUESTION



Could be:

- **Humorous** (Waiting at mall for ride)
- **Scary** (Child lost in Walmart)
- **Humiliating** (Speaking as an acquaintance, only one knows the other)
- **Disastrous** (IFF/Question-Response Challenge)
- **Greatest Tragedy in Human Existence**
- **Greatest GIFT in Human Existence**

22 “THE MAN WITH TWO BAGS OF GOLD ALSO CAME.
‘MASTER,’ HE SAID, ‘YOU ENTRUSTED ME WITH TWO BAGS OF GOLD;
SEE, I HAVE GAINED TWO MORE.’

23 “HIS MASTER REPLIED, ‘**WELL DONE, GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT!**
YOU HAVE BEEN FAITHFUL WITH A FEW THINGS;
I WILL PUT YOU IN CHARGE OF MANY THINGS.
COME AND SHARE YOUR MASTER’S HAPPINESS!’

FROM JESUS’ PARABLE OF THE TALENTS

-MATTHEW 25:22-23 (NIV)

WHAT WE DESIRE TO HEAR FROM OUR LORD!

21 “NOT EVERYONE WHO SAYS TO ME, ‘LORD, LORD,’
WILL ENTER THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN, BUT ONLY THE ONE
WHO DOES THE WILL OF MY FATHER WHO IS IN HEAVEN.

22 MANY WILL SAY TO ME ON THAT DAY, ‘LORD, LORD,
DID WE NOT PROPHECY IN YOUR NAME AND IN YOUR NAME
DRIVE OUT DEMONS AND IN YOUR NAME PERFORM MANY MIRACLES?’

23 THEN I WILL TELL THEM PLAINLY, ‘**I NEVER KNEW YOU.**
AWAY FROM ME, YOU EVILDOERS!’

FROM JESUS’ SERMON ON THE MOUNT -MATTHEW 7:21-23 (NIV)

WHAT WE DO NOT WANT TO HEAR FROM JESUS!

SHANE'S CONCLUSION LAST WEEK: GOD SEES YOU AS A THOROUGHbred

WHAT HE KNOWS IS WE ARE GREAT WITH HIM...
WE HAVE A MISSION AND WE MUST BE ABOUT IT.
IT'S TIME TO SETTLE UP THAT WHICH WE ARE
ENTANGLED WITH AND KNOW WE WERE CREATED
FOR MORE. LET US NOT HAVE TO BE TAUGHT FOR
40 YEARS A CLEARER MESSAGE. **LET US NOT WALK
IN THE WILDERNESS OF OUR OWN SELF-DOUBT.**

**SOME HERE ARE CERTAIN,
OTHERS ARE UNCERTAIN. TODAY.**

I 
CERTAINTY



MISTAKEN BELIEFS

TESTIMONIES

CAN YOU RELATE?

MISTAKEN BELIEFS: I **HAVE** A LOVE RELATIONSHIP WITH
JESUS. JESUS **IS** THE LORD OF MY LIFE.

- **MY TESTIMONY**

- 3-5 YEARS OLD
- AGES 6-15
- AGE 16 – SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1984
 - FROM “DO I KNOW YOU?” TO FREEDOM IN CHRIST!

- **NORMA’S SITUATION**

- HER SPIRITUAL RESUME
- SIMPLE QUESTION
- 80 YEARS OLD, ASKED JESUS TO BE LORD OF HER LIFE!
 - FROM “DO I KNOW YOU?” TO ASSURANCE OF SALVATION!

BE ENCOURAGED!



You may already know the Truth and have a vibrant relationship with Jesus.

If so, praise God!

Doubt
≠
Unbelief

You may be wrestling and struggling with your faith and questions of doubt and unbelief.

If so, praise God!



You may be wondering **how** you can have a relationship with Jesus and His promise and absolute certainty that you'll be with Him for all **of eternity.**
If so, praise God!

THE PROBLEM

“FOR ALL HAVE SINNED AND FALL SHORT OF THE GLORY OF GOD.” -ROMANS 3:23 (NIV)

ALL MEN AND WOMEN ARE SINNERS WHEN MEASURED AGAINST THE STANDARD OF A HOLY GOD.

THE PREDICAMENT

“NOW TO HIM WHO WORKS, THE WAGES ARE NOT COUNTED AS GRACE BUT AS DEBT. BUT TO HIM WHO DOES NOT WORK BUT BELIEVES ON HIM WHO JUSTIFIES THE UNGODLY HIS FAITH IS ACCOUNTED FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS.” -ROMANS 4:4-5 (NIV)

THERE IS NOTHING A PERSON CAN DO TO EARN OR MERIT FORGIVENESS AND A RIGHT STANDING BEFORE A HOLY GOD.



THE PENALTY

“THEREFORE, JUST AS SIN ENTERED THE WORLD THROUGH ONE MAN, AND DEATH THROUGH SIN, IN THIS WAY DEATH CAME TO ALL PEOPLE, BECAUSE ALL SINNED.” -ROMANS 5:12
(NIV)

SIN DEMANDS A PENALTY, AND THAT PENALTY IS PHYSICAL DEATH (WHERE THE SOUL IS SEPARATED FROM THE BODY) AND SPIRITUAL DEATH (WHERE THE SOUL IS ETERNALLY SEPARATED FROM GOD).

THE PROVISION

“BUT GOD DEMONSTRATES HIS OWN LOVE FOR US IN THIS: WHILE WE WERE STILL SINNERS, CHRIST DIED FOR US.” -ROMANS 5:8 (NIV)

GOD LOVES US SO MUCH THAT HE PROVIDED JESUS CHRIST, HIS SON, TO TAKE OUR PLACE ON THE CROSS AND PAY THE PENALTY FOR OUR SINS.

THE PARDON

“FOR THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH, BUT **THE GIFT OF GOD** IS ETERNAL LIFE IN CHRIST JESUS OUR LORD.” -ROMANS 6:23 (NIV)

GOD, IN GRACE, IS FREELY GIVING ETERNAL LIFE TO EVERY PERSON WHO RECEIVES FORGIVENESS FOR THEIR SINS THROUGH JESUS CHRIST.

“IF YOU DECLARE WITH YOUR MOUTH, ‘JESUS IS LORD,’ AND BELIEVE IN YOUR HEART THAT GOD RAISED HIM FROM THE DEAD, **YOU WILL BE SAVED.** ¹⁰ FOR IT IS WITH YOUR HEART THAT YOU BELIEVE AND ARE JUSTIFIED, AND IT IS WITH YOUR MOUTH THAT YOU PROFESS YOUR FAITH AND ARE SAVED.” -ROMANS 10:9-10 (NIV)

WE MUST TURN TO THE RISEN LORD JESUS IN FAITH, TRUSTING HIM ALONE, APART FROM ANY HUMAN MERIT, TO DELIVER US FROM OUR SINS AND BRING US INTO A RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD.

THE PROCESS

CHARACTERISTICS OF A LIFE RULED BY:

- **OUR FLESH:**

¹⁹ THE ACTS OF THE FLESH ARE OBVIOUS: SEXUAL IMMORALITY, IMPURITY AND DEBAUCHERY; ²⁰ IDOLATRY AND WITCHCRAFT; HATRED, DISCORD, JEALOUSY, FITS OF RAGE, SELFISH AMBITION, DISSENSIONS, FACTIONS ²¹ AND ENVY; DRUNKENNESS, ORGIES, AND THE LIKE. I WARN YOU, AS I DID BEFORE, THAT THOSE WHO LIVE LIKE THIS WILL NOT INHERIT THE KINGDOM OF GOD. – GALATIANS 5:19-21 (NIV)

- **THE HOLY SPIRIT:**

²² BUT THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT IS LOVE, JOY, PEACE, PATIENCE, KINDNESS, GOODNESS, FAITHFULNESS, ²³ GENTLENESS AND SELF-CONTROL. AGAINST SUCH THINGS THERE IS NO LAW. ²⁴ THOSE WHO BELONG TO CHRIST JESUS HAVE CRUCIFIED THE FLESH WITH ITS PASSIONS AND DESIRES. – GALATIANS 5:22-24 (NIV)



ASSURANCE OF SALVATION!

- FOR, “EVERYONE WHO CALLS ON THE NAME OF THE LORD WILL BE SAVED.” - ROMANS 10:13 (NIV)
- ALL THOSE THE FATHER GIVES ME WILL COME TO ME, AND WHOEVER COMES TO ME I WILL NEVER DRIVE AWAY. – JOHN 6:37 (NIV)
- OUR ASSURANCE RESTS ON THE FINISHED WORK OF JESUS CHRIST. WHEN JESUS DIED ON THE CROSS, HE BORE OUR SINS, ENDURING GOD’S WRATH, AND CRIED OUT, “IT IS FINISHED!” –JOHN 19:30 (NIV). BY THIS, HE MEANT THAT THE FULL PAYMENT FOR ALL OUR SINS - PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE - HAS BEEN MADE. HIS WORK OF REDEMPTION NOW COMPLETED, OUR ENTIRE SIN DEBT IS PAID IN FULL.
- THIS IS HOW WE KNOW THAT WE LIVE IN HIM AND HE IN US: HE HAS GIVEN US OF HIS SPIRIT. – 1 JOHN 4:13 (NIV)
- THE SPIRIT HIMSELF TESTIFIES WITH OUR SPIRIT THAT WE ARE GOD’S CHILDREN. – ROMANS 8:16 (NIV)
- AS WE WITNESS SPIRITUAL FRUIT PRODUCED IN OUR LIVES, WE MAY BE CONFIDENT CHRIST LIVES WITHIN US!

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~~KNOW~~
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DOES
JESUS
KNOW
YOU?



As God's co-workers we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain. 2 For he says, "In the time of my favor I heard you, and in the day of salvation I helped you." – Isaiah 49:8 (NIV) I tell you, now is the time of God's favor, now is the day of salvation. – 2 Corinthians 6:1-2 (NIV)



Today, if only you would hear his voice, 8 "Do not harden your hearts..." – Psalm 95:7-8 (NIV)



19 Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord – Acts 3:19 (NIV)

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INVITATION

PLEASE COME FORWARD TO PRAY AS THE SPIRIT LEADS