

KHG

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

“FAITH THAT PLEASES GOD”

FTPG04-“Faith Alignment”

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Week March 4-10, 2018



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Scripture References:

Mark 11:23; James 2:17-20 KJV

- 1. In Sunday’s message, Pastor MGB notes from Mark 11:23, that Jesus places a lot of emphasis on what you say in faith.**
- Jesus promises that “whoever shall say to the mountain... shall have what he says.” Was Jesus speaking literally? Are there any limitations?**
 - Additionally, Jesus says you have to believe that what you are saying will come to pass. Discuss.**
 - Jesus concludes that if you do so, you will have what you say. Discuss.**

2. In James 2:17-20, the Bible says, “faith without works is dead.”

- **Discuss.**
- **What does the Bible mean by “works?”**
- **Zechariah 4:6 says “‘Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,’ says the Lord of hosts.” How do you reconcile this Scripture with the requirement to add works to your faith?**
- **If it is going to take God to do it anyway, why do you have to accompany your faith with works?**

3. Pastor MGB makes the point that for your faith to be alive, you must align your speech and actions with what you are believing. This requires you to speak and act differently from what is going on. For example, Abraham had to call himself the father of many nations before he had fathered any children.

- Is it hypocritical to align your speech and actions with your faith when what you say and do are different from what is going on?**
- Why is it a struggle to align your speech and actions with what you believe?**

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

- 1. Can you think of a time when you thought you were operating in faith, but now realize that you had not aligned your speech and actions with what you were believing?**
- 2. Is there something you are looking for God to do for you now that requires your faith? What can you say to align your speech with what you believe? What can you do to align your actions with what you believe?**



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