

Lasting Results Session 2 Part 2

Wisdom, Understanding, Knowledge, Faith

This teaching lays out a rich framework for developing character qualities and deepening our walk with God through faith, understanding, and boldness. Here is the core points of the session summarized:

Core Themes:

- 1. Character and Process:**
 - The development of character qualities involves understanding God's Word, applying it, and allowing it to transform us over time.
 - Romans 11:17-24 highlights the importance of being grafted into God's truth as part of the process.
- 2. Steps to Engage God's Word:**
 - **Hearing, Reading, Studying, Memorizing, Meditating, Applying, and Sharing** are critical actions for integrating God's Word into our lives.
 - Faith provides the foundation to act on God's Word even when results are unseen.
- 3. Faith as Substance and Evidence:**
 - **Hebrews 11:1-3** teaches that faith makes the unseen real and tangible to the believer.
 - Faith operates as we trust in God's promises, even when they are not yet visible.
- 4. Knowledge and Understanding as Strength:**
 - Correct knowledge is essential for building faith, hope, and confidence.
 - Proverbs 24:5 underscores that knowledge increases strength, while fear weakens boldness.
- 5. Overcoming Fear with Boldness:**
 - Boldness is rooted in being fully convinced of God's truth. **Acts 4:29** and **Romans 4:20-21** reveal how confidence grows through trust in God's promises.
 - Fear often stems from a lack of understanding, particularly in topics like the baptism in the Holy Spirit (BIHS) and speaking in tongues.
- 6. Wisdom, Knowledge, and Understanding:**
 - Proverbs repeatedly emphasizes seeking wisdom, understanding, and correct knowledge to build a life that reflects God's character and purpose.
 - **Proverbs 2:1-6** describes an intentional and persistent pursuit of understanding, likened to searching for hidden treasures.
- 7. Keys to Lasting Results:**
 - A life rooted in God's Word produces fruit that lasts.
 - Faith, boldness, prayer, and love are essential components to living out the process effectively.
 - **Galatians 5:6** and **1 Corinthians 13:13** remind us that love is the greatest of all virtues and fuels faith.

Practical Takeaways:

1. Daily Practices for Growth:

- Prioritize time for reading, studying, and meditating on Scripture.
- Use tools like prayer (including praying in tongues) to deepen spiritual understanding.

2. Build Boldness and Confidence:

- Step out in faith, even when you feel uncertain, trusting in God's promises.
- Gain courage by immersing yourself in God's truth, like David confronting Goliath (1 Samuel 17).

3. Seek True Knowledge:

- Commit to learning from God's Word rather than relying on incomplete or distorted human interpretations.
- Search for wisdom with the same intensity as one would search for treasure.

4. Operate in Love:

- Faith works through love; it is the foundation for all spiritual growth and action (Galatians 5:6).
 - Ensure your pursuits are rooted in love, which outlasts and undergirds all other virtues.
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Reflection Questions:

1. Are you actively pursuing understanding and correct knowledge of God's Word?
 2. How are you allowing faith to shape your actions in areas where you cannot yet see the results?
 3. In what ways can you develop boldness to overcome fear in your spiritual walk?
 4. Are you demonstrating love as the greatest foundation in your faith journey?
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This teaching offers a comprehensive pathway to spiritual growth and maturity, emphasizing the importance of balancing knowledge, understanding, faith, and love for long-lasting results in Christ.

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