**“A Humble Walk With God”**

Good morning saints! The difference between a person who is blessed by God and one that is not. Is based on their walk with God. Let’s Get Into The Word!

**Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 5:5-9 (NKJV) says this**, “5 Likewise you younger people, submit yourselves to your elders. Yes, all of you be submissive to one another, and be clothed with humility, for “God resists the proud, But gives grace to the humble.” 6 Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, that He may exalt you in due time, 7 casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you. 8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. 9 Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world.

**Call To Worship: Psalm 100:4 (NKJV) says this,** “4 Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, And into His courts with praise. Be thankful to Him, and bless His name.

**Micah 6:1-8 (NKJV) says this,** “1 Hear now what the Lord says: “Arise, plead your case before the mountains, And let the hills hear your voice. 2 Hear, O you mountains, the Lord’s complaint, And you strong foundations of the earth; For the Lord has a complaint against His people, And He will contend with Israel. 3 “O My people, what have I done to you? And how have I wearied you? Testify against Me. 4 For I brought you up from the land of Egypt, I redeemed you from the house of bondage; And I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam. 5 O My people, remember now What Balak king of Moab counseled, And what Balaam the son of Beor answered him, From Acacia Grove to Gilgal, That you may know the righteousness of the Lord.” 6 With what shall I come before the Lord, And bow myself before the High God? Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings, With calves a year old? 7 Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, Ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, The fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? 8 He has shown you, O man, what is good; And what does the Lord require of you; But to do justly, To love mercy, And to walk humbly with your God?

The Lord had a complaint against Israel for their disregard of his commandments and their reckless behavior toward him. Therefore, to get them back right. He told them through the Prophet Micah what there problem was. And wouldn’t you know it had to do with humility. Therefore, today in 2023 it is the same.

**Matthew 7:24-29 (NKJV) says this, “24 “Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock:** 25 and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. **26 “But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand:** 27 and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall.” 28 And so it was, when Jesus had ended these sayings, that the people were astonished at His teaching, 29 for He taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes.

**Astonished** – To be greatly surprised or impressed; amazed.

The people were amazed at how clear, concise, understandable and with authority the teaching was. Which is, not how the scribes of the day did it. Therefore, understand today that the Lord blesses the humble/obedient but the proud/disobedient are on their own. Amen!

I Love You, Be Blessed!

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