**ACC Sunday Celebration Message - 25 June 2017**

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**Theme : JESUS Is Always Building HIS Workers (3)**

**Hebrews 3: 6 (NLT)**

But CHRIST, as the SON, is in charge of GOD's entire house. And we are GOD's house, if we keep our COURAGE and remain confident in our hope in CHRIST.

**IN CHRIST JESUS …**

**Where are you?  Where am I ?**

**Hebrews 2: 10**

For it was fitting for HIM, for Whom are all things and by Whom are all things, in BRINGING MANY sons to GLORY, to make the Captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

**Hebrews 2: 5 (AMP)**

It was not to angels that GOD subjected the [inhabited] WORLD of the FUTURE

[when CHRIST reigns], about which we are speaking.

**~ CHRIST was Tested through suffering > Perfected.**

**~ In our testing, we suffer only for a while.**

 **As we persevere in CHRIST, we Grow and Mature Spiritually.**

**James 1: 12 (AMP)**

Blessed [happy, spiritually prosperous, favored by GOD] is the man who is steadfast under trial and perseveres when tempted; for when he has passed the test and been approved, he will receive the [victor’s] crown of life which the LORD has promised to those who love HIM.

**GOD allow us to be tempted, to test us, expose what is in us –**

**that need to be offered up to HIM.**

**Hebrews 2: 14 (NLT)**

Because GOD's children are human beings—made of flesh and blood—the SON also became flesh and blood. For only as a human being could HE die, and only by dying could he break

the power of the devil, who had the power of death.

**~ On the Cross, JESUS Overcame satan’s power and Completed the Victory over the**

 **enemy of our soul.**

**~ Same Power in HIM works in US who Fully Trust and Dependent upon HIM.**

**Heavenly conflict for dominion on earth –**

**Spiritual Warfare of the Kingdom of GOD >< kingdom of darkness.**

**Reference ~ Daniel 10: 12 – 14.**

**Ephesians 6: 10**

Finally, my brethren, be strong in the LORD and in the POWER of HIS MIGHT.

**Ephesians 6: 12**

For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers,

against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.

**The enemy of our soul works against us through our weakness**

**1 Peter 5: 8 (AMP)**

Be sober [well balanced and self-disciplined], be alert and cautious at all times. That enemy of yours, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion [fiercely hungry], seeking someone to devour.

**~ Temptation that caused Adam and Eve to fall into sin :**

* **Desire of the Flesh > Lust of the Flesh**
* **Desire of the Eyes > Lust of the Eyes**
* **Pride of Life**

**~ Same temptation, did not work on JESUS – HE WAS STRONG IN the SPIRIT.**

**John 14: 30b (AMP)**

... For the ruler of the world (satan) is coming. And he has NO CLAIM on ME

[no power over ME nor anything that he can use against ME].

**Key to be Strong in the spirit > Love for the LORD GOD and HIS WORD and WILL through Intimate Relationship.**

**John 14: 31 (AMP)**

But so that the world may know [without any doubt] that I LOVE the FATHER, I do exactly as the FATHER has commanded ME [and act in full agreement with HIM]. Get up, let us go from here.

**John 14: 7a (AMP)**

If you had [really] known ME, you would also have known MY FATHER.

**John 14: 15 (AMP)**

“If you [really] love ME, you will keep and obey MY Commandments.

**It is a Heart Issue – Love for Self, love for the World  > Stubbornness  >**

**Hardness of Heart > Unbelief > Refusal to commit oneself to Action of FAITH.**

**Hebrews 3: 10 – 11 (AMP)**

“Therefore I was angered with this generation, and I said,

‘They always go astray in their HEART, and they did not know MY Ways [nor become progressively better and more intimately acquainted with them]’;

So I swore [an oath] in MY wrath, ‘They shall not enter MY Rest [the promised land].’”

**Hebrews 4: 6 (AMP)**

Therefore, since the Promise remains for some to enter HIS Rest, and those who

formerly had the Good News preached to them failed to [grasp it and did not] enter

because of [their unbelief evidenced by] disobedience.

**Knowing the TRUTH  ><  Living the TRUTH in Action.**

**Feeding from Tree of the Knowledge of good and evil >< Feeding from the TREE of LIFE.**

**Hebrews 3: 7 – 8**

Therefore, as the HOLY SPIRIT says: “Today, if you will hear HIS Voice, Do Not harden your hearts as in the rebellion, in the day of trial in the wilderness,

**Hebrews 3: 15 (AMP)**

While it is said, “Today [while there is still opportunity] if you hear HIS Voice, Do Not harden your heart, as when they provoked ME [in the rebellion in the desert at Meribah].”

**Hebrews 3: 16 (AMP)**

For who were they who heard and yet provoked HIM [with rebellious acts] ?

Was it not all those who came out of Egypt led by Moses ?

**Hebrews 4: 2 (AMP)**

For indeed we have had the Good News [of salvation] preached to us, just as the Israelites also [when the Good News of the promised land came to them]; but the message they heard

did not benefit them, because it was not UNITED with FAITH [in GOD] by those who heard.

**~ They believed but without FAITH Action of Obedience.**

**~ Jeroboam experienced the miracles and believed … But ...**

**~ Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also – Matthew 6: 21.**

**Apostle Paul lived Daily Aware and Treasuring CHRIST LIFE in him, and the**

**Glorious Victory it will bring.**

**Galatians 2: 20**

I have been crucified with CHRIST; it is no longer I who live, but CHRIST lives in me; and

the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of GOD, Who loved me and

gave Himself for me.

**No more logical Christians or politicians ...**

**Romans 8: 5 (AMP)**

For those who are living according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh

[which gratify the body], but those who are living according to the SPIRIT,

[set their minds on] the things of the SPIRIT [HIS Will and Purpose].

**~ Be in the Habit to live in Spirit Led Life – Grow in the Spirit, Led by the HOLY SPIRIT**

 **in TRUTH.**

**~ Commit yourself Fully to the LORD – Be the Burned Offering that pleases HIM.**

**Psalms 37: 5 – 6 (AMP)**

Commit your way to the LORD; Trust in HIM also and HE will do it.

HE will make your righteousness [your pursuit of right standing with GOD] like the light,

and your judgment like [the shining of] the noonday [sun].

**Romans 12: 1 (AMP)**

Therefore I urge you, brothers and sisters, by the Mercies of GOD, to present your bodies [dedicating all of yourselves, set apart] as a living sacrifice, holy and well-pleasing to GOD,

which is your rational (logical, intelligent) act of worship.

**Ephesians 4: 30 (AMP)**

And do not grieve the HOLY SPIRIT of GOD [but seek to please HIM], by Whom you were sealed and marked [branded as GOD's own] for the day of redemption [the final deliverance

from the consequences of sin].

**Your Choice affects others ... so Don't be full of Self Life.**

**Hebrews 4: 11 (AMP)**

Let us therefore MAKE EVERY EFFORT to enter that Rest [of GOD, to know and experience it for ourselves], so that no one will fall by following the same example of disobedience

[as those who died in the wilderness].

**~ Take Responsibility over our own Spiritual Growth and Breakthrough.**

**~ Our Conscience bear witness with us in the HOLY SPIRIT.**

**Romans 9: 1 (AMP)**

I am telling the Truth in CHRIST, I am not lying, my conscience testifies with me

[enlightened and prompted] by the HOLY SPIRIT.

**Fellowship with the Like-Minded and Spirit, those who are GOD-Kingdom Minded.**

**Hebrews 10: 24**

And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works.

**Ephesians 4: 29 (AMP)**

Do not let unwholesome [foul, profane, worthless, vulgar] words ever come out of your mouth, but only such speech as is GOOD for building up others, according to the need and the occasion, so that it will be a blessing to those who hear [you speak].

**Where you are Spiritually will Manifest in your Fellowship.**

**Ephesians 4: 1 – 3**

I, therefore, the prisoner of the LORD, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which

you were called.

With all lowliness and gentleness, with longsuffering, bearing with one another in love.

Endeavoring to keep the unity of the SPIRIT in the bond of peace.

**Ephesians 4: 4 – 6**

There is One Body and One Spirit, just as you were called in one hope of your calling;

One LORD, one faith, one baptism;

One GOD and FATHER of all, Who is above all, and through all, and in you all.

The Zabaleen – From Garbage to GLORY.

**Acts 18: 9**
Now the LORD spoke to Paul in the night by a vision,

“Do not be afraid, but speak, and do not keep silent; for I am with you, and

no one will attack you to hurt you; for I have many people in this city.”