**ACC Sunday Celebration Message - 18 June 2017**

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**Theme : JESUS Is Always Building HIS Workers (2)**

**Genesis 3 : 9**

Then the LORD GOD called to Adam and said to him, “Where are you?”

**Genesis 3 : 11 AMP**

GOD said, “Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten [fruit] the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?”

**"Where Are You?"**

**"Who Told You?"**

**Adam and Eve deceived - sinned.**

**Instinctively, their conscience start telling them they were naked, afraid, shame....**

**Self life instead of GODs Life - self was the heart of sin.**

**Satan appeal to their flesh life and desires, deceiving them to doubt GOD command and best interest for them.**

**Genesis 3 : 6 AMP**

And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was delightful to look at, and a tree to be desired in order to make one wise and insightful, she took some of its fruit and ate it; and she also gave some to her husband with her, and he ate.

**1. She saw the tree was good for Food - Desires of the Flesh.**

**2. She saw that it is delightful to look at - Desires of the eyes.**

**3. She saw that it make one wise and insightful - Pride of Life**

**4. Then she acted........**

**Consequences of their Choice - Sin - Separation from GOD.**

**It set the motions for the world - unbelief, questioning GOD's Word and ways.**

**Same temptation was used to tempt the LORD JESUS.**

**Reference ~ Matthew 4 : 1 - 11**

**Matthew 4 : 1**

Then JESUS was led up by the SPIRIT into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil.

**After JESUS Fasted for 40 Days, in his physically weak moment... the devil tempted HIM.**

**Each time, HE spoke the WORD of GOD.**

**Hebrews 4 : 12**

For the word of GOD is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

**1 John 2 : 16 - 17**

For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the FATHER but is of the world.

And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of GOD abides forever.

**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 wants Workers that start well and end Strong.**

**HE is building a Church where the gate of hell can not prevail against it.**

**Reference ~ 1 King 13**

**These people all had GODs Word and Clear direction from the LORD.**

**Jeroboam -**

**Man of GOD -**

**The Old Prophet -**

**They were all tested in the Light of GODs Word and Commands, and failed.**

**The Books of Kings and Chronicles - History of the Kings of Israel :**

**Begin with King David and his successor - end in Babylonian captivities, and the last King released from captivity.**

**Begin with the account of the Building of the Temple, and closed with the destruction of the temple.**

**GOD didn't want us to be like Solomon with many great achievements but...**

**Galatians 4 : 19 AMP**

My little children, for whom I am again in [the pains of] labor until CHRIST is [completely and permanently] formed within you--

**Bible begin with GOD and HIS Perfect Plan and Purpose - ended in the Book of Revelation with GOD's Glorious Kingdom and the Triumphant Bride of CHRIST.**

**Ref ~ Revelation 21 : 9-27**

**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.

**NKJV**....... if we hold fast the confidence and the rejoicing of the hope firm to the end.

**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.