

Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

January 1

GOD IS GOOD

Hebrews 11:1-2 (NKJV) "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good testimony.

- The essence of faith: Being _____ about unseen _____.

Hebrews 11:3-5 (NKJV) "By faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that the things which are seen were not made of things which are visible. By faith Abel offered to God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, through which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts; and through it he being dead still speaks. By faith Enoch was taken away so that he did not see death, "and was not found, because God had taken him"; for before he was taken he had this testimony, that he pleased God."

Hebrews 11:6 (NKJV) "But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him."

- You have to _____ in the goodness of God in order to _____ the goodness of God.

Psalms 68:19 (NKJV) "Blessed be the Lord, who daily loads us with benefits, the God of our salvation!"

- We must believe that _____

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2 Timothy 2:13 (NIV) "If we are faithless, he remains faithful, for he cannot disown himself."

Luke 11:13 (NKJV) "If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"

Acts 10:38 "God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him."

Proverbs 24:16 (NKJV) "For a righteous man may fall seven times, Yet will he rise again."

Psalms 37:23-24 (NKJV) "The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD and He delights in his way. Though he falls, he shall not be utterly cast down; For the LORD upholds him with His hand."

Romans 8:32 (NKJV) "He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all—how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things?"

James 4:2 "You have not because you ask not"

- If you don't believe in the goodness of God, _____ . If you don't believe he's a rewarder, you won't _____ .**

2 Corinthians 9:6-8 (NIV) "Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each man should give what he has decided in his heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. (NIV)"

Jeremiah 29:11 "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." (NIV)"

John 3:16-17 "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved". (NKJV)"

Ephesians 2:1 (NIV) "As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins."

Ephesians 2:4-5 (NIV) "But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions".

2 Samuel 14:14 (NIV) "But God does not take away life; instead, he devises ways so that a banished person may not remain estranged from him."

Ephesians 3:20 (NKJV) "He is able to do exceedingly, abundantly, above anything that you could ask. According to the power that is working in you".

Psalms 100:5 (LB) "The Lord is always good. He is always loving and kind, and his faithfulness goes on and on to each succeeding generation."

Psalms 34:8-9 (MSG) "Open your mouth and taste, open your eyes and see how good GOD is. Blessed are you who run to him. Worship GOD if you want the best; worship opens doors to all his goodness".