

TITLE: "Faith that Conquers Guile"

TEXT: Psalm 119:97

CONTEXT: Psalm 1

OPPOSITE OF GUILDE: Faith - visualizing what God intends to do in a given situation and acting in harmony with it!

HEB 11:1

"As ye have therefore received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk ye in Him" - Col 2:6 (see John 1:12)

① Start walking with the Lord - Ps 1:1 Mt 6:24-34

A. Confess your guile of _____ - 1 John 1:9 Mr 5:4

B. Willingly give your heart to God - PROV 23:26

C. Present your body a living sacrifice - ROM 12:1

D. Transform your mind with scripture - ROM 12:2

② Memorize and Meditate on the Word of God - Ps 1:2

A. Memorize ROM 6 "What shall we say then? Shall we continue in sin that grace may abound? GOD FORBID." (Ps 119:11)

B. Meditate (Personalize) on ROM 6 "What shall I say then? Shall I continue in guile that grace may abound? God forbids me!" (Ps 27:1)

③ When the character of Christ is formed in your heart, the 4 rewards of faithful prayer begin: v3

A. "Tree planted" - Call of Christ - Jer 17:7-8

B. "FRUIT" - no guile, only one Lord - Gal 5:22-24

C. "Not wither" - praise God - HEB 13:15

D. "Prosper" - Power of God - Jas 1:8

④ The Heart of

Soul winning is formed in those who know the Lord! v 4-6 (PROV 11:30)

Without Christ, sinners...

A....are separated from truth v.4

B....can't stand in God's judgement or with the righteous v.5

C....shall perish in Hell without the Gospel v.6

1 Thess 1:7-10

THEREFORE,

"GO YE..." MK 16:15

WHAT A PROMISE!: JOHN 15:7-10

*HERE'S HOPE: In JOHN 21, Nathanael backslid, but Christ restored him in LOVE!

JOHN E. ALBAUGH 7-12-2008