

Spiritual Authority

Many people believe that God can do whatever He wants and if he wanted, He could save everybody, heal everybody, prosper everybody, and give everybody every good thing. We're not all saved, healed, prosperous and we don't have every good thing. Why not?

Psalm 78:41 *Yea, they turned back and tempted God, and limited the Holy One of Israel.*

**1) God was limited in what He could do for them because of their (hunger, disobedience, thirst)

2 Chronicles 16:9 *For the eyes of the LORD run to and fro throughout the whole earth, to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him. Herein thou hast done foolishly: therefore from henceforth thou shalt have wars.*

**2) Does God want to show Himself strong in our lives? YES NO

**3) A perfect heart is one that trusts, has faith in God. TRUE FALSE

Mark 6:5-6 *And he could there do no mighty work, save that he laid his hands upon a few sick folk, and healed them. And he marvelled because of their unbelief. And he went round about the villages, teaching.*

**4) Jesus couldn't bless people like he wanted to because of (lack of money, fleas, unbelief).

James 4:7 *Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.*

**5) What happens when you submit to God and resist the devil? (devil runs away, a tornado)

**6) What happens when you don't submit to God and resist the devil? (bad things, good things)

**7) Does God make you submit to Him? YES NO

**8) How do we resist the devil? (wear a gold cross, act on God's Word)

Luke 11:9,10 *And I say unto you, Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you. For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened.*

**9) What happens if you don't ask? (God gives it to you anyway, you don't receive)

**10) Whose fault is it if you don't ask? (God's fault, devil's fault, your fault)

**11) How do we ask? (pray God's Word, beg)

**12) An example of biblical seeking would be (watching TV, coming to Bible study)

**13) An example of biblical knocking would be (reading your Bible even though you don't always understand it, knocking on the table during lunch)

**14) God has promised that if you ask, it will be _____ you.

**15) God has promised that if you seek, you will _____.

**16) God has promised that if you knock, it will be _____ to you.

Romans 10:13 *For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.*

**17) What if you don't call upon the name of the Lord? (you won't be saved, God will take you to heaven anyway because He loves you.)

**18) The name of the Lord is (Buddha, Baal, Jesus).

**19) For _____ shall call upon the named of the Lord shall be saved.

**20) Can anyone be saved? YES NO