



H.O.P.E. – Part III

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What do you expect!?

When you ignore the Word of God?

Romans 10:3

3 For they don't understand God's way of making people right with himself. Refusing to accept God's way, they cling to their own way of getting right with God by trying to keep the law.

When you know the truth then you think yourself out of the truth?

Proverbs 3:5

⁵Trust in the LORD with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding.

Jesus died for you, but you refuse to die to self!

1 John 3:22

22 And we will receive from him whatever we ask because we obey him and do the things that please him.

What do you expect!

You should expect the mercy and grace of God covering you!

Matthew 5:7

7 God blesses those who are merciful, for they will be shown mercy.

Psalms 86:5

5 O Lord, you are so good, so ready to forgive, so full of unfailing love for all who ask for your help.

2 Corinthians 6:1

1 As God's partners, we beg you not to accept this marvelous gift of God's kindness and then ignore it.



You should expect to have whatever you say!

Mark 11:2-24

22 Then Jesus said to the disciples, "Have faith in God. 23 I tell you the truth, you can say to this mountain, 'May you be lifted up and thrown into the sea,' and it will happen. But you must really believe it will happen and have no doubt in your heart. 24 I tell you, you can pray for anything, and if you believe that you've received it, it will be yours.

You should expect to be as you think!

Proverbs 16:3

3 Commit your works to the LORD, and your thoughts will be established.

Romans 12:2

2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

Proverbs 23:7 (King James Version)

7For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he.

You should expect the love of God!

John 14:21

21 He who has My commandments and keeps them, it is he who loves Me. And he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and manifest Myself to him."

John 3:16

16 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.

You should expect the ability to do all things through Christ!

Philippians 4:13

13 I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

You should expect the favor of God!

Proverbs 12:2

² The LORD approves of those who are good, but he condemns those who plan wickedness.



You should expect to hear from God!

John 5:24-25 (Amplified Bible)

24I assure you, most solemnly I tell you, the person whose ears are open to My words [who listens to My message] and believes and trusts in and clings to and relies on Him Who sent Me has (possesses now) eternal life. And he does not come into judgment [does not incur sentence of judgment, will not come under condemnation], but he has already passed over out of death into life.

25Believe Me when I assure you, most solemnly I tell you, the time is coming and is here now when the dead shall hear the voice of the Son of God and those who hear it shall live.