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2016: THE YEAR OF RENEWED MINDS AND RECEPTIVE HEARTS!

In God we Trust

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Trust in God!

Proverbs 3:5 (New Living Translation, NLT)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding.

Proverbs 3:5 (Amplified Bible, Classic Edition, AMPC)

Lean on, trust in, and be confident in the Lord with all your heart and mind and do not rely on your own insight or understanding.

Proverbs 3:5-12 (The Message, MSG)

5-12 **Trust God** from the bottom of your heart; don't try to figure out everything on your own. Listen for God's voice in everything you do, everywhere you go; he's the one who will keep you on track. Don't assume that you know it all. Run to God! Run from evil! Your body will glow with health, your very bones will vibrate with life! Honor God with everything you own; give him the first and the best. Your barns will burst, your wine vats will brim over. But don't, dear friend, resent God's discipline; don't sulk under his loving correction. It's the child he loves that God corrects; a father's delight is behind all this.

Mark 11:22 (AMPC)

And Jesus, replying, said to them, Have faith in God [constantly].

Trust in God; Love man

Psalm 118:8-9 (Easy-to-Read Version, ERV)

8 It is better to **trust in the Lord** than to trust in people. 9 It is better to **trust in the Lord** than to trust in great leaders.

You may have noticed over the past several decades an erosion of a public stance for God as our Lord; and The Name of Jesus used with such disrespect.

These actions have caused an avalanche of ignorance of our creator and His role in our universal lives. We don't trust God because we don't know God!

We are alienating God out of our everyday lives but expecting God type results.

- **Banning prayer in public schools**
- **Banning the pledge of allegiance**
- **Removing the ten commandments from public government buildings**
- **Increased public misuse of the Name of Christ...Jesus!**
- **We are increasing in knowledge while we are decreasing in morality.**
- **As we increase in knowledge we are building our own morality based on how we feel, our experiences, and our environments.**
- **Unfortunately God is diminishing as our cornerstone; our moral foundation upon which we build our lives... resulting in the extreme issues we face today.**

People don't trust God!

2 Timothy 3:1-5 (Amplified Bible, AMP)

1 But understand this, that in the last days dangerous times [of great stress and trouble] will come [difficult days that will be hard to bear]. 2 For people will be lovers of self [narcissistic, self-focused], lovers of money [impelled by greed], boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy and profane, 3 [and they will be] unloving [devoid of natural human affection, calloused and inhumane], irreconcilable, malicious gossips, devoid of self-control [intemperate, immoral], brutal, haters of good, 4 traitors, reckless, conceited, lovers of [sensual] pleasure rather than lovers of God, 5 holding to a form of [outward] godliness (religion), although they have denied its power [for their conduct nullifies their claim of faith]. Avoid such people and keep far away from them.

Matthew 24:12 (AMPC)

And the love of the great body of people will grow cold because of the multiplied lawlessness and iniquity,

You can trust God; He can't lie!

Numbers 23:19 (New Living Translation, NLT)

God is not a man, so He **does not lie**. He is not human, so he does not change his mind. Has he ever spoken and failed to act? Has he ever promised and not carried it through?

Hebrews 6:18 (NLT)

So God has given both his promise and his oath. These two things are unchangeable because **it is impossible for God to lie**. Therefore, we who have fled to him for refuge can have great confidence as we hold to the hope that lies before us.

You can trust God!

1 Corinthians 10:13 (MSG)

No test or temptation that comes your way is beyond the course of what others have had to face. All you need to remember is that **God will never let you down**; he'll never let you be pushed past your limit; he'll always be there to help you come through it.

1 Corinthians 10:13 (Living Bible, TLB)

But remember this—the wrong desires that come into your life aren't anything new and different. Many others have faced exactly the same problems before you. And no temptation is irresistible. **You can trust God** to keep the temptation from becoming so strong that you can't stand up against it, for he has promised this and will do what he says. He will show you how to escape temptation's power so that you can bear up patiently against it.

1 Corinthians 10:13 (Contemporary English Version, CEV)

You are tempted in the same way that everyone else is tempted. But **God can be trusted** not to let you be tempted too much, and he will show you how to escape from your temptations.

Hasn't God been faithful?

Luke 16:10-12 (NLT)

10 **If you are faithful in little things, you will be faithful in large ones.** But if you are dishonest in little things, you won't be honest with greater responsibilities. 11 And if you are untrustworthy about worldly wealth, who will trust you with the true riches of heaven? 12 And if you are not faithful with other people's things, why should you be trusted with things of your own?

Hasn't God been faithful? Close

John 8:1-11 (NLT)

1 Jesus returned to the Mount of Olives, 2 but early the next morning he was back again at the Temple. A crowd soon gathered, and he sat down and taught them. 3 As he was speaking, the teachers of religious law and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been **caught in the act of adultery**. **They put her in front of the crowd.** 4 "Teacher," they said to Jesus, "this woman was caught in the act of adultery. 5 The law of Moses says to stone her. What do you say?" 6 They were trying to trap him into saying something they could use against him, but Jesus stooped down and wrote in the dust with his finger. 7 They kept demanding an answer, so he stood up again and said, "All right, but let the one who has never sinned throw the first stone!" 8 Then he stooped down again and wrote in the dust. 9 When the accusers heard this, they slipped away one by one, beginning with the oldest, until only Jesus was left in the middle of the crowd with the woman. 10 Then Jesus stood up again and said to the woman, "Where are your accusers? Didn't even one of them condemn you?" 11 "No, Lord," she said. And Jesus said, "Neither do I. Go and sin no more."

Hasn't God been faithful? Invitation

Psalms 25:10 (NLT)

The Lord leads with unfailing love and faithfulness all who keep his covenant and obey his demands.

Psalm 25:10 (MSG)

From now on every road you travel Will take you to God. Follow the Covenant signs; Read the charted directions.

1 John 1:9 (AMPC)

If we [freely] admit that we have sinned *and* confess our sins, He is faithful and just (true to His own nature and promises) and will forgive our sins [dismiss our lawlessness] and [continuously] cleanse us from all unrighteousness [everything not in conformity to His will in purpose, thought, and action].