

Fear to Faith. Chapter 6

Lessons from Gideon

- V 22-His fears- feared that he would die . Godly fear. Heb 12 v28
- V 27-Feared his father's household. v 27
- V 30-He hid when they came to kill him/father defended him
- V 36-He was still doubtful/ if thou wilt save Israel

Fear was endemic. Chapt 7

- V 3-Whoever is fearful let him return - 22,000 did.
- V 10-He was told to go- But God knew - But if thou fear"
- V 15- he gets the message- Worships and declares God's Word
"Arise for the Lord hath delivered into your hands the host of Midian"

Read "There is no fear in love, but perfect love cast out fear because fear hath torment. He that feareth is not made perfect in love". 1 John 4 v 18..

Fear of God- Fear of man-The difference!!!

Fear of God

Acts 5 v 11-14. **When Annanias and Saphira died
Demonized man overthrew seven sons of Servia
Fear fell upon them and the Lord was magnified** Acts 19 v17

Fear of man

**Andrew paralyzed with fear on roof!!
Clem trapped in a metal hospital!!
Fear in Christians -Fear of man is a snare Proverbs 29 v 25
Fear = a blessing Psalm 121 v 8
Blessed is everyone that feareth the Lord
Thou mighty man of valour. Chapter 6 v 12**

Three mighty men

First the shepherd boy David. I have seen the son of Jesse the Bethlemite, that is cunning in playing and a mighty valiant man - and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the lord is with him. 1 Samuel 16 v 18

Jashobeam.	1 Chron 11 V 11
Eliazor	1 Chron 11 v 12
Abishie	1 Chron 11 v 20

Eliazor did not make it v 22/ 25

**Jeroboam 1 Kings 11 v 28
2 Samuel 23 v 8**

**Not many mighty are called-1 Cor 1 v 26
God uses weak flesh-Earthen vessels.**

How are we to judge others?

Shoes? Clean behind their cooker? Clothes?

The height of their stature -1 Sam 16 v 6/7

Jer 17 v 10 -I the Lord search the heart...

Psalm 139v 23/24 . Search me O God and see if there be any wicked way in me?

Jer 17 v 5 Cursed is man that trusteth in man that maketh the flesh his arm, who departeth from the Lord..