**Lesson 12 for Sunday, Oct. 2 , 2022**

**WHERE IS YOUR FAITH: THE "WOW" FACTOR**

"But without FAITH it is IMPOSSIBLE to please God: For she that cometh to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him."

**(Hebrews 11:6)**

"For we walk by Faith and not by sight."

**(2Corinthians 5:7)**

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**LESSON OUTLINE**

**I. The "WOW" Factor**

Old Testament New Testament

Isaiah 2:5 Hebrews 11:6

Proverbs 3:5-6 Hebrews 10:36

Isaiah 43:2 2Cor 5:7

 Ephesians 2:8

 James 1:2-4

 2Cor 10:13

 John 8:12

 Romans 6:4

 Romans 8:1

**II. The WAY Prepared**

Psalm 23:4 John 14

Psalm 25:9 Matthew 14:22

Psalm 27:11

Micah 4:2

Isaiah 30:21

Isaiah 35:8

Proverbs 2:8

Isaiah 2:3

**III. God of the Waterway**

Job 38-42 Philippians 4:13

 Acts 8

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**Questions for Consideration**

1. Why can we not please God without Faith?

2. Talk about the "WOW" Factor.

3. Discuss your "WALK" being your "way of life" and how this factors in to walking by Faith.

4. Talk about objectivity vs. subjectivity with regard to the Word of God.

5. How is it possible to "count it all joy" when you go through various issues in your life.

6. Talk about "WHEN" vs. "IF" - using James 1:2 and Isaiah 43:2.

7. How do you know that God is the God of the water?

8. What is your assurance that God has already prepared and is directing your path?

9. Discuss how your faith in the WHO proves to you that you can do the What.

10. What does the WOW factor mean to you personally.

**SisStar Reflections**

1. Your life is a life of Faith in the God who has given you the Faith that you need to not only believe, but to life your life resident in that Faith.

2. You possess the WOW factor because of your Faith in the One who has secured your salvation.

3. Storms do not last forever. All storms end at some point - and the benefit from the storm is that you grow as a result. Discuss this aspect.

4. You can rejoice because God has promised to be with you IN the storm. He has promised never to leave you nor forsake you.

5. Your "walk" with the Lord is a continuous process - and becomes your way of life.

6. God has not only prepared your way, but He has already provided everything that you need on the path that you are traveling.

7. God has you safe in His Hands - and He will not allow anyone or anything to pluck you from that place of safety.

8. Remember that our Lord is the Lord of the waters which He has created - and those waters obey His Voice.

9. Your VERTICAL RELATIONSHIP with the Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ assures that He will continue to direct your path.

10. When you remember that you are "Saved, Sanctified and Filled with the Holy Spirit," you can "......do ALL things through Christ, which strengthens you." Philippians 4:13

**Your Personal "TAKE-A-WAY" from this lesson**

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