

Six Great Hindrances To Faith Sun Am 5/29/16

1 Lack Of Understanding Of The New Creation

A In Christ, In Him, and in whom occurs 134 times in the New Testament.

2 Corinthians 5:17

¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone *is* in Christ, *he is* a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

Colossians 1:21-22

²¹ And you, who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled

²² in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy, and blameless, and above reproach in His sight—

1 Peter 1:23

²³ having been born again, not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the word of God which lives and abides forever,

Romans 8:13-14

¹³ For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.

¹⁴ For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, these are sons of God.

Revelation 1:5-6

⁵ and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead, and the ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood,

⁶ and has made us kings and priests to His God and Father, to Him *be* glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

2 Lack Of Understanding Of Our Place In Him And Him In Us.

Colossians 3:10-11

¹⁰ and have put on the new *man* who is renewed in knowledge according to the image of Him who created him,

¹¹ where there is neither Greek nor Jew, circumcised nor uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave *nor* free, but Christ *is* all and in all.

1 Corinthians 12:12-14

¹² For as the body is one and has many members, but all the members of that one body, being many, are one body, so also *is* Christ.

¹³ For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free—and have all been made to drink into one Spirit.

¹⁴ For in fact the body is not one member but many.

Ephesians 1:6

⁶ to the praise of the glory of His grace, by which He made us accepted in the Beloved.

3 Lack Of Understanding Of Righteousness

A Holds More People In Bondage Than Anything Else

B What Righteousness Is And What It Gives

James 5:16

¹⁶ Confess *your* trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous man avails much.

1 John 1:9

⁹ If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us *our* sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Lack Of Understanding Of Our Privilege And Right To Use The Name Of Jesus.

A Mark 16:16-18

¹⁶ *He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned.*

¹⁷ *And these signs will follow those who believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues;*

¹⁸ *they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover.*”

B John 14:12-14

¹² “Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.

¹³ And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

¹⁴ If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.

C John 16:23-24

²³ “And in that day you will ask Me nothing. Most assuredly, I say to you, whatever you ask the Father in My name He will give you.

²⁴ Until now you have asked nothing in My name. Ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full.

5 Lack Of Understanding About Acting On The Word

A Proverbs 3:5

⁵ Trust in the LORD with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding;

B All That Is Necessary To Ask Is, What Has God Said?

C More People Are Defeated By Counter Attacks Than Anything Else.

D Believing Demands Action

James 1:22

²² **But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.**

John 3:21

²¹ *But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God."*

Luke 8:21

²¹ **But He answered and said to them, "My mother and My brothers are these who hear the word of God and do it."**

6 Lack Of Understanding That We Are To Hold Fast To Our Confession Of Faith

A Hebrews 4:14

¹⁴ **Seeing then that we have a great High Priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast *our* confession.**

B Our Faith Keeps Pace With Our Confession

C I'm Not Moved By What I See, But by What I Believe.

D To Be Afraid To Act Or To Confess Before You Have The Manifestation Is To Doubt God's Word.

E Put The Word First Place In Your Life And Hold To Your Confession.

1 The Absolute Lordship Of Jesus, He Is The Lord Of All Things.

2 1 Peter 5:7

⁷ casting all your care upon Him, for He cares for you.

I Don't Have A Care.

3 Psalm 23:1 The LORD *is* my shepherd; I shall not want.

The Lord Is My Shepherd: I Do Not Want.

4 Isaiah 53:3-5

³ He is despised and rejected by men, A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, *our* faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.

⁴ Surely He has borne our griefs And carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, Smitten by God, and afflicted.

⁵ But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

Every Sickness, Disease, Sorrow, And Grief Was Laid On Jesus, So I Am Free From Them.

5 1 Corinthians 1:30

³⁰ But of Him you are in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God—and righteousness and sanctification and redemption—

Jesus Is Made Unto Me Wisdom, Righteousness, Sanctification, And Redemption.

F You Are Not Enjoying The Reality Of The Truth Of God's Word Because Your Confession Has You Bound.

