Great Hindrances To Faith Sun Am 7/10/22

*Lack of understanding of the new creation.*

2 Corinthians 5:17 NKJV

17Therefore, 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 NKJV

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

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

# 1 Peter 1:23 NKJV

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

# 1 Peter 2:9 NKJV

# 9But you *are* a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;

# Revelation 1:5-6 NKJV

# 5and 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,

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

# Acts 12:24 NKJV

# 24But the word of God grew and multiplied.

# Hebrews 2:9-14 NKJV

# 9But we see Jesus, who was made a little lower than the angels, for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor, that He, by the grace of God, might taste death for everyone.

# 10For it was fitting for Him, for whom *are* all things and by whom *are* all things, in bringing many sons to glory, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

# 11For both He who sanctifies and those who are being sanctified *are* all of one, for which reason He is not ashamed to call them brethren,

# 12saying:“I will declare Your name to My brethren; In the midst of the assembly I will sing praise to You.”

# 13And again:“I will put My trust in Him.”And again:“Here am I and the children whom God has given Me.”

# 14Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He Himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil,

# *Lack of understanding of our place in Him and His place in us, in Christ and in Him occurs 134 times in the New Testament. This tells us who we are and what we have.*

# Colossians 3:11 NKJV

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

# Ephesians 3:6 NKJV

# 6that the Gentiles should be fellow heirs, of the same body, and partakers of His promise in Christ through the gospel,

# *Lack of understanding of righteousness holds more people in bondage than anything else. What righteousness is and what it gives:*

# James 5:16 NKJV

# 16Confess *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 NKJV

# 9If 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.*

# Mark 16:17-18 NKJV

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

# 18theywill 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.”

# John 14:12-14 NKJV

# 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.

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

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

# John 16:23-24 NKJV

# 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.

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