BUILDING YOURSELVES ON YOUR MOST HOLY FAITH

Key verses:

*Jude 1:17- But ye, beloved remember ye the words which were spoken before of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ;*

*18- How that they told you there should be mockers in the last time, who shall walk after their own ungodly lusts.*

*19- These be they who separate themselves, sensual, having not the Spirit.*

*20- But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost.*

*21- Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.*

*Hebrews 11:1-Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.*

Is there a difference in building your faith and building up yourselves? Or should they work hand-in-hand?

What does it mean to build up yourself on your most holy faith? How will this began?

How do you train your mind, conscience, and spirit? Or, is it possible?

*1 Timothy* 4:7- But refuse profane and old wives fables, and exercise thyself rather to godliness.

*Acts 24:16- And herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offense toward God, and toward men.*

*1 Corinthians 14:1- Follow after charity, and desire spiritual gifts, but rather that ye may prophecy.*

*2- For he that speaketh in an unknown tongue speaketh not unto men, but unto God: for no man understandeth him; howbeit in the spirit he speaketh mysteries.*

*3- But he that prophesieth speaketh unto men to edification, and exhortation, and comfort.*

*4- He that speaketh in an unknown tongue edifieth himself; but he that prophesieth edifieth himself; but he that prophesieth edifieth the church*

*Romans 8:26- Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for with groanings which cannot be uttered.*

What is the believer’s most holy faith?

1. It is what you do and believe when no one is watching
2. It is how you react when you are attacked or pressed beyond measure
3. It is what you do when you are weak

Why is it important to build up your most holy faith? For the true believer will:

1. Help when falsely accused or attacked.
2. Cause one to trust in God fully and not man.
3. Assistant in survival of mockery and escape contamination of the world
4. Not returning back to old habits or sins
5. Make the impossible possible
6. Brings the unseen to the seen
7. Teaches how to respond under pressure

*Philippians 3:1- Finally, my brethren, rejoice in the Lord. To write the same things to me indeed is not grievous, but for you it is safe.*

*2- Beware of dogs, beware of evil workers, beware of the concision*

*3- For we are the circumcision, which worship God in the spirit, and rejoice in Christ Jesus, and have no confidence in the flesh.*

Examples: Joseph, Naomi, Job, Daniel, Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego responded accounted to their faith. The Shunamite whose son died responded in faith. These examples most holy faith was built up to trust God.

It is not enough to say we have faith, we must build up our most holy faith. Faith comes through suffering, challenges, obstacles, rejections, defeats, victories etc.

We are made the righteousness of God through faith. Building up yourself on your most holy faith gives strength in daily steps of faith and teaches how to possess the unseen by faith.

*Faith comes by hearing and hearing the word of God. Faith* ***IS*** *the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things unseen.*