



“The Simple Truth” part 2 Sun April 19, 2026

Foundation Scripture: II Corinthians 11:1-3

I. Things Shouldn't Be This Hard

A. **Psalm 23:1-6**

1. How Do I Get This to Become My Reality?
2. *“I know there is a real devil....I have seen him at work in this world...but is he so powerful that he can disrupt my daily walk, the life I was meant to live with God?”*

B. What is the Simple Truth?

1. Lack of Knowledge....
 - If you do not know, then how can you place it into action (Satan is trying to keep you from this knowledge....REVELATION Knowledge of WHAT GOD SAID & WHO YOU ARE!)
 - What has Satan been successful at? Keeping people in the dark concerning how to receive!
2. Lack of Action...
 - If you have revelation knowledge, then what keeps you from acting? (What are you afraid of? Today is your day!)
 - Faith without works is dead. (Remember the examples we discussed last week....**GIVE GOD SOMETHING TO WORK WITH!**)

II. Believe & Say (The Simple Truth regarding Psalm 23 and all of God's Promises)

A. **Romans 10:9-10** (Start here – this is as simple as it gets!)

1. Not Hope and Say...
 - Faith is knowing
 - Faith is Expecting
2. **Mark 11:22-23**
 - What Is Faith? **Fully Persuaded Belief in God, Knowing That God is Faithful To His Word!**
 - What is Jesus saying here? Your Faith-filled words can do anything; nothing is impossible to you when you believe!
3. **I Peter 3:10**
 - **Refrain (Stop, Restrain, or Quit)** from **Evil (Worthless, Bad, & Harmful)**
 - And His Lips that they speak no Guile (**Trick, Wile, Subtilty**) / Interesting word that God uses here....**Ephesians 6:11 (wiles – trickery and lies)**.
 - People, we need to stop accepting the lies from the enemy and stop lying to ourselves! What is the guile that we have been speaking? Anything that doesn't line up with God's Word is a lie and when we speak it, we come into agreement with Satan, and we shame our God! (**Eph 4:29**)