
Luke 16:13 No servant can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money."

Psalm 15:4 who swears to his own hurt and does not change.

Why do we question God's faithfulness?

*Gen. 12:1 The LORD had said to Abram, "Leave your country, your people and your father's household and go to the land I will show you. ² "I will make you into **a great nation** and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. ³ I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you."*

Don't measure the faithfulness of God by what you ____.
Measure the faithfulness of God by His _____.

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Faithfulness

The Fruit of the Spirit—pt. 7

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*Galatians 5:22-23 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, **kindness**, goodness, **faithfulness**, gentleness, and self-control.*

Secular man's real definition of faithfulness

Biblical faithfulness is rooted in God's _____.

Lamentations 3:22 (RSV) The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases, his mercies never come to an end; ²³ they are new every morning; great is thy faithfulness.

Psalms 36:5 (RSV) Thy steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, thy faithfulness to the clouds.

Psalms 100:5 (RSV) For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

"Faithfulness" - "emet" and "emuna." (Hebrew)

Deuteronomy 32:4 (RSV) "The Rock, his work is perfect; for all his ways are justice. A God of faithfulness and without iniquity, just and right is he."

Biblical faithfulness is seen in God's_____.

Genesis 24:27 saying, "Praise be to the LORD, the God of my master Abraham, who has not abandoned his kindness and **faithfulness** to my master. As for me, the LORD has led me on the journey to the house of my master's relatives."

Psalms 40:11 Do not withhold your mercy from me, O LORD; may your love (hesed) and your truth (covenant loyalty/faithfulness) always protect me.

2 Timothy 2:13 ... if we are faithless, he will remain faithful, for he cannot disown himself.

Our faithfulness is rooted in God's faithfulness.

God fulfills his _____.

Hebrews 10:23 Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful.

Hebrews 11:11 By faith Abraham, even though he was past age--and Sarah herself was barren--was enabled to become a father because he considered Him faithful who had made the promise.

Brings _____ to sufferers.

1 Peter 4:19 So then, those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their **faithful Creator** and continue to do good.

_____ confessed sins.

1 John 1:9 **If** we confess our sins, **he is faithful** and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

Helps us with _____.

1 Corinthians 10:13 (RSV) No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. **God is faithful**, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your strength, but with the temptation will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.

A faithful man

Luke 16:10 (RSV) He who is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and he who is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much.

Luke 16:11 If then you have not been faithful in the worldly wealth, who will entrust to you true riches?

Luke 16:12 And if you have not been faithful in that which is another's, who will give you that which is your own?
