Faith in Action | No More Frustration!

1. Lesson Summary and Objective

This lesson explores how frustration often arises not from external circumstances but from resisting or neglecting the revealed truth of God's Word. Through the prophetic insights of Hosea, Habakkuk, and the teachings of Jesus, we see that the absence or rejection of truth leads to spiritual stagnation, while embracing and acting on the revealed Word brings clarity, freedom, and divine progress. The objective of this lesson is to equip believers to live by faith through obedience to revealed truth, removing the barriers that frustrate grace and hinder spiritual growth.

2. Key Scripture References

- Hosea 4:1, 4–6 KJV
- 2 Peter 1:19 KJV
- Habakkuk 2:1–4 KJV
- 1 John 2:21 BSB
- John 8:32 ASV
- Isaiah 34:16 KJV
- 1 Corinthians 2:4-5 KJV
- Galatians 2:21

3. Lesson Points and Discussion

Point 1: Attack the Ignorance

Ignorance of God's truth is not merely a lack of information but the absence or rejection of revelation. Hosea 4:6 teaches that people are destroyed because knowledge is missing or refused. The solution is to intentionally seek truth from the Word of God (Isaiah 34:16). Faith thrives where truth is embraced, not resisted.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. How does rejecting or neglecting truth frustrate your faith?
- 2. What practical steps can you take to 'seek out of the book of the Lord and read'?

Point 2: Attack Your Intelligence

Human wisdom can become an idol that limits faith. Paul reminds us that faith should not rest on the wisdom of men but on the power of God (1 Corinthians 2:4–5). When revelation

challenges human reasoning, we must yield our understanding to the Spirit's demonstration of truth.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What are some ways human intellect can hinder our faith response?
- 2. How can you ensure that revelation, not reasoning, governs your response to God's Word?

Point 3: Attack the Initiation

Faith requires action. Once truth is revealed, it must be acted upon. As Habakkuk 2:2–4 teaches, the vision must be written, made plain, and run with. Faith moves not by feeling but by knowing—acting confidently on what God has said.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What prevents you from acting on what God has revealed?
- 2. How does action reinforce faith and break cycles of frustration?

Point 4: Attack the Identity

A distorted sense of identity hinders faith and frustrates grace. Paul declared, 'I do not frustrate the grace of God' (Galatians 2:21). Understanding who we are in Christ frees us from the lies that create limitation. Faith operates from identity—knowing we are sons and heirs with authority and purpose.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. How does misunderstanding your identity in Christ affect your ability to walk by faith?
- 2. In what ways can aligning your identity with Christ remove frustration and release grace?