

“What Did He Say?” - 2nd Service

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Numbers 23:19 NIV: God is not human, that he should lie, not a human being, that he should change his mind. Does he speak and then not act? Does he promise and not fulfill?

John 14:26 ESV: But the Helper (Comforter, Advocate, Intercessor—Counselor, Strengthener, Standby), the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name [in My place, to represent Me and act on My behalf], He will teach you all things. And He will help you remember everything that I have told you.

We read in **Hosea 4:6 (KJV)**, “My people are destroyed for a lack of knowledge,” meaning knowledge of the word of God. We have to know and believe what His word says. Then we need to stand on it. And if you say, “how do we do that?” then let’s look more closely at the word, “**STAND.**”

S - Saturate yourself in the Word. “Saturate” meaning ‘load to capacity.’

Colossians 3:16 TPT: Let the word of Christ live in you richly (fully), flooding you (to fill abundantly) with all wisdom.

Romans 15:4 TPT: Whatever was written beforehand is meant to instruct us in how to live.

T - Think good thoughts. If you want to know what you are thinking about listen to what is coming out of your mouth.

Philippians 4:8 KJV: Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things *are* honest, whatsoever things *are* just, whatsoever things *are* pure, whatsoever things *are* lovely, whatsoever things *are* of good report; if *there be* any virtue, and if *there be* any praise, think on these things.

Proverbs 23:7 NKJV: For as he thinks in his heart so is he.

(Basically, your word will reflect what you think, and your actions will follow.)

A - Apply the Word to your situation. (“Apply” means, ‘To put into action, put into effect, or to spread on.’)

James 1:22 NIV: Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.

N - Never lose sight of the enemy’s tactics. Don’t be ignorant of the enemy’s devices. Protect your spiritual house.

Mark 4:15 KJV: And these are they by the way side, where the word is sown; but when they have heard, Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word that was sown in their hearts.

The enemy will attempt to remove the Word from you/us that has been planted, so that we no longer possess it or have it. Don’t let him steal from you another day!

1 Peter 5:8-10 AMP: ⁸ Be sober [well balanced and self-disciplined], be alert *and* cautious at all times. That enemy of yours, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion [fiercely hungry], seeking someone to devour. ⁹ But resist him, be firm in *your* faith [against his attack—rooted, established, immovable], knowing that the same experiences of suffering are being experienced by your brothers and sisters throughout the world. [You do not suffer alone.] ¹⁰ After you have suffered for a little while, the God of all grace [who imparts His blessing and favor], who called you to His *own* eternal glory in Christ, will Himself complete, confirm, strengthen, and establish you [making you what you ought to be].

Keep careful watch of his tactics.

D - Don’t get it twisted. In spite of what it looks like you win. We can’t let our circumstances **diminish** (*lessen the authority*) what God says in His word. Go with me to **Psalm 44:5 NKJV:** Through You we will push down our enemies; Through Your name we will trample those who rise up against us.

Don’t allow fear or discouragement to cause you to think you have failed. We are in the last days; we cannot let the enemy win, and we cannot keep quiet!

Joshua 1:9 NLT: This is my command--be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or discouraged. For the LORD your God is with you wherever you go.

What Did He Say in His Word?! As stated in **Genesis 18:14**, “is there anything too hard for the Lord?” Find out what God says about your situation and stand on it because He has already made a way!