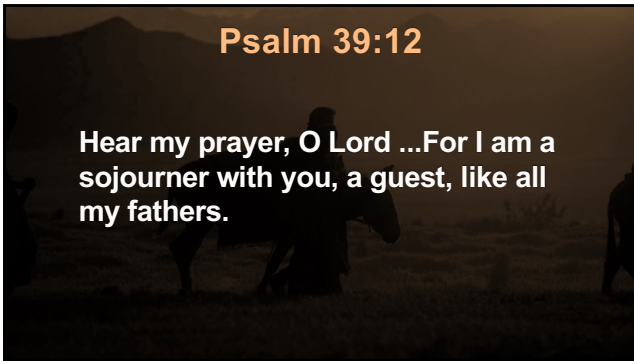
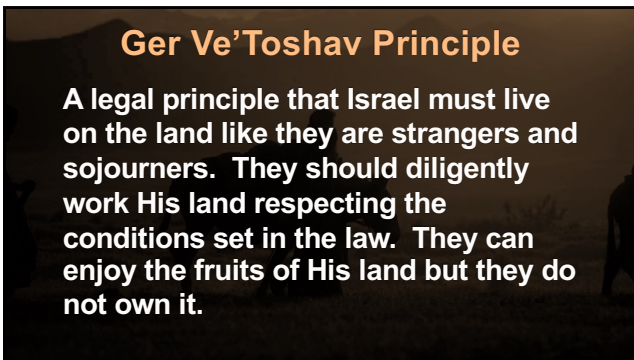




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Opportunities to Experience Goodness

God allowed Israel to experience significant physical and safety needs so that He could demonstrate His goodness to them and to a world that did not know Him.

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Question From Soul Care

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Moses

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Exodus 15

25 And he [Moses] cried to the Lord, and the Lord showed him a log [a tree], and he threw it into the water, and the water became sweet. There the Lord made for them a statute and a rule, and there he tested them,

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Exodus 15

26 saying, "If you will diligently listen to the voice of the Lord your God, and do that which is right in his eyes, and give ear to his commandments and keep all his statutes,

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Exodus 15

...I will put none of the diseases on you that I put on the Egyptians, for I am the Lord, your healer."

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Moses Models the Law of Faith

1. Seek the Word
2. Hear the Word
3. Believe the Word
4. Walk in the Word

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Secondary Relationship with God

Many Christians are satisfied with having someone in their life who knows how to operate by faith so long as they receive their miracle.



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Exodus 16

¹ They set out from Elim, and all the congregation of the people of Israel came to the wilderness of Sin, which is between Elim and Sinai, on the fifteenth day of the second month after they had departed from the land of Egypt.

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Exodus 16

² And the whole congregation of the people of Israel grumbled against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness,

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Exodus 16

³ and the people of Israel said to them, "Would that we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the meat pots and ate bread to the full, for you have brought us out into this wilderness to kill this whole assembly with hunger."

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Wilderness of Sin

Wilderness of Sin (Clay) is the desert between Elim and Mount Sinai. Wilderness or Deserts are a type of temptation, testing and molding.

Israel was taken out of Egypt by miracles. Now Egypt had to be taken out of Israel by God's powerful Word.

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Exodus 16

⁴ Then the Lord said to Moses, "Behold, I am about to rain bread from heaven for you, and the people shall go out and gather a day's portion every day, that I may test them, whether they [Israel] will walk in my law or not.

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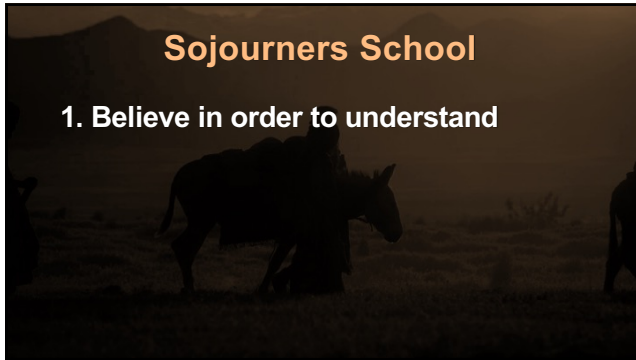
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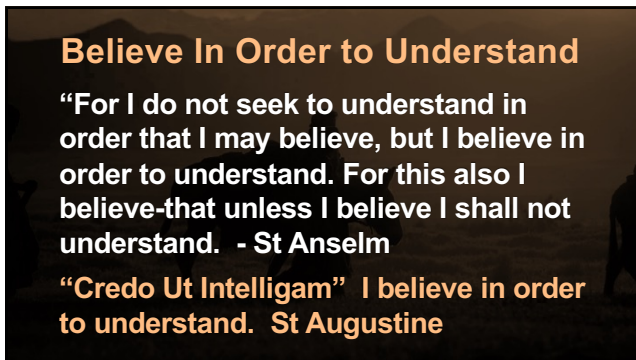


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Believe In Order to Understand

“For I do not seek to understand in order that I may believe, but I believe in order to understand. For this also I believe-that unless I believe I shall not understand. - St Anselm

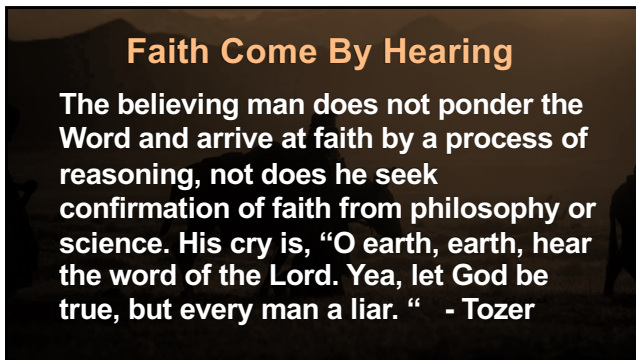
“Credo Ut Intelligam” I believe in order to understand. St Augustine



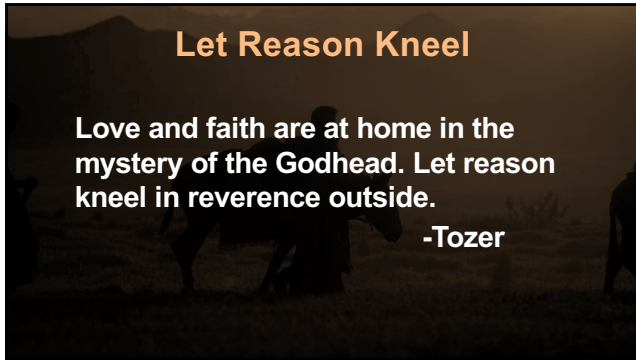
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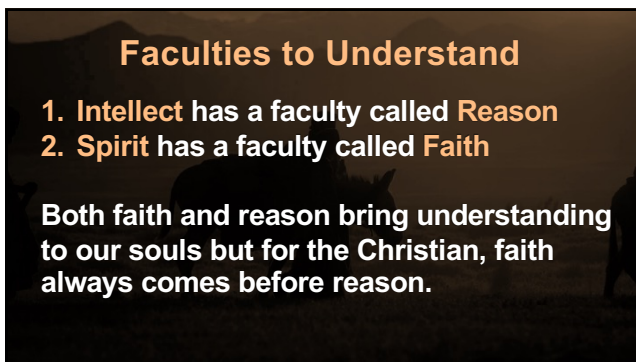
The believing man does not ponder the Word and arrive at faith by a process of reasoning, not does he seek confirmation of faith from philosophy or science. His cry is, “O earth, earth, hear the word of the Lord. Yea, let God be true, but every man a liar. “ - Tozer



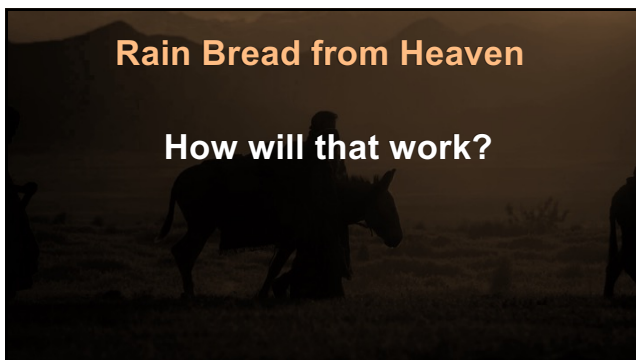
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How Much Manna Needed Per Day?

Omer (1.7kg) per person
 600,000 men x 1.7kg = 1.02M kg
 2.4M (all people) x 1.7kg = 4.08M kg
 1.02M kg = 2,248,715 lbs
 4.08M kg = 8,994,860 lbs

40 years of Manna = 131 billion pounds

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Rain Bread from Heaven

He provides from familiar resources.
 Sometimes God may provide from
 resources that we never knew existed.
 We allow room for the infinite creativity
 of God to meet every need without
 limiting Him to our understanding.

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Caution

Pragmatism leads to Cynicism
 ...And cynicism leads to indifference

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2 Timothy 3

¹ But understand this, that in the last days there will come times of difficulty.
² For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money...lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, ⁵ having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power. Avoid such people.

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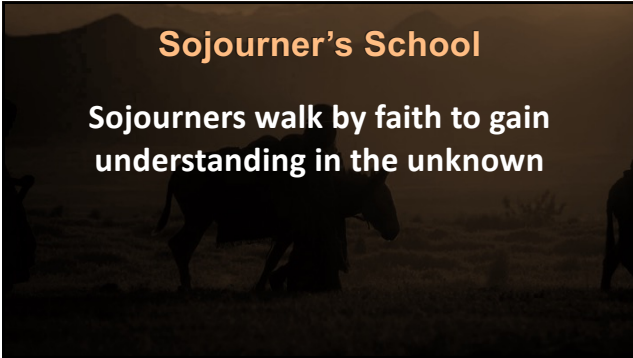
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⁷ always learning and never able to arrive at a knowledge of the truth.

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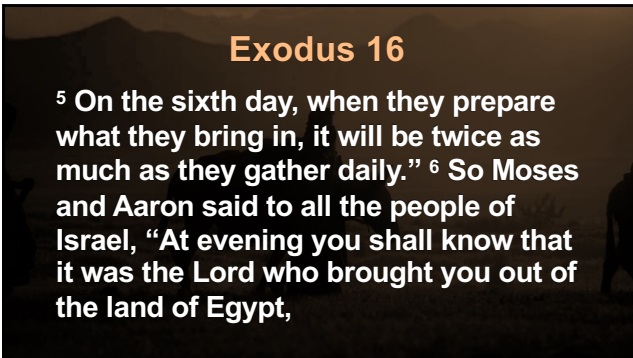
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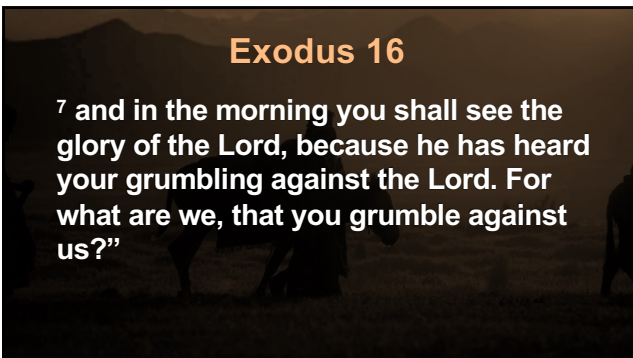
⁵ On the sixth day, when they prepare what they bring in, it will be twice as much as they gather daily.” ⁶ So Moses and Aaron said to all the people of Israel, “At evening you shall know that it was the Lord who brought you out of the land of Egypt,



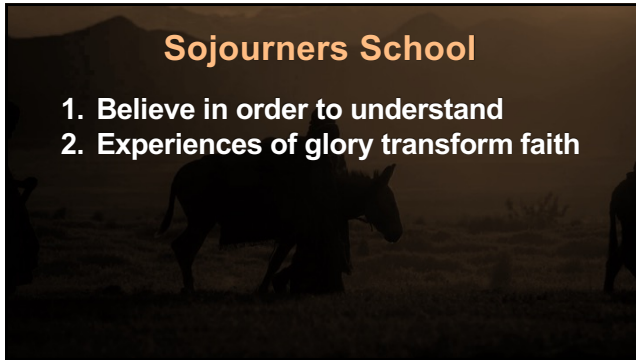
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⁷ and in the morning you shall see the glory of the Lord, because he has heard your grumbling against the Lord. For what are we, that you grumble against us?”



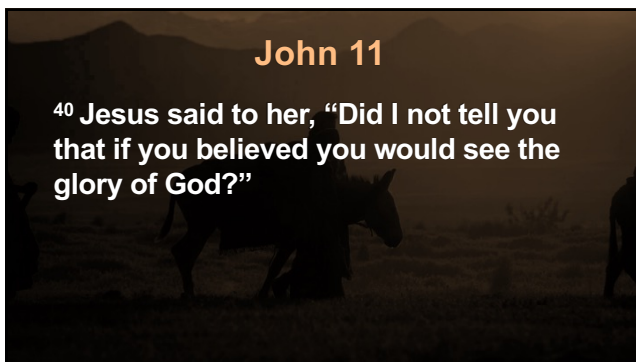
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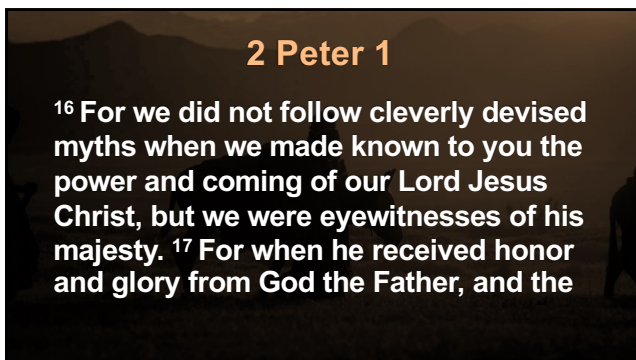
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John 11

⁴⁰ Jesus said to her, “Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?”

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2 Peter 1

¹⁶ For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. ¹⁷ For when he received honor and glory from God the Father, and the

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2 Peter 1

¹⁷...voice was borne to him by the Majestic Glory, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased," ¹⁸ we ourselves heard this very voice borne from heaven, for we were with him on the holy mountain.

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Why Testimonies?

We share testimony with the saints and praise God's goodness because we've experienced a display of His glory. We want everyone to bask in his revealed glory.

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1. Believe in order to understand
2. Experiences of glory transforms faith
3. Rest in the unknown

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Path to Learning

	Don't Know	Know
Don't Know	¹ Ignorance	² Humility
Know	³ Uncertainty	⁴ Confidence

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Teach us to Know

Teach us to know that we cannot know,
for the things of God knoweth no man.

Let faith support us where reason fails,
and we shall think because we believe,
not in order that we may believe”
-Tozer

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1 Corinthians 2:11

For who knows a person's thoughts except the spirit of that person, which is in him? So also no one comprehends the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God.

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