

The background of the slide features a grayscale photograph of two individuals silhouetted against a bright, hazy sky. One person is positioned higher on a dark, craggy rock formation, leaning forward with their hand extended towards the other person. The second person is lower down, also on the rock, reaching up towards the first person's hand. The overall mood is one of struggle, teamwork, and reaching for a goal. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

Do I Really Trust God?

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THOUGHT

Man says... Show me and I will trust you. God says... Trust me and I will show you. - unk

PROVERBS 3:1-12 NKJV

My son, do not forget my law, But let your heart keep my commands; 2 For length of days and long life And peace they will add to you. 3 Let not mercy and truth forsake you; Bind them around your neck, Write them on the tablet of your heart, 4 And so find favor and high esteem In the sight of God and man.

PROVERBS 3:1-12 NKJV

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And lean not on your own understanding; 6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He shall direct your paths. 7 Do not be wise in your own eyes; Fear the Lord and depart from evil. 8 It will be health to your flesh, And strength to your bones.

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Honor the Lord with your possessions, And
with the first fruits of all your increase; 10
So your barns will be filled with plenty, And
your vats will overflow with new wine. 11 My
son, do not despise the chastening of the
Lord, Nor detest His correction; 12 For
whom the Lord loves He corrects, Just as a
father the son in whom he delights.

PROVERBS 3:5-6 NKJV

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MATTHEW 6:8 NKJV

**“Therefore do not be like them.
For your Father knows the
things you have need of before
you ask Him.**

1 PETER 5:7-8 NKJV

casting all your care upon Him, for
He cares for you. 8 Be sober, be
vigilant; because your adversary
the devil walks about like a roaring
lion, seeking whom he may devour.

1 CORINTHIANS 1:9 NKJV

God is faithful, by whom you were called into the fellowship of His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

EPHESIANS 3:20 NKJV

**Now to Him who is able to do
exceedingly abundantly above
all that we ask or think,
according to the power that
works in us,**

WHY SHOULD WE TRUST GOD?

- 1. God is aware**
- 2. God is concerned**
- 3. God is faithful**
- 4. God is qualified or capable**

QUESTION

Do I trust God in difficult times?

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KEEP GOD'S COMMANDS

1. Prolong your life

2. Peace

3. Prosperity

LUKE 2:52 NKJV

**And Jesus increased in
wisdom and stature, and in
favor with God and men.**

HEBREWS 11:6 NKJV

But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

QUOTE

Let our thoughts be God's
thoughts and let our
thoughts be driven by our
faith in God. - DF

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THREE TRUTHS

1. Fear the Lord and shun evil.

The outcome will be health to your body.

2. Honor the Lord with your money.

The outcome will be that God will prosper you.

3. Receive the Lord's correction.

The outcome is that you will be loved as His son or daughter.

PSALM 32:8 NKJV

I will instruct you and
teach you in the way you
should go; I will guide you
with My eye.

GOD GUIDES US

- 1. Through teaching**
- 2. Through other believers**
- 3. Through the Holy Spirit**
- 4. Through His Word**

PSALM 119:105 NKJV

**Your word is a lamp to my
feet And a light to my path.**

TRUST GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

1. Don't rely on what you think you know.
2. Don't try to figure it out by yourself.