

BLINDED BY FAITH

“Blind Spots” pt. 4

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Luke 18:35-43

1. God Shows Us Our Blind Spots Through The _____.

1 Corinthians 2:10b “The Spirit searches all things, even the deep things of God. ¹¹ For who knows a person’s thoughts except their own spirit within them? In the same way no one knows the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God.” (NIV)

Luke 18:35 “As Jesus approached Jericho, a blind man was sitting by the roadside begging. ³⁶ When he heard the crowd going by, he asked what was happening. ³⁷ They told him ‘Jesus of Nazareth is passing by.’ ³⁸ He called out, ‘Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!’” (NIV)

2. The Holy Spirit Will Give Us _____ When We Need It.

Luke 18:39 “Those who led the way rebuked him and told him to be quiet, but he shouted all the more, ‘Son of David, have mercy on me!’” (NIV)

Hebrews 4:16 “So let us come boldly to the throne of our gracious God. There we will receive his mercy, and we will find grace to help us when we need it most.” (NLT)

Luke 18:40 “Jesus stopped and ordered the man to be brought to him. When he came near, Jesus asked him, ⁴¹ ‘What do you want me to do for you?’ ‘Lord, I want to see,’ he replied.” (NIV)

3. Jesus Helps Our Blind Spots With _____.

Luke 18:42 “Jesus said to him, ‘Receive your sight; your faith has healed you.’ ⁴³ Immediately he received his sight and followed Jesus, praising God. When all the people saw it, they also praised God.” (NIV)

Faith in Action

Hebrews 11:1 “Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see. ² This is what the ancients were commended for. ³ By faith we understand that the universe was formed at God’s command, so that what is seen was not made out of what was visible.” (NIV)

What do you want Faith to do for you? Maybe it’s time to verbalize it.