

Mountains Move! 8-26-2015

Foundational Statement-Doubt is not necessarily unbelief. Faith is wavering in between two opinions.

- When we doubt, we are pulling back from faith and moving toward unbelief.

Foundational Scripture-But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all generously and without reproach, and it will be given to him. 6 But he must ask in faith without any doubting, for the one who doubts is like the surf of the sea, driven and tossed by the wind. 7 For that man ought not to expect that he will receive anything from the Lord, 8 being a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways. (James 1:5-8 NASB)

Foundational Truth-Doubt is essence wavering between two opinions.

- God is true and I trust His Word.
- There is a reason God will not come thru this time.

Foundational Truth-The Greek word translated *doubt is diakrino*.

- This interesting Greek word can also mean to pull back.
- Doubt is pulling away from the Lord.
 - Anytime we step out of faith, we are pulling back from the perfect will of God.
 - We need to identify doubt, stamp it out and replace it with faith.

Foundational Truth-Faith is produced by the Word of God.

- Doubt is a lie that is produced by the enemy, by the environment even by religion.
 - True faith comes when we surrender to the Word of God and is produced supernaturally by the Word of God.
- Faith comes by hearing!
 - **So faith comes from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ. (Romans 10:17 NASB)**
 - It is the supernatural working of God that produces faith.

- Quit trying to work up your faith. Instead surrender to the Word and let it produce mountain moving faith!

Action Point-Change your mindset.

- Quit seeing faith as something you do. See it as something that God does in you when you decide to surrender to the Word of God.
- Make a conscious decision to draw near to God and believe!