

Series: CLIMB Message: Wk 2 - Climb ON & Keep Climbing

Don't be a Diet Coke Christian--- Artificially Flavored to Fizzle up Fade Out & Go Flat
The CLIMB is about CONNECTING with GOD

(Gen 28:12) ¹² And he dreamed, and behold, ***there was a ladder*** set up on the earth, and the ***top of it reached to heaven***. And behold, the ***angels of God were ascending and descending*** on it!

JESUS is the LADDER

John 1:51 ⁵¹ And He said to him, "Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

The CLIMB Begins when we BECOME AWARE of God's Presence

It is THERE that GOD SPEAKS... (the HOUSE of GOD)

Ex 25:22 ²² And there I will meet with you, and I will speak with you from above the mercy seat, from between the two cherubim which *are* on the ark of the Testimony, about everything which I will give you in commandment to the children of Israel.

- a. Correction—Wrong WAY!!! Not a Bad thing
Pastor you think _____ is a Sin?
(you stopped Climbing when you Stopped to ASK) (not that God doesn't welcome our questions)
Never had anyone ask... "Pastor you think ___ makes me TOO much like Jesus?"
- b. Direction- this is the RIGHT way.... HOW OFTEN do we need DIRECTION?
- c. Inspiration- "Destination Ahead." Signs Inspire along the Way

Gen 28:¹⁶ Then Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, "Surely the Lord is in this place, and I did not know it." ¹⁷ And he was afraid and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the ***house of God***, and ***this is the gate of heaven***."

DON'T TRY TO LIVE OFF OF YESTERDAY'S REVELATION

Lamentations 3:22-23 ²² The faithful love of the LORD never ends! His mercies never cease.

²³ Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning.

What is GOD speaking to you today?

What is the Holy Spirit telling you to STOP?

What is He telling you to START? (exercise, eating habits, daily devo, prayer life)

HOW are You CLIMBING?

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