

“PREREQUISITE “

What an interesting word to hear for today’s post. “Prerequisite.” Prerequisite is a thing that is required as a prior condition for something else to happen or exist. How does that apply to today’s word?

To overcome a battle the prerequisite has to be met before you can go on. When the author of Hebrews wrote Chapter 10 (you know, the great Hall of Faith), the Hebrews were lacking a vital component, the prerequisite required for overcoming. The writer of Hebrews reminded them that without faith it is impossible to please Him and God only rewards those who seek Him.

This is a truth that never changes. Situations cannot change the truth. The truth always remains the same. It’s truth.

So I gotta ask, are you seeking Him? If you can say yes, the prerequisite has been met. Are you believing God to move in your situation? If so, you have met the requirements for overcoming.

I feel strongly to encourage you to stand fast. Don’t waiver. Keep your eyes on Him. Resist the urges to cross over into a doubtful spirit. Moving in faith is what you are called to do. It’s part of who you are. It’s the only thing you need for Him to move mountains.

He has carefully laid out the plans of your life. You must pay careful attention to what you have heard so you do not drift away from what God has told you or promised you.

How you respond really does matter and the end result really does depend on how you respond.

Listen, without faith it is impossible to please Him. Without faith, you lose sight of the truth, and anytime you lose sight of your faith in Him you misplaced your prerequisite for certain victory. With the prerequisite in place you are guaranteed to overcome.

“Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen” (Hebrews 11:1). Now faith, means just that, “now.” The prerequisite is being met now, regardless of what the circumstances are showing you.

People may try to come against you, but they cannot do so successfully if you are walking in faith. Situations may try to come against you, but they cannot do it successfully. The enemy may try to come against you, but he cannot do it successfully. The prerequisite has been met.

The great news is that God's truth is eternal and never changes. Are you trusting Him? Then the prerequisite has been met and overcoming is the result.

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