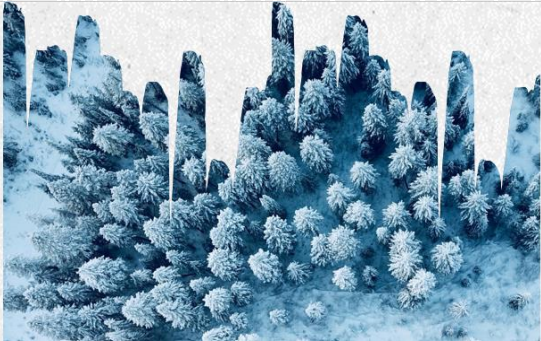


HIGHER GLORY (Part 22)

What Should I Do to Make God Appear For
Me as 'the Lord Almighty'?

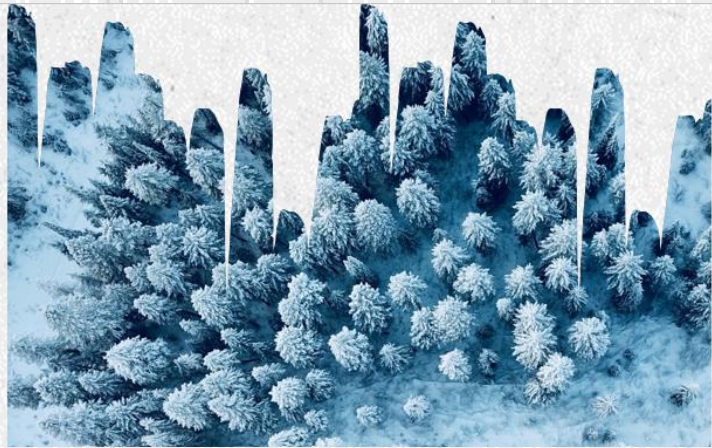


Ans.:

“KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO.”

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HAGGAI 2:9 (NIV)

⁹ ‘The glory of this present house will be greater than the glory of the former house,’ says the LORD Almighty. **‘And in this place I will grant peace,’** declares the LORD Almighty.”

2 CORINTHIANS 3:18

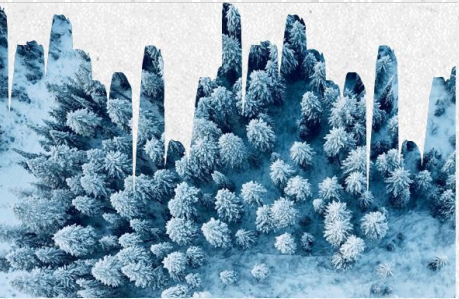
¹⁸ But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, **just as by the Spirit of the Lord.** (The transformation journey is by the Holy Spirit).

Ephesians 3:20-21

“Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to His power that is at work within us, be the glory throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen”

“KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO”

Brethren, knowing what God can do enables us to shape our expectation of results/outcome and shape our behavior/Actions while waiting for the result. Bible says “Be **Expectant**”!



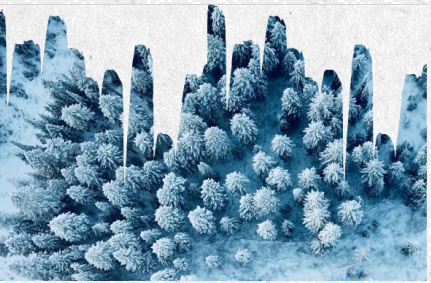
Even God puts Himself in the “**KNOW**” position. And that drives His Actions.
Jeremiah 29:11 (NKJV)

“I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the LORD, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope.”

Romans 8:28 “And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who love God and are called according to his purpose for them. No matter what it is, it must be NET positive.

Acts 1:7-9

⁷Jesus said, “**It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by His own authority.** ⁸But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.” ⁹After He had said this, they watched as He was taken up, and a cloud hid Him from their sight.



Our focus should, therefore, be on the “Holy Spirit that comes upon us” so that we will receive power to demonstrate the glory of God.

Even in creating the world, that showed forth His own power, God needed the Holy Spirit.

Genesis 1:1-3

“In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. ² Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters.”

Brethren, the moment that Holy Spirit was hovering around, it positioned God to demonstrate His power.

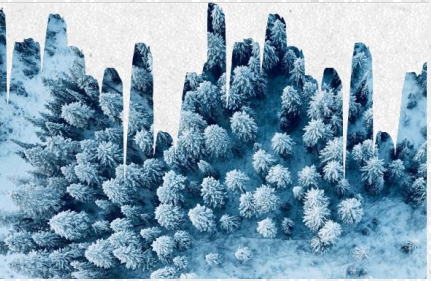
³ And God said, “Let there be light,” and there was light.... ⁵ God called the light “day,” and the darkness he called “night.”

With the presence of the Holy Spirit, God created everything that He created.

God can do all things but we knowing specifically what he has done before and reminding ourselves of those things will shape our expectations and actions.

2 Corinthians 3:18 says

“¹⁸ But we all, with unveiled face (that means you **KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO**) beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, **just as by the Holy Spirit.**”



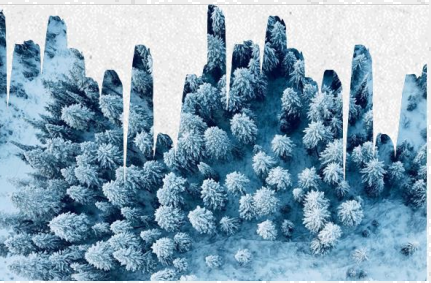
Brethren, it means that once we have the Holy Spirit around and we **KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO**, it should shape our expected result (our imagination) and our action for result (faith without works is dead – James 2:26).

Acts 10:38-39 says concerning Jesus Christ,

³⁸God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, and ... Jesus went around doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, because God was with Him. ³⁹We are witnesses of all that He did, both in the land of the Jews and in Jerusalem.

Jesus knew what God can do. We need to **KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO**.

“⁷It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by His own authority.” (Acts 1:7-8). ⁸But you will receive power (enough for what you want to do) when the Holy Spirit comes upon you (with earned portion of power).(Eph 3:20 – “according to His power that is at work within us).



John 3:34 says that “God gives the Spirit without limit.”

Brethren, the power of the Holy Spirit flows as in a large limitless pipe, you draw according to the size of your container, which expands according to how you used the one you had drawn before.

2 Chronicles 15:2

“The LORD is with you when you are with Him. If you seek Him, He will be found by you, but if you forsake Him, He will forsake you.”

Psalms 73:28 “But as for me, it is good to draw near to God. I have made the Lord GOD my refuge, that I may proclaim all Your works.”

Psalms 119:113 “The double-minded I despise.”

Ephesians 1 says...

“¹⁷May the Father of glory give to you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him, ¹⁸the eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that you may know the hope to which He has called you, His inheritance in the saints, ¹⁹and what *is* the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power.”

Case Study - “KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO.”

Joshua 1 “

¹After the death of Moses .., the LORD spoke to Joshua, Moses’ assistant, saying:

²“Moses My servant is dead. Now therefore, arise, **go over this Jordan**, you and all this people, to the land which I am giving to them—the children of Israel. ³ Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given you, as I promised Moses... ⁵ No man shall *be able to* stand before you all the days of your life; as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will not leave you nor forsake you. ⁶ Be strong and of good courage, for to this people you shall

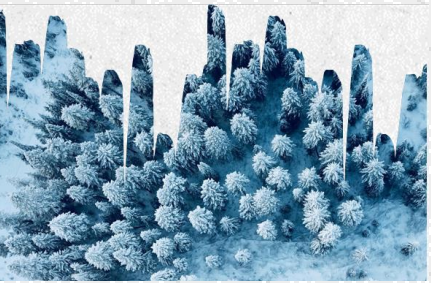
Divide as an inheritance the land which I swore to their fathers to give them.

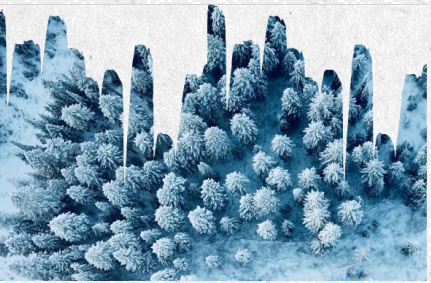
⁷ **Only be strong and very courageous**, that you may observe to do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right hand or to the left, that you may prosper wherever you go.

⁸ This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.

⁹ Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the LORD your God *is* with you wherever you go.”

Brethren, God gave Joshua a roadmap of Moses that enabled him to “**KNOW WHAT GOD CAN DO**” and it shaped his actions.





Joshua 10:

Five kings attacked Gibeon an ally of Israel.

⁷ So Joshua ascended from Gilgal, he and all the people of war with him, and all the mighty men of valor. ⁸ And the LORD said to Joshua, “**Do not fear them, for I have delivered them into your hand; not a man of them shall stand before you.**”

⁹ Joshua therefore came upon them suddenly, having marched all night from Gilgal. ¹⁰ So the LORD routed them before Israel, killed them with a great slaughter.

¹² **Then Joshua spoke to the LORD and he said in the sight of Israel:**

“Sun, stand still over Gibeon; And Moon, in the Valley of Aijalon.”

¹³ So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and did not hasten to go *down* for about a whole day.

And the moon stopped, Till the people had revenge Upon their enemies.

¹⁴ And there has been no day like that, before it or after it, that the LORD heeded the voice of a man; for the LORD fought for Israel.

Brethren, when we know what God can do, it should shape our action.

GOD BLESS YOU!