

Preacher's Pen points

SOME PROMISES YOU CAN COUNT ON!



Warren Wiersbe in his book, "Meet Yourself in the Psalms" gives three suggestions when we are confronted with life's challenges:

- ***We need to stop looking at ourselves and start looking at God.***
- ***We need to stop looking at the past and start looking at the future.***
- ***We need to stop searching for reasons and start resting on promises.***

When trouble comes in life, we have some promises we can count on!

A PROMISE FOR THE MATERIALLY BURDENED

Cash strapped? Run out of month at the end of the money? God has a promise for you! *"But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added to you."* (Matthew 6:33)

A PROMISE FOR THE ANXIOUS

Worried about problems? About your future? God has a promise for you! *"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God."* (Philippians 4:6)

A PROMISE FOR THE TEMPTED

Frustrated? Weak? Faith about to break? God has a promise for you! *"No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and*

God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, that you may be able to endure it." (1 Corinthians 10:13)

A PROMISE FOR THE FAILING

Made a mistake? Guilt? God has a promise for you! *"But if we walk in the light as He Himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, His Son cleanses us from all sin."* (1 John 1:7)

A PROMISE FOR THE DISCOURAGED

Ready to give up? Question your circumstances? God has a promise for you! *"Do not fear what you are about to suffer. Behold, the devil is about to cast some of you into prison, that you may be tested, and you will have tribulation ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life."* (Revelation 2:10)

A PROMISE FOR THE CONFUSED

Not sure what to do? Where to turn? God has a promise for you! *"But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all men generously and without reproach, and it will be given to him."* (James 1:5)

There is not one promise God has made that He can't keep; but the promises of God are for those who believe. Do we? --Johnny