

Planting the Seed of Faith

It's a new day! Hallelujah! Your journey in planting the seed of Faith into your life, begins today. It is not important if you have spiritual experience, divine knowledge or have been clean of sin for an extended period of time. You can start sowing your seed now, by providing tender loving care. You can set the goals of commitment now, to help your seed flourish. And before you know it, your seed of Faith will blossom; bearing fruits of trust, love, confidence and loyalty to God. Don't forget, growing your seed of Faith takes time. But this is ok! Don't worry about overnight success. God has a lot of patience.



You may ask yourself, what if I forget to provide my seed with enough water? Or what if I forget to give my seed proper sunlight? It happens. Life gets busy and you are side-tracked by your job, illness, family issues or many other obstacles coming your way. Know this, planting the seed of Faith is not a one chance opportunity. Growing your seed of Faith is not like having one chance to make that first impression. Or having one chance for that first experience.

God is merciful! He provides you many opportunities to develop or to nurture your Faith.

Lamentations 3:23 reveals God's mercy with this expression, "They are new every morning, great is your faithfulness.". They. This word "they", represents God's mercies toward you. His mercies of compassion and forgiveness of your sins, are endless. His absolution for the times you forgot to water or provide sunlight to your seed of Faith, is endless. If your seed of Faith withers, it is ok! With each new day, God gifts you with another opportunity to try again. God will give you many chances to replant your seed; to nourish, to grow, to love and to blossom your seed of Faith. In other words, to blossom your relationship with God.

With God, you have unlimited opportunities to hit that rewind button and try again. The Apostle John, wrote in 1 John 1:9, "If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.". Planting your seed of Faith is an act of confession. Confession of your sins will lead to better choices, more spiritual chances and positive changes in your life. These components of Faith will result in the opportunity to eternal life in which Jesus gave to you by dying for your sins. Life doesn't come without tribulation but life is better with God by your side.

As written in Hebrews 11:1, "Faith is confidence.". Have confidence that your seed of Faith will grow with an abundance of God's mercies. Your seed will grow in accordance to God's plan. A plan, God designed just for you!

Plant **your** seed of Faith today!



Prayer & Thanks to God:

God,

As I plant my seed of Faith, guide me along this path. Remind me to carry patience. Should my Faith wilt, show me mercy. Remind me, under no circumstances, to give up on my seed. As my Faith grows, fill me with gratitude for your radiance of love. Shine your mercy in all areas of my life. Thank you for the endless opportunities to blossom & grow in your word.

In Jesus' name, Amen.



NOW THE PARABLE IS THIS:

THE SEED IS THE WORD OF GOD.

Luke 8:11

