

Meditate on the Truth of God's Word

Father I do not believe I should have to spend any part of my life where I cannot feel you and/or hear you. But it seems so frequently that people who are of the faith want to speak to me as a sounding board to reassure themselves that being able to hear the Holy Spirit and/or feel His presence is not important. They all seem to quote the same scriptures like “we walk by faith and not by sight”. And say things like it’s not about feelings it’s about truth. All of these things in themselves are true, that we do walk by faith and not by sight and that it is not about what we feel but about the truth. But, if we cannot feel the presences of the Holy Spirit or hear His voice, are we walking closely with God?

Too often these phrases are used as an excuse to reason away a backslidden state or lack of commitment to Christ.

His children hear His voice.

His children are full of His Spirit.

His children think like He does.

He is in the Father and the Father is in Him and He is in us.

I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh... (Acts 2:17)

My sheep hear my voice ... (John 10:27-28)

Set your mind on the things above (Colossians 3:2)

For as he thinks in his heart, so is he. (Proverbs 23:7)

Where our treasure is, there our hearts are also. (Matthew 6:21)

Strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leads to life,
and few there be that find it. (Matthew 7:14)

At that day ye shall know that I am in my Father, and ye in me,
and I in you. (John 14:20)

...that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. (John 3:6)

Verily I say unto you, I know you not. (Matthew 25:12)

If He is in us, how can we not hear him and/or feel his presences?

Do not fall for the lies of the devil; seek Him in all you do and He will direct your path.

Repent if needed and get back onto the narrow path.

Heavenly Father I pray that we would stay on the straight path, that we would not succumb to the lies of the devil, that we would stand firm on your truth and know that

your spirit is within us. Give us your peace in times of trouble and Lord that we will take every step in obedience to you. In Jesus Name I pray. Amen.