

EXHORTATIONS FROM THE FATHER

["Reflections" Of The Father's Heart]

[March 8th]

* A "great faith" is a faith that sets itself to endure *[in love, patience and obedience]* UNTIL the fulfillment of the goal *[the revelation of God's Will/Word abiding in their heart comes into physical manifestation]*. "Little faith" is a faith that does not endure long because it succumbs to the "outward pressures" the Enemy comes against them with.

"**succumb**" - to give way in the face of overwhelming force or desire;

Latin: "succumbere" - to be overcome, from sub + cumbere - from "cubare" to lie down;

*.... "These are the ones who are beside the road where the word is sown; and when they hear, immediately Satan comes and takes away the word which has been sown in them. "In a similar way these are the ones on whom seed was sown on the rocky places, who, when they hear the word, immediately receive it with joy; and they have no firm root in themselves, but are only temporary; then, when **affliction or persecution arises because of the word**, immediately they fall away. "And others are the ones on whom seed was sown among the thorns; these are the ones who have heard the word, but **the worries of the world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the desires for other things** [that are apart from God's Will] enter in and choke the word, and it becomes unfruitful".... Mark 4:15-19 NASB*

.... "we walk by faith [revelation], not by sight [sense knowledge, outward circumstances]".... 2 Corinthians 5:7 NASB

.... "We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the true knowledge of God [and who we ALREADY are, in Christ], and we are taking every thought captive [through proclamation] to the obedience of Christ [a revelation of the Father's Will]".... 2 Corinthians 10:5 NASB