

*"It ain't dark", won't work*

August 21

The very first lesson God teaches us from Genesis 1. He says that He created the heavens and the earth and, at some point, he saw that what He had created was not acceptable. The earth was void, without form, and darkness covered the face of the deep. In efforts to take what He had and make it what He wanted it to be, He first considered His course and then He spoke, "Let there be light!", and it was so. God is teaching us the power of a positive confession when we get a plan and speak in faith. Notice that God did not deny that a problem existed, nor did He curse the problem or complain about it. "It ain't dark!" just would not have worked.

If you are faced with something in your life that is unacceptable, do not deny its existence, but rather deny its right to continue that way by taking positive steps. Be like God: Get a plan and begin speaking what you want by the eye of your faith and it will be so.

*Prayer for Today*

Heavenly Father, teach me Your ways and grant me the wisdom to plan my life according to Your will so that I may prophesy my future by the dream in my heart.

*Scriptures for Today*

Mark 11:22-24 So Jesus answered and said to them, "Have faith in God. For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, 'Be removed and be cast into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says. Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive them, and you will have them." (NKJV)

Proverbs 18:20-21 A man's stomach shall be satisfied from the fruit of his mouth; From the produce of his lips he shall be filled. Death and life are in the power of the tongue, And those who love it will eat its fruit. (NKJV)

Hebrews 6:12 That you do not become sluggish, but imitate those who through faith and patience inherit the promises. (NKJV)