

FEBRUARY 2016, PART 49

TITLE: FAITH FOR A JESUS ENCOUNTER

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: Luke 19:8 Zaccheus stopped and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, half of my possessions I will give to the poor, and if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I will give back four times as much."

2 Corinthians 5:17 "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold all things are become new."

Romans 16:20

"The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you."

TRUTHS/NUGGETS

1. Nobody can ever have an encounter with Jesus without a radical lifestyle change.
2. In my almost 40 year walk with God I have seen radical encounters with Jesus.
3. From chain smokers, alcoholics, witches, the sick, from high society to the lowest, all have one thing in common – chains were broken, captives were set free.
4. There is no equal to any other cult, religious leader and another faith that has similar results.

5. No other faith produces such life changing, life giving transformation like faith in Jesus Christ.
6. Victory is in Christ. **1 Corinthians 15:25** *For He must reign until He has put all His enemies under His feet.*
7. Raise your faith in Him again and He will raise you to a place you have never been.
8. An encounter with Jesus will bring an end to the old.
9. **Isaiah 65:17** *"For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth; And the former things will not be remembered or come to mind.*
10. Psalm 116:6 *Yahweh watches over [the] simple. I was brought low, but he gave me **victory**.* 2 Corinthians 2:14 *But thanks be to God, Who in Christ always leads us in triumph [as trophies of Christ's **victory**] and through us spreads and makes evident the fragrance of the knowledge of God everywhere,*

FINAL THOUGHTS

1. 2 Corinthians 5:17 *Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold all things are become new.*

"Reach for the top, the bottom is overcrowded!" – JEROME LIBERTY