

Series "Behold Your King"
"A Prevailing Faith"
Matthew 15:21-28
Part-73

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1. Verses- 21-22 The Obstacles Of Faith:

Matthew 15:18-20

Tyre the word Literally - "The Rock"

Note the obstacles that this woman was up against:

1. Her Nationality - Canaanite a Gentile, (Mark 7:26) of the Syrophoenician race.

2. Her Gender - woman

3. Demon Possession - my daughter is cruelly demon-possessed."

my daughter Literally translated, "Darling little girl."

is cruelly – "Miserable, very sick" demon-possessed." Mark 7:25
unclean spirit,

Affliction Can Prove To Be A Blessing To Ones Soul: and began to cry out, saying, "Have mercy on me,

Psalms 119:71

Note The Object of Her Faith was God. O Lord

2. Verses-23-26 The Drawing Of Faith:

Why Is Jesus Silent? But He did not answer her a word.

1. Jesus Desired Seclusion – Mark 7:24
2. She addressed Him as "Son of David", but as a Gentile she had no claim on the Jewish Messiah. She was not a party to the Covenant.
3. She must learn that Jesus ministry was primarily to Israel, and that it was through them that the blessings of the Covenant would ultimately reach the Gentiles. John 4:21-23
4. As always Jesus wished to draw out her faith.

She was not silenced by Jesus silence!

Matthew 15:24-26

Dog - The word refers to "a little dog," or "puppy."

Ephesians 2:12

3. Verses- 27-28 The Triumph Of Faith:

Romans 1:16

She Comes in Faith, and She Comes in Humility!

Matthew 15:28

1. Roman Centurion (Gentile) - Matthew. 8:5-13
2. This woman (Gentile) -

Application:

The Ingredients Of A Great Faith:

1. A Great Faith Is In Jesus The Source
Matthew 15:22

2. A Great Faith Appeals Solely On The Basis Of His Mercy
Matthew 15:22

Matthew 15:27

3. A Great Faith Is Persistent - Matthew 15:23

Matthew 15:25

Matthew 15:27

The Great Truth of The Passage Is "A Growing Persistent Faith Is That Which Shall Prevail"