

Walking with God

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Introduction

1. Micah 6:8
2. There are three things required of them in this verse:
 - a. They were to do justly
 - b. They were to love mercy
 - c. They were to walk humbly with God
 - d. Something was required of them!
3. We want to focus our attention this day on Walking with God
4. It is good to walk with God Genesis 5:22,24; 6:8-9; Ephesians 4:1; 1 John 1:7
5. What does it mean to walk with God?

II Discussion

1. It implies agreement with God. Amos 3:3
 - a. What does agreement mean? Harmony of opinion, action, or character: an arrangement as to a course of action.
 - i. If we agree with God then we agree with His Word
 - ii. God's word is unchangeable. Psalm 33:9; 138:2; 1 Timothy 6:3; Deuteronomy 4:2; Proverbs 30:6; Revelation 22:18-19
 - b. Yet some disagree with God's Word
 - i. Some disagree with what God has said about baptism 1 Peter 3:21
 - ii. Some disagree with what God has said about the church. Acts 20:28
 - iii. Some disagree with what God has said about the Lord's Supper. 1 Corinthians 11:26 Acts 20:7; 1 Corinthians 16:1-2
 - c. One may consent to the Word of God then in life or works deny Him Titus 1:16
 - d. The word of God is the means of reconciliation 2 Corinthians 5:18-19
2. To walk with God implies a humble submissive obedience to the will of God
 - a. Christ is the example John 4:34; 6:38; 9:4; Matthew 7:21
 - b. Enoch walked with God Genesis 5:22, 24; Hebrews 11:5
 - c. We are to walk by faith 2 Corinthians 5:7
 - d. Therefore to walk with God is to walk by faith and to walk by faith is to walk in obedience to the word of God. and faith comes by hearing Romans 10:17
3. To walk with God implies activity
 - a. Genesis 5:24 Enoch walked with God over 300 years
 - b. Ephesians 4:1 walk worthy
 - c. Ephesians 4:17 not as others walk
4. Walking with God implies companionship
 - a. Amos 3:3
 - b. Psalm 119:63
 - c. 1 John 1:7

III Conclusion Thus walking with God will

1. Please Him Hebrews 11:5

2. Gives us boldness and power Acts 4:13
3. Makes us partakers of divine nature 2 Peter 1:4; 2 Corinthians 6:16
4. Fits us for heaven
5. Won't you walk humbly with God?

Sources: Little red sermon outline book, covers are gone; W. T. Hamilton on Ephesians