Come let us Grow Together: Knowledge

Come let us Grow Together is a weekly series that deals with the many topical categories that exist within the Word of God. The purpose of this series is to grow in wisdom, knowledge, and understanding in things pertaining to God.

"The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction." (Pro 1:7) "How long, ye simple ones, will ye love simplicity? and the scorners delight in their scorning, and fools hate knowledge?" (Pro 1:22) "When your fear cometh as desolation, and your destruction cometh as a whirlwind; when distress and anguish cometh upon you. Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me: For that they hated knowledge, and did not choose the fear of the LORD: They would none of my counsel: they despised all my reproof. Therefore shall they eat of the fruit of their own way, and be filled with their own devices." (Pro 1:27-31)

Do you see the importance of having good sound Biblical doctrinal knowledge? The beginning of knowledge is to fear the LORD and fools hate knowledge and when you hear the reproof of Biblical knowledge you despise it because you hated the knowledge of the truth. However, all of this can change today with you repenting of your sins to Jesus Christ and asking him to forgive you and to help you to learn of him and the knowledge contained within the scriptures so that you do not sin against the Lord, and so that you can make heaven your home, and also help others to find their way by teaching them sound Biblical, doctrinal knowledge.

"My son, if thou wilt receive my words, and hide my commandments with thee; So that thou incline thine ear unto wisdom, and apply thine heart to understanding; Yea, if thou criest after knowledge, and liftest up thy voice for understanding; If thou seekest her as silver, and searchest for her as for hid treasures; Then shalt thou understand the fear of the LORD, and find the knowledge of God." (Pro 2:1-5)

Isn't it better to learn the right way to go and take the right path on your journey? If so, then you need to learn the knowledge of the truth concerning not only salvation, of which is the most important thing in this universe, but to also learn of the other doctrinal knowledge contained within the Word of God the Bible. How do you expect to make heaven your home without a true desire to learn of God which can only be obtained by studying the Bible?

"Whom shall he teach knowledge? and whom shall he make to understand doctrine? them that are weaned from the milk, and drawn from the breasts. For precept must be upon precept, precept upon precept; line upon line, line upon line; here a little, and there a little: For with stammering lips and another tongue will he speak to this people. To whom he said, This is the rest wherewith ye may cause the weary to rest; and this is the refreshing: yet they would not hear." (Isa 28:9-12)

Are you one that can't hear? Do you understand what this passage of scripture is speaking of? Do you understand that this is how the entire Bible is set up concerning who the Lord will teach

knowledge? Do you recognize that in this passage of scripture that it is prophesying of the outpouring of the Holy Ghost found in the New Testament when it was first poured out upon the believers found in the book of Acts chapter 2? Do you recognize that the rest and refreshing that is being spoken of in this passage of scripture is the same rest that Jesus Christ was offering to each one of us? "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." (Mt 11:28)

It's time to "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth" (2 Tim 2:15) or you will find yourself like Israel did when the Lord spoke and said, "My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children." (Hos 4:6)