

THE SPIRIT-LED LIFE

Part 5: "Lies Leaders Listen To"

The Bible teaches us that the devil talks a lot, and when he talks, he lies. Lying is "his is his native language," Jesus says in John 8. When we believe these lies it can ruin our life, and we exposed some prominent and popular ones this weekend.

Weekly Devotional:

6/27 - John 8:42-47 - The devil is the father of lies and lies to us every single day. What is one lie you have been hearing in this season from the enemy? Why might he be telling you this? What do you think God's response is to the lie?

6/28 - 1 Peter 5:5-11 - The devil here is depicted as being "like a lion," prowling around our life. What is your current thought, relationship, interaction, view, etc of the devil in and around your life? Where do you see him working most in the world? Pray for this.

6/29 - John 14:5-14 - In this very famous verse, Jesus says he doesn't just tell the truth, but he actually IS the truth. When we press into him our lies are overturned and replaced with the truth. What is a truth, promise, encouragement or calling God has given to you in this season of life? What encourages you most about your relationship with Jesus lately?

6/30 - Proverbs 3:1-6 - The enemy tells us, "you can figure this out on your own." God says here, "I will guide your steps, I will direct your paths." What's an area of life you are trying to take the reins and do without God's guidance?

7/1 - 2 Timothy 1:6-12 - The devil speaks lies that build fear in our lives, but God did not give us a spirit of fear. Fear does not come from God's voice but the enemy's voice. What's something you are afraid of? Confess it and give it to God in prayer today.

Challenge:

Listening Prayer. Spend 5 minutes each morning asking God to give you a thought, impression, verse, name of someone to pray for or reach out to. Act on that thought as practice obeying God together.