

and he was not..

This is the testimony of Enoch. He walked with God and he was not for God took him. I have been fascinated with Enoch for years. There is so little information about him; it simply says that he pleased God.

But if you look at Enoch's name you discover more. There are two shades of meaning for his name that give tremendous insight about his life.

The first meaning of Enoch is: "to learn to walk with". Enoch walked with God learning and growing and becoming more and more like the God he loved. Some people want to walk with God on Sunday, but he is a 7 day a week God. He wants all 24 hours too. Until we learn this, we will never experience the closeness we desire.

The second meaning of Enoch is: "to narrow" this is tremendously significant to understand. The more you walk with God, the more things change, the narrower the path gets with options for the flesh. And really you no longer care when you're getting closer and closer to the God of the universe. Want more of God? The path will get narrow on you, but oh is it worth it nothing on earth compares to God's mighty presence, his peace is immeasurable.

So I challenge you to not chafe under the restricting hand of God. Walk with Him and learn from Him and enjoy life!
Pastor Chambers

SCRIPTURE FOR THE WEEK

"If then you were raised with Christ seek those things which are above, where Christ is sitting at the right hand of God. Set your mind on things above not on things of the earth." Col.3:1



"The game has been postponed."

Could we let God postpone our T.V. for something better? David Wilkerson did many years ago. He turned 2 hours of T.V. into 2 hours of prayer and Teen Challenge was born!

Up-Coming Events

This Sunday

May 2nd

Missionette Bake Sale

after 10:30am service

Youth Nacho/Soda Sale

after the evening service

Sunday

May 9th

Special Mother' Day Message

Special Gift for each Mom present!

Sunday

May 16th

Royal Ranger Hot Dog Sale

& Missionette Ice Cream Sundae Fundraisers

after the evening service

Sunday

May 23rd

10:30am only

Live \$ In Concert

Sheila Raye Charles

(daughter of the late great Ray Charles)