

out of your mind!

Far too often we operate with God out of purely rational reasoning. It doesn't work; God is not logical or reasonable when it comes to a faith relationship with Him.

There are 2 things the kingdom of God runs on and both of them fly in the face of our own understanding. They are 1. Faith 2. Obedience. If you are "just" you don't live by explanation, you live by faith.

"Lean not on your own understanding" is the key to walking with God. It takes faith; you have to trust someone when you can't understand them!

"In all your ways acknowledge Him and He shall direct your paths." Acknowledgment is more than tipping your hat at God, it is full obedience. When both of these requirements are met, then "He directs your paths".

So the answer to pleasing God is to get "out of your mind". Lay your own desires, will, and understanding on the altar and say, "God I am not going to do anything till you speak".

Coming to God in child like faith like this liberates you, and releases you to enjoy your relationship with Jesus. "Come unto me all you

who are weary and heavy laden (all of you who have frantically been trying to figure things out and come up with your own solutions) and I will give you rest!" Notice "rest" is in relationship with Him as a child. God knows you don't know. God knows you can't fix it. God knows how this has worn you down. Forget it, let go mentally and practice the word of God in your heart and joy will return, I promise!

Pastor Chambers



Sheila Raye Charles

(daughter of the Late Great Ray Charles)

One Service Only!

Sunday, May 23rd

10:30am

**Hear this woman's incredible singing talent
plus her testimony of how Christ changed her
life after a 15 year cocaine addiction!**

Thought For The Day:

**ANYONE WHO WILL GOSSIP TO
YOU WILL GOSSIP ABOUT YOU!**

The phenomenal Choir experience!

Most of you were aware of an unusually heavy anointing Sunday morning on the choir! In both songs it was evident, but especially the second one brought God down in a powerful way.

First it was the sound, it sounded like a 100 people were singing! The volume and mass were unbelievable. I kept looking at the controls to see if anything had changed but they were all the same. But quickly you could tell it was not just sheer volume but the mighty presence of God that brought the sound. It was as if "heaven" was singing with us! Many of you responded with prayer and shouting and "amen's". I know that this type of presence is going to continue and grow in the coming weeks. Let's keep our heart ready, God is moving!

Pastor Chambers