

## DON'T BE MOVED BY WHAT YOU DON'T SEE

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- I. For years I have been saying “I’m not moved by what I see.”
  - A. I have told the saints for years “Don’t be moved by what you see.”
    - a. Don’t be distracted by the things the enemy wants you to see.
    - b. Don’t be moved by what you feel.
    - c. You may be standing for your healing and the more you pray the worse you feel.
    - d. You tell the pain to leave your body, and the pain gets greater.
  - B. These are things the enemy wants you to feel to discourage you.
    - a. These are the things he wants you to feel to make you doubt if the Lord really heard you.
    - b. He is a deceiver and a great liar.
    - c. I’ll keep saying it over throughout this message. “Don’t be moved by what you see.”
- II. Today my message is **“Don’t be moved by what you don’t see”**.
  - A. It is easy to believe when things are going your way.
    - a. It’s easy to believe when:
    - b. You are getting the good breaks.
    - c. Things are going your way.
    - d. When a child is turning around.
    - e. When you see things changing.
    - f. When your boss likes you.
  - B. But the test comes when you don’t see it.
    - a. When you don’t see any sign of what you are believing for.
    - b. When you are working hard, and doors aren’t opening for you.
    - c. You are praying and the medical report isn’t getting any better.
  - C. You know God put the promise in your heart, but no signs of manifestation.
    - a. You know God gave you a dream but there is no sign that it is happening.
    - b. You may be saying to yourself, if I could see a little improvement.
    - c. If I just felt a little better.

- d. Then you would know that what you are doing was helping.
- D. Sometimes before a promise comes to pass you may go through a Season of Silence.
  - a. Where you are not seeing anything change.
  - b. You may be tempted to say “Is what I’m doing even working?”
  - c. Is my praying, my believing, my giving even making a difference?

This is when many people get discouraged and give up on their prayers.

- a. They give up on what they are believing for.
- b. They start listening to the lies of the devil.
- E. Just because you aren’t seeing anything happening, doesn’t mean God isn’t working.
  - a. Behind the scenes things are changing that you can’t see.
  - b. God does most of His work behind the scenes in Secret.
  - c. You can’t see Him lining up the right people that you need.
  - d. You can’t see Him arranging good breaks for you.
  - e. You can’t see Him putting the Healing, Promotion, Deliverance, Reconciliation on your schedule.
- F. Some may say Pastor “I have been praying and nothing seems to be happening.”
  - a. I’m doing my best, but nothing is improving.
  - b. This person could be in a Season of Silence.
  - c. The question is “are you going to get discouraged and give up and quit because of what you are not seeing “?”
  - d. Or are you going to set your face like flint and not be moved by what you don’t see?
- G. If you stay in Faith, at some point you will see what God was doing behind the scenes.
  - a. You will get your And Suddenly.
  - b. Suddenly things are going to shift in your favor.
  - c. Suddenly you will begin to see what God was doing behind the scenes.
  - d. Suddenly your health improves.

- III. Galatians 6:9 “And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if you faint not”.
- A. It doesn't say you **may reap**.
- a. There's a good chance you will the reap.
  - b. The “Word says you **will reap**.”
  - c. If you won't get tired of doing the right thing.
  - d. If you won't let what you don't see talk you out of what you know.
  - e. Then Due Season is coming.
  - f. You will reap if you faint not.
- B. Don't let what you see cause you to faint.
- a. Don't be moved by what you don't see.
  - b. God wouldn't have told us not to be weary in well doing if He know it **would** be easy.
  - c. He knew that mankind would tend to get tired of doing the right thing without results.
  - d. He said, “Don't be weary in well doing”.
  - e. There is a benefit to not being weary.
  - f. Don't quit, turn coward and run.
  - g. Don't faint when you are doing the right thing because due season is coming.
- C. It can be easy to get worn down, thinking it's never going to work.
- a. Nobody sees what you are doing.
  - b. I've been volunteering for years without thanks.
  - c. People say, “I'm tired of always showing up, while others don't even participate.”
  - d. Don't be weary in well doing. Due Season is coming.
- IV. Isaiah 40:31 in King James Version and Amplified Bible.
- A. Weary= to become tired, impatient, and exhausted.
- a. These scriptures compare the life of an eagle to that of a believer.
  - b. Years ago, I taught a lesson on the patience of an eagle and how the eagle prepares of the storms of life.
  - c. I want to compare a Mother Eagle and her eaglets and the Mother and her baby.

\*\*\*\*\*Most Bald eagles only lay a single clutch of eggs. It is usually 2 eggs. Usually, they are laid one at a time, three days apart. For 35 days a Mother eagle sits on those eggs to keep them warm during the incubation period. The Mama eagle never feels the baby eaglet. The egg never grows any larger. There is no sign to her that what is on the inside of the egg is even alive. Day after day the Mama eagle just sits there unmoved by what she doesn't feel. She is unmoved by what is not changing.

- B. Just think of the faith of that eagle to sit there day after day on what seems to be dead.
- C. Unlike when a woman is having a baby, we have all different signs of life.
  - a. After a while, her stomach begins to get bigger.
  - b. She may have morning sickness.
  - c. Her feet may swell.
  - d. Her back may hurt.
  - e. By all outside signs you can see she is having a baby.
- D. If God brought promises to pass like a lady giving birth, it wouldn't be a problem staying in faith.
  - a. If God showed you all the things He was doing behind the scenes, then there would be no need for faith.
  - b. Most time it will not be like a lady giving birth it will be more like the eagle.
  - c. You are going to have to believe something is happening even when you can't see any sign of it.
  - d. Believe when you don't see.
  - e. You are going to have to sit on that promise.
- E. You are going to have to sit on your egg and not be moved.
  - a. You must know due season is coming.
  - b. Just keep sitting on your egg.
  - c. Keep believing the Promise.

