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The Laws of Perfection

Part 4: Who told you, you were Naked ?



Genesis 3:21 ¶Unto Adam also and to his wife did the LORD God make coats of skins, and clothed them.

The first image



Genesis 1:27 So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.

John 4:24 God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.

The first image was of the spirit of God

The first image, was of God

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him;
male and female he created them.



- Genesis 1:27 So God created man **in his own image, in the image of God** created he him; male and female created he them.

Clothed with Light



1John 1:5 This then is the message which we have heard of him, and declare unto you, that God is light, and in him is no darkness at all.

1 Peter 5:1 ¶The elders which are among you I exhort, who am also an elder, and a witness of the sufferings of Christ, and also **a partaker of the glory that shall be revealed:**

Naked, but not ashamed!



- Gen 2:23 And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man.
- 24 Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.
- 25 And they were both naked, the man and his wife, and were not ashamed.

Naked & not Ashamed Gen 3:23

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Original Word

עָרוֹם

Word Origin

from (06191) (in its original sense)

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Transliterated Word

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TDNT Entry

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Phonetic Spelling

aw-rome' 

Parts of Speech

Adjective

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Definition

1. naked, bare

King James Word Usage - Total: 16

naked 16

Total

15

Serpent more “Subtil/Naked” Gen 3:1

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Original Word

ערום

Transliterated Word

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Phonetic Spelling

aw-room'

Definition

1. subtle, shrewd, crafty, sly, sensible
 - a. crafty
 - b. shrewd, sensible, prudent

King James Word Usage - Total: 11

prudent 8, crafty 2, subtil 1

“*Subtil*” “ערום” = *Aruwm*

“*Naked*” “ערום” = *Arowm*

Word Origin

pass. part. of (06191)

TDNT Entry

TWOT - 1698c

Parts of Speech

Adjective

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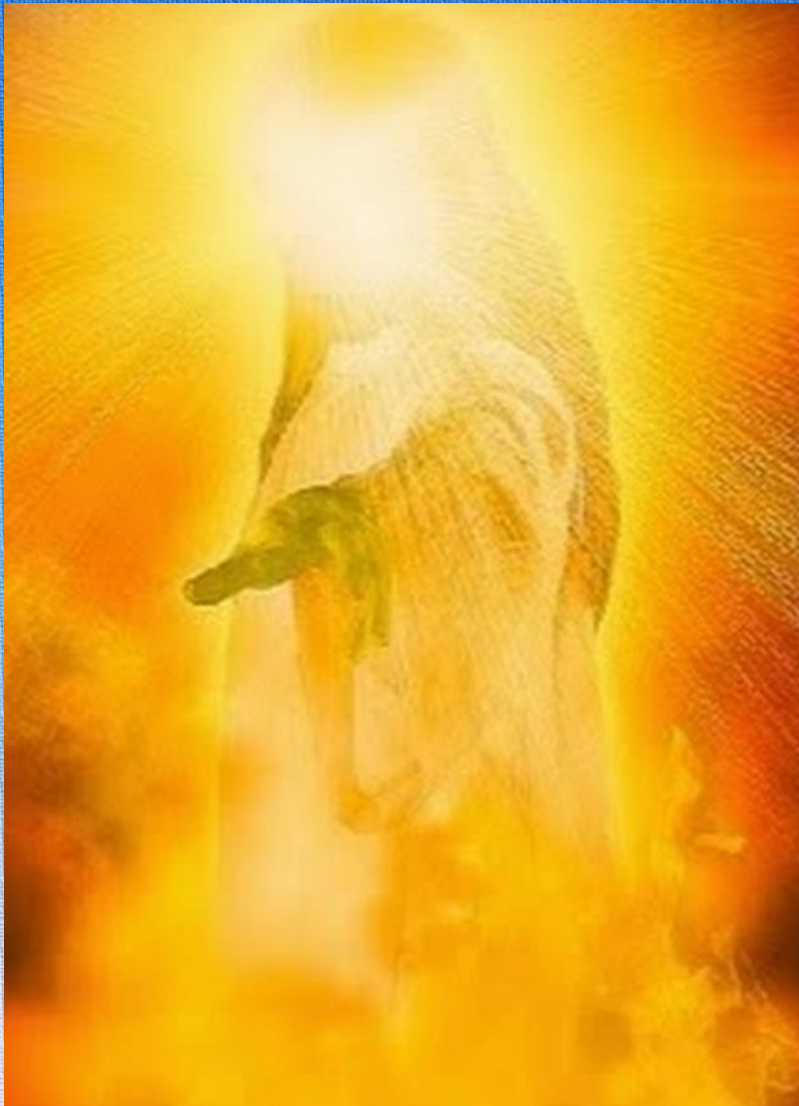
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Total

So they could only “See Gods Glory”



- John 1:14 And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, **the glory as of the only begotten** of the Father,) full of grace and truth.
- 1 Corinthians 11:7 For a man indeed ought not to cover his head, forasmuch as **he is the image and glory of God:** but the woman is the glory of the man.

They could not see themselves! Until.....



- And **the eyes of them both were opened**, and they knew that they were naked;
- Genesis 3:7

Sin producesguilt

Looking at Sin....Produces Condemnation



-and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons.
- Genesis 3:7

Looking in the mirror



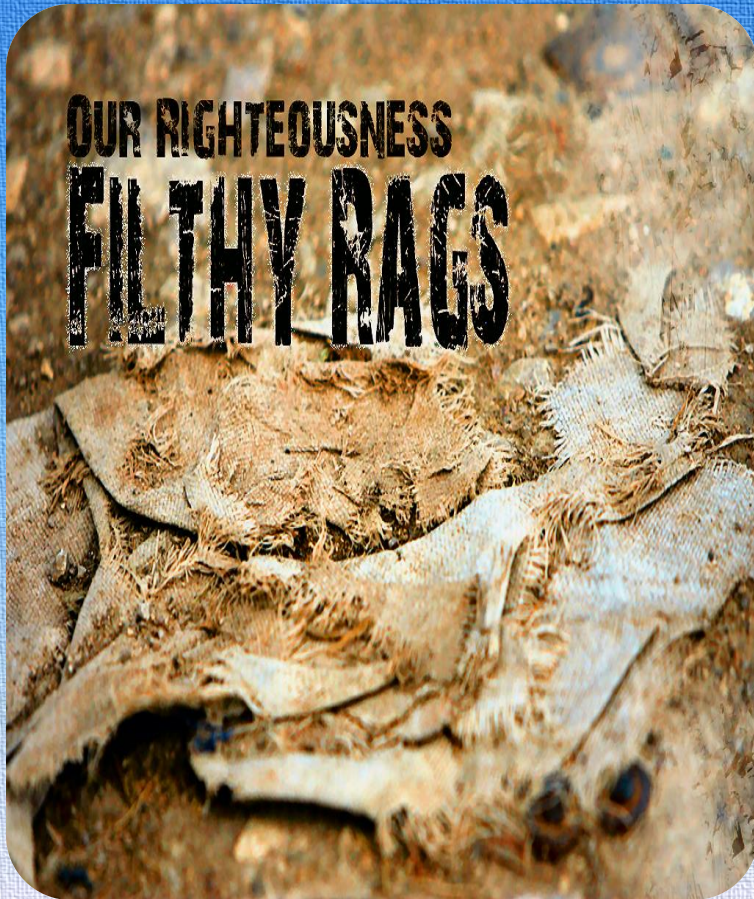
- *The Comparison*
- *God*
- *Man*

New Eyes !



The fruit opened his eyes now to his fallen state. He immediately did what all of us do when we know we have sinned and regret it. He felt the need to cover himself because he Knew he was totally unworthy of Gods presence.

Our Righteousness !



But we are all as an unclean thing, and all our righteousness are as filthy rags; and we all do fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away.

Isa 64 verse 6

In the flesh he had always been Naked !



- The fact is, he was Naked(in the body) even before he sinned, he just was not conscious of it, which allowed God (after all it is his definition!) to

pronounce his creation perfect His nakedness was apparent to God well before he sinned, the creation at no time was ever greater than the creator

Baby Adam: or who is the greatest



- Matthew 18:1 At the same time came the disciples unto Jesus, saying, Who is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?
- Matthew 18:2 And Jesus called a little child unto him, and set him in the midst of them,
- Matthew 18:3 And said, Verily I say unto you, Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

Gods First Question

“Who told you were Naked ?”

God is the Judge



1 John 3:2 For if our heart condemn us, God is greater than our heart, and knoweth all things.

The connection

What is the underlying connection for salvation between the old and new testament ?.

FAITH

Perfect Faith Towards God

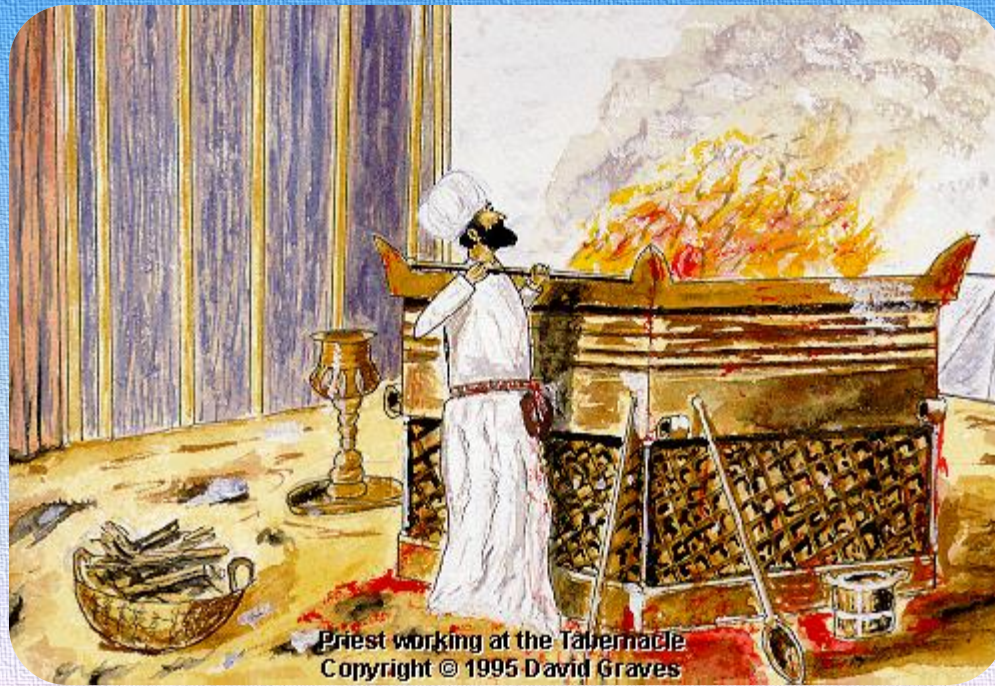
- 1. *Absolute belief in his goodness.*
- 2. *Total trust in his Judgment & Justice.*
- 3. *Perfect dependence on his provision.*
- 4. *Unconditional reliance on his love.*

What Adam Lost

- 1. He was afraid
- 2. Relied on his own judgment.
- 3. Next he made himself a covering

Calls those things which are not ,
As though they are !

14 For by that one offering he **perfected**
forever all those whom he is making holy.



Priest working at the Tabernacle
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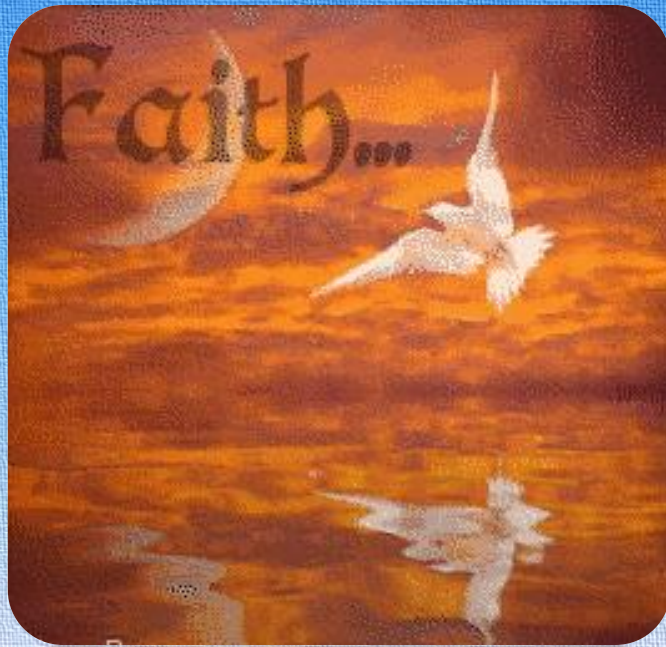
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To walk with God



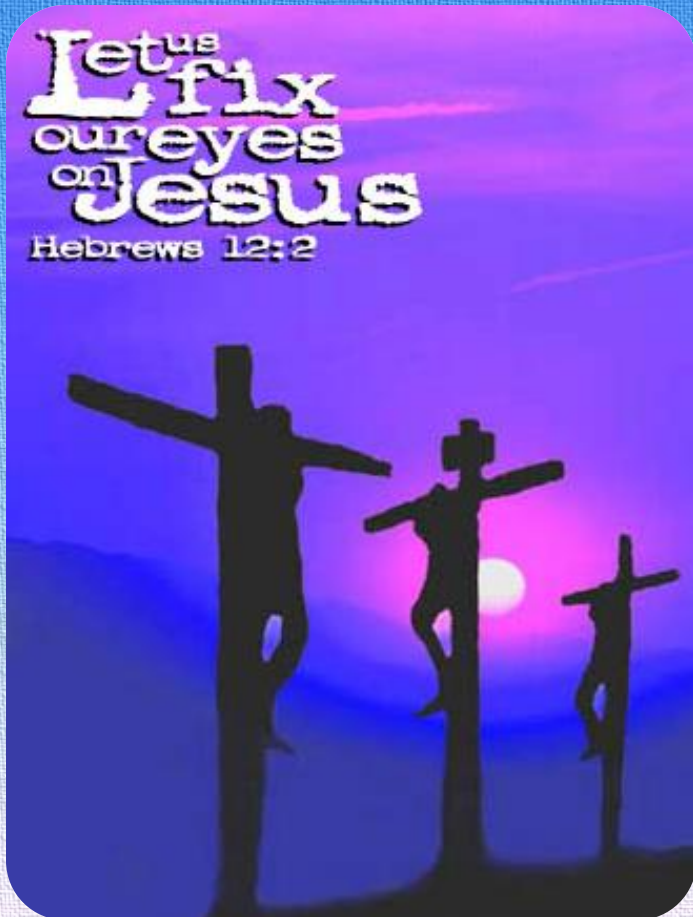
- Hebrews 11:6 **But without faith it is impossible to please him:** for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and [that] he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.

New Testament Definition



Hebrews 11:1 Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.

Struggling Over Perfection



- Hebrews 12:2 **Looking unto Jesus** the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

What Stops us having this Faith ?



- The same things that caused Adam to lose Faith. Instead of looking to God he looked with new eyes at himself. And now saw that he was naked.

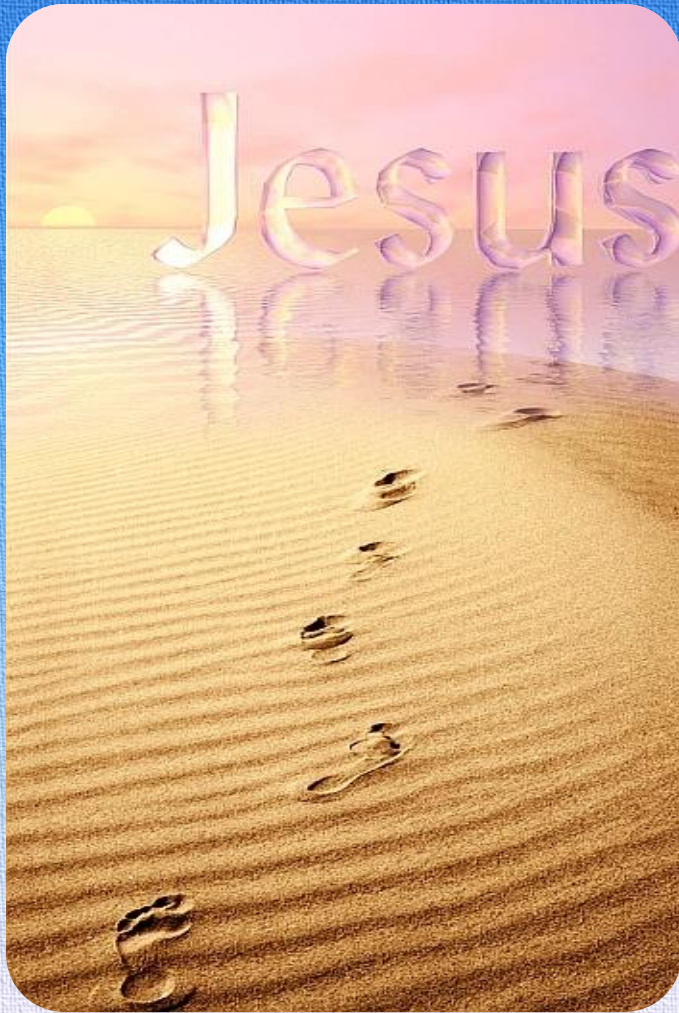
The Truth !



Genesis 17:1 ¶ And when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the LORD appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, **and be thou perfect.**

Belief in Gods commands and practicing them are sufficient to make us Literally perfect

Obey Me !



- Romans 4:17 ¶(As it is written, I have made thee a father of many nations,) before him whom he believed, even God, who quickeneth the dead, and calleth those things which be not as though they were.
- The act of allowing Gods ultimate plan for a savior to be worked through him resulted in Gods pronouncement/definition of “perfection “ being allowed to stand without question

Releasing The Tree Knowledge !

- *But it is a struggle for us to accept this because we keep looking at ourselves with this other knowledge and will not accept Gods pronouncement by faith.*

Gods Love



- Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.
- Romans 8:39
- ¶There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.
- Romans 8:1

Restored image



- Psalm 103:12-13
- As far as the east is from the west, So far has **He removed our transgressions from us**. As a father pities his children, So the Lord pities those who fear Him.
- 1 John 3:2 Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.

Perfection Now



HEBREWS 10:17

And their sins and Iniquities will I remember no more. Now where remission of these is, there is no more offering for sin.

2 Corinthians 5:21 For he hath made him to be sin for us, who knew no sin; that we might **be made the righteousness of God in him.**

Hebrews 10:14 For by one offering **he hath perfected for ever them that are sanctified.**

Through Christ Jesus death **we are made perfect** .. Not in heaven ...Not after three weeks of fasting,... not after 1 week with no evil thoughts.. Not in ourselves.. **By faith we are made perfect...NOW**