

REVIVAL MINISTRY

Wednesday Minute "I Just Can't Do It!" February 12, 2020

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding;" Proverbs 3:5 NIV

Read: Proverbs 3:5-8

Bettie had prayed for years for a "GOD fearing" husband. Then, she met Billy. He was wonderful; just what she had prayed for. As they dated, they talked about what marriage might be like with one another. Week after week, it grew more serious. She knew Billy was going to ask her to marry him, but she convinced herself it could not be. Her dad was very ill and was going to need her attention, possibly caring for him in her home. She never talked with Billy about these things; believing, in her mind, that Billy would be jealous of her time with her dad and she would feel guilty for not devoting all her time to Billy. She felt Billy deserved better. So, without a word of explanation she told Billy she could not see him anymore. GOD gave her what she wanted and she alone decided she could not accept GOD'S gift.

Have you rejected GOD'S gift, HIS answer to your prayers and needs only to turn your back on GOD'S provisions? You felt inadequate, feared change or could not believe you could actually enjoy GOD'S gift to you. Fear's wrong assumptions.

Trust. GOD will never give you anything without taking care of all those 'what ifs'. Bettie should have trusted GOD. HE answered her prayers and she came up with excuses, not reasons, to refuse what GOD could take care of. GOD provides more than just a simple answer for your prayers. HE supplies the answer to your prayer and all the details that will be necessary for you to have those things. GOD could have provided Billy with an understanding and helpful heart, possible assistance from others, financial assistance or a hundred other

things that might be necessary. Bettie could have had Billy and still cared of her Dad if she had only trusted GOD.

Are you trusting GOD to answer your prayers and provide all you will need? Lean on GOD, not on your own understanding. GOD always provides more than you ask.

Today's Prayer:

"Thank YOU, LORD, for answering my prayers with more than I can ever imagine. Help me to listen to all YOU tell me and to accept the truth in YOUR answers. Forgive me for leaning on my own understanding by not trusting totally upon YOU. Amen."

Feel HIS Blessings!

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