Jesus is Better - part 6 March 20, 2016

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Seven ways **God is faithful**, even ...

I. WHEN I FEEL A. He is faithful when we turn from God. Judges 6:1-6
Q: Could God be trying to get your attention through your pain?
II. WHEN I FEEL
A. Sometimes we feel Judges 6:11-12
Q: Do you believe God sees you right where you are? Do you believe He can use you despite your weaknesses? Do you believe you are who HE says you are?
B. Sometimes we feel Judges 6:13-17
Q: What would life look like if you really believed that God was with you?
III. WHEN I FEEL Judges 6:17-21
A. God us in our humanness.
Q: Do you know that God is patient with your weaknesses and helps grow your faith?
IV. WHEN I FEEL
A. Sometimes we [rightly] fear the Judges 6:22-24
B. Sometimes we [wrongly] fear Judges 6:25-27

Proverbs 29:25 Fear of man will prove to be a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is kept safe.

Q: Do you fear God, or fear men? Do you realize it shows?

/. WHEN I FEEL Judges 6:36-40
A. Gideon believed God - but his was weak. His needed strengthening.
Q: When facing challenges, do you doubt God's ability and trust your own ability?
/I. WHEN I FEEL Judges 7:1-8
A. Sometimes changes our plans! (feel thwarted)
Q: Are you willing to let go of your plans and let God lead you to victory?
/I. WHEN I FEEL Judges 7:8-21
A. God is the ultimate mind controller!
Q: Has God called you to some amazing, terrifying, act of faith? How will you respond?
/III. JESUS IS BETTER BECAUSE
1. Jesus meets you in your fear and gives you courage.
2. Jesus is patient with you - not wanting any to perish!
3. Jesus is the ONLY one who can give you an eternal victory!
4. Jesus has called you his beloved child and friend, sacrificing himsel
on the cross while we were yet sinners.
5. Jesus conquered the devil and death, and darkness and sin.
6. Jesus was afraid and willingly
died for you.