# 79th – Bible Seeds Podcast

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### Intro Music -

Hi, my name is Carl Vasta and I would like to welcome you to the Bible Seeds section here, at Understanding God's Word. This is where I get to comment on biblical readings and stories that brings the bible into what's happening to us in our daily lives.

I'll touch on such topics as Family Prayer or Why I Believe There Is A God. I'll talk about what was predicted that makes these the Terrible Times In The Last Days or how to Have A Daily Meaningful Relationship With God.

Today's topic: God Does Not Owe Us Anything

We as human beings, [People], all have one thing in common. We have all been brought to conception by the mating of a man and a woman, traditionally from people referred to as a Father and a Mother.

We may have received what parental abilities were provided to us as far as food, clothing and shelter, and whether you had one or two parents providing these things or maybe a relative or foster home.

There are those who may feel that their lives are incomplete because they have lost loved ones or have been robbed of the opportunities for happiness in their lives. They may even place the blame on remaining parents or relatives, and feel that those who are left owe them for whatever they are missing!

I'm not saying that life cannot be sad and cruel for many people but if they come through it, **there is hope!** 

I remember a song by Barry Manilow called "I Made It Through The Rain" that expressed the feelings of a person whose life was messed up, but they said,

I made it through the rain,
I kept my world protected,
I made it through the rain,
I kept my point of view,
I made it through the rain,
And found myself respected,
By the others who,
Got rained on too,
And made through.

But not all children feel this way and some even with both parents feel that their lives have been *blunted, dampened, too moderated or lessened!* They make the claim that we owe them a better life.

And if we are smart we tell them:

"Most everything they have has come from us. We don't owe you anything!"

"Don't forget one important fact: We raised you. You didn't raise us! We were raised by our parents before you were born."

And so it is with God, our Creator!

Do we know where He came from? Do we know anything about Him more than the bible has revealed? It says, He created the universe, planets, stars, our Earth, Angels and all life on the Earth. And He created us! Gave us parents and sometimes, Not! But there were others who may have helped us. And there were other people who . . "well, I don't want to think about them!"

Somehow, if we are still alive, we've had food to eat, something to drink, some clothes to wear. A life to live, *for a while and for a purpose!* 

**Does God owe us anything? No...** Wait; we didn't ask to come here. How are we supposed to live? We don't know from one day to the next!... what's going to happen to us?

At least we could ask our parents, "Why did you bring us here?" And they might say, "We didn't know you were coming along. We were just celebrating our love and being romantic!"

And if we ask God, He might say, "I was celebrating My new creation, YOU, and I was giving you life and a new place to live!

My first creations Adam and Eve were supposed to live forever clothed in *My Holy Spirit*, in a heavenly place, but they gave away their home to *Satan* for a lie. Satan and a third of the angels who followed him were all judged by God and destined to burn in the fires of *everlasting Hell*. They were thrown to Earth to await their punishment at the end of the age. This is where the battle of *"good"* and *"evil"* would be waged against the new creation called *'mankind'*.

And God might say, 'Adam and Eve were clothed in the animal skins they traded for *My Holy Spirit*. Because they did not believe me when I told them that they would die if they ate the fruit of that tree, they brought a curse upon themselves and their children. And were made corruptible. Now their bodies would age and die and their souls would hang in the balance.' To continue the relationship with God, they sacrificed animals to cover their sins.

And God might say, 'For many years, I sent leaders such as Abraham, Moses, Joseph, and many prophets to educate my chosen people about Me. I finally sent *Jesus*, [ *My Word, who became My Son* ] to be 'the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world', one sacrifice to remove all the sins of those who would believe in Me and Him.'

He gave us the answers to the questions we have about being here on the Earth and what we were to expect.

## **Do Not Worry** [ found in book of Matthew, Chapter 6: verses 25-34 ]

<sup>25</sup> "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothes? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? <sup>27</sup> Can any one of you by worrying add a single hour to your life<sup>[a]</sup>?

<sup>28</sup> "And why do you worry about clothes? See how the flowers of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. <sup>29</sup> Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe

you—you of little faith? <sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

So does God owe us anything? No. Does God promise us anything? YES! It's a conditional promise with the requirement that YOU BELIEVE. . . that there is a God who is your Creator and has the power to deliver all the things He has promised you.

So even though God does not owe us anything, He gives us everything because of "His Grace", which means we get the "good things" that we don't deserve!

Out of all the religions and the many god's we have heard of, which of any have come to Earth to teach His Creation and to give up His life to take their sin? *Only Our Lord, Jesus Christ. Thank You Father!* 

#### **Back Ground Music Starts and .....**

I would like you to know how much GOD loves you. He is ready and waiting to help you. You just need to believe that He exists and has created all things and has given *His Son Jesus, the good shepherd* to bring you back to him.

This is why I put together these pod casts, starting with **The Storyline**Of The Bible, 19 easy understandable pod casts that take you from

Genesis, the first book of the bible- to Revelation, the last book of the bible.

And beyond that, there are **The Stories And Quotes From Jesus**, which will help you to strengthen your faith in God. And now I have just added these *Bible Seeds*: my commentary on some of these readings.

You can find all of this and print out the **PDFs** for **Storyline Of The Bible** and **Quotes and Stories from Jesus.** You can download the MP3s, Videos, and my original music from my website:

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### **Ending The Program**

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