

7. Read Acts 5:12-16. Why was there much expectation among the believers? Do you live with great expectation? What are you expecting right now? Have you shared this with anyone?

8. Read Habakkuk 1:13. Is there an area in your life God detests? Read Zachariah 8:17. Do you hate sin? Do you believe most Christians hate sin?

9. Read Romans 6:14. Do you believe you can overcome and not be mastered by sin?

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Acts 5:1-21

Something's Missing

I. The thing that's most missing in today's Church is the Glory of God. (*1 Samuel 4:19-22*)

Why is it missing?

II. It is missing because of disobedience. (*Malachi 3:6-12*)

III. God is serious about disobedience.

A. The mask. (*Acts 5:1-11*)

* Great fear.

B. The miracle. (*Acts 5:12-16*)

* Great expectation.

C. The message. (*Acts 5:17-21a*)

* Great hope.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

For the week of December 20, 2009

(Questions and Scriptures for further study)

1. George McDonald says "Half the misery in the world comes from trying to look, instead of trying to be. What one's not." Why is it that we at times try to pretend to be what we're not? Give an example in your life.

2. Read Acts 5:1-4. Why do you think Ananias had it in his heart to lie? How does Satan influence our heart? How did he lie to God? How did Peter know he lied?

3. Read Acts 5:5&6. Why do you think God was so angry? What can you learn from this? Read Matthew 6:1-5. How does this relate to Acts 5?

4. Why do you think many Christians today have lost the great fear or awe of God?

5. Read Acts 5:7-11. Why do you think Sapphira was in agreement with her husband? What did Peter mean "to test God"?

6. Are you a person who desires recognition? Why or why not?