

Rely on God and God alone

2Chronicles 13:18, 2Chronicles 16:7-9, 2Chronicles 16:12(Amplified)

To rely on God is not a key that many people use today. People say things such as God will not come down to help you. They give an impression that it is lazy people or people who are laid back that rely on God for everything. They give an example which I personally believe is a fallacy that in developed nations such as USA, UK, Germany, China and others, they rely only on their wits to grow and find success and advancement, not regarding the fact that these “developed” nations have their own challenges of which some have brought them to their knees. The Corona virus pandemic is just one example.

See, the arm of flesh will eventually fail you. Yes you can attain a high level of success in life by relying on influential people such as Presidents, Governors, Commissioners and rich men in your circle of influence, yet you will not attain God’s best and height for your life and future if that’s all you do. I believe so strongly in Destiny Helpers and Destiny Workers but I understand that they are not my source. They are not my Helper. The bible says vain is the help of man (Psalm 60:11, Psalm 108:12), please read these two scriptures in other versions of the bible too, you will appreciate it.

God is the only one that gives rest and peace roundabout (2 Chronicles 15:15b (amplified)). I mean there are some battles in life that it is only God that will protect, preserve and guide you through. Until He does it, no man can help. Yet today people use God as a last resort. They remember Him only when others have failed.

However, let Him be your first resort, not the doctor, your rich relative or influential uncle. Let Him be your first port of call each today. Let Him even guide you on which men He wants to use for you.

He may use a family member, a relative, a friend or a total stranger. He knows best. He knows the heart of all men and He can turn them to your favour. Some of the men God has used for me are total strangers, some have been considered stingy yet I received from God through them.

God dislikes it when we rely on men; we see that from the experience of Asa (according to the Text), a one-time president of Judah, a brother nation to Israel. This is because by relying on men, you settle for less while God has greater things in store beyond what men can ever give you. Let us all learn to look to God and rely on Him. It is a major foundational secret to fulfilling our God-given destiny and attaining/sustaining great heights in life.

I’m not saying you should go about harassing people, telling them that you don’t rely on them that you rely on only God, I’m talking about the disposition of your heart and mind. Is your heart actual loyal to God? Is your heart blameless before Him? Is your mind stayed on Him? (2 Chronicles 16:9 and Isaiah 26:3). Again, it is a disposition of the heart and mind, which informs your approach to life and actions.

