

## Spiritual Growth Questions for May 9, 2021

**Opener: When life gives you crumbs, what crumbs are you desperate for?**

1. **Read Psalm 34:8.** In the Holy Spirit there are times when the bread is hidden. When have you experienced your senses heightened in your situation?
2. **Read Mark 2:25-26.** When David ate the consecrated bread, (Bread of God's Presence (showbread)) he had an understanding that in order to eat this bread he and his companions had to keep themselves pure. In your desperation, how has God strengthened you?
3. **Read Matthew 16:6.** Identify the yeast in your life that you need to guard yourself against.
4. **Read Revelation 2:17** This speaks of the wedding supper and those who will partake of it. **Matthew 5:6** How often do you hunger and thirst for this hidden manna?
5. **Read Matthew 26:26-28** As Christ broke the bread, how has God used your broken pieces?
6. **Read John 6:35** In what area's in your life do you need a crumb of deliverance?

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## The Faith of a Canaanite Woman

### Matthew. 15:21-28

21 Leaving that place, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. 22 A Canaanite woman from that vicinity came to him, crying out, "Lord, Son of David, have mercy on me! My daughter is demon-possessed and suffering terribly." 23 Jesus did not answer a word. So his disciples came to him and urged him, "Send her away, for she keeps crying out after us." 24 He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of Israel." 25 The woman came and knelt before him. "Lord, help me!" she said. 26 He replied, "It is not right to take the children's bread and toss it to the dogs." 27 "Yes it is, Lord," she said. "Even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their master's table." 28 Then Jesus said to her, "Woman, you have great faith! Your request is granted." And her daughter was healed at that moment.

I. Bread has a \_\_\_\_\_.

**Psalm 34:8** Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in him.

II. Bread \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ life.

**Mark 2:25-26** He answered, "Have you never read what David did when he and his companions were hungry and in need? 26 In the days of Abiathar the high priest, he entered the house of God and ate the consecrated bread, which is lawful only for priests to eat. And he also gave some to his companions."

**Matthew 16:6** "Be careful," Jesus said to them. "Be on your guard against the yeast of the Pharisees and Sadducees."

III. Bread is ordained for a \_\_\_\_\_.

**Revelation 2:17** Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give some of the hidden manna. I will also give that person a white stone with a new name written on it, known only to the one who receives it.

**Matthew 5:6** Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

IV. Bread is the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

**Matthew 26:26** While they were eating, Jesus took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take and eat; this is my body." 27 Then he took a cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink from it, all of you. 28 This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sins.

V. Bread of Life & \_\_\_\_\_.

**John 6:35** Then Jesus declared, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never go hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty.

**Matthew 4:4** Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"