

The parable of the duck

INTRODUCTION:

“IF GOD SAID THAT A DUCK CAN PULL A TRUCK
THEN HOOK HIM UP!”

Everything hinges on your faith!

Do you believe God!

Do you believe

Genesis 1:1

“In the beginning God

Do you believe

John 1:1

“In the beginning was the Word &
The Word was with God and the Word was God,
The same was in the beginning w/God.
All things were made by Him and w/out Him
Was not anything made that was made.”

Do you believe

Isaiah 40:22

“He sits upon the circle of the earth.”

Do you believe

Psalms 147:4

“He knows the number of the stars;
He calls them all by name.”

Do you believe Jesus' words in

Matthew 19:26

“With God all things are possible.”

Do you believe what Jesus said in

Luke 18:27

“The things which are impossible with men
are possible with God.”

Do you believe what the angel said to Mary in

Luke 1:37

“With God nothing shall be impossible.”

Do you believe

Hebrews 6:18

“It is impossible for God to lie.”

Then you can surely believe,

**“IF GOD SAID THAT A DUCK COULD PULL A TRUCK,
THEN HOOK HIM UP!”**

I. WHAT DID GOD SAY?

YOU ARE THE APPLE OF HIS EYE!

Deut. 32:10

HE WILL GUIDE YOU WITH HIS EYE!

Psal. 32:8

**HE HAS ENGRAVED YOUR NAME
ON THE PALM OF HIS HAND.**

Isa. 49:16

HE HAD CALLED YOU BY YOUR NAME!

Isa. 53:1

Unsaved:

If we confess our sin, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sin, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. I John 1:9

The blood of Jesus Christ, God's Son, cleanses us from all sin. I John 1:7

Healing:

By His stripes you are healed. Isaiah 53:5

By His stripes you were healed. Peter 2:24

From Falling:

“I will keep you from falling and present you faultless before the Presence of His glory w/ exceeding joy.” Jude 24

II Timothy 1:12

“I will keep what you commit unto me”

(Illustration: Circle w/dot in the center)

HE SAID:

I AM that I AM!

I AM	in you
I AM	beneath you
I AM	before you
I AM	behind you
I AM	beside you
I AM	above you
I AM	all around you

II. CAN HE BE TRUSTED?

II Corinthians 1:20

“ALL THE PROMISES OF GOD IN (JESUS)
ARE YEA AND AMEN,
UNTO THE GLORY OF GOD!”

Hebrews 13:8

“JESUS CHRIST THE SAME YESTERDAY, AND
TODAY AND FOREVER.”

James 1:17

There is “NO VARIABLENESS, NEITHER
SHADOW OF TURNING” with HIM!

BLESSINGS FOR TRUSTING:

Ps. 34:8; 40:4

TRUST = BLESSING

Ps. 34: 22

TRUST = NOT EVER BEING DESOLATE

Ps. 37

v. 3 “Trust in the Lord ... and you will be fed”

v. 5 Commit your way to Him & trust in Him
and He shall bring it to pass.

What?

ANS: v. 6

“He shall bring forth your righteousness as
light & your judgment as the noonday”

Ps. 40:3

Because YOU trust the Lord – many will also
trust in Him.

Ps. 56:3, 11

TRUST = LACK OF FEAR

Ps. 71:5

Even the YOUTH can safely put their trust in
Him.

Ps. 91:2

TRUST = A REFUGE, A FORTRESS

Ps. 125:1

TRUST = BEING IMMOVABLE AS MT. ZION

Ps. 112:7

TRUST = not BEING afraid of BAD NEWS

Proverbs 3:5

A COMMAND:

Trust in the Lord with all your heart,
Lean not unto your own understanding
In all your ways acknowledge Him

A PROMISE:

& He shall direct your paths!

Proverbs 29:25

TRUST = SAFETY

Proverbs 30:5

TRUST = A SHIELD!

Isaiah 12:2

TRUST = SALVATION, STRENGTH,
A SONG!

Isaiah 57:13

TRUST = DIVINE INHERITANCE!

Jeremiah 39:18

TRUST = DELIVERANCE!

II Corinthians 3:4

TRUST = A SUFFICIENCY

II Timothy 1:12

TRUST =

“I KNOW IN WHOM I have believed,
& am persuaded that He is able to keep
that which I have committed unto Him
against that day.”

THE KING OF ALL QUESTIONS:

III. WILL I RECEIVE HIM & HIS WORD BY FAITH?

Can I truthfully make this statement:

“If God said that a duck could pull a truck,
then hook him up!”

THAT’S BAZARRE??

What if He said:

(1). “Step out on the water
and walk toward me.”

(2) “Ask & ye shall receive” (Matt.7:7)

- (3) “Give and it shall be given unto you,
good measure, pressed down,
shaken together, and running over.” (Lk. 6:37)
- (4) “The wealth of the wicked are laid up for you.”
(Proverbs 13:22)

WHAT IF HE SAID:

- (5) “If you will believe,
out of your innermost being shall flow
rivers of living water.” (John 7:38)
- (6) “I’ll make you the head and not the tail.”
(Deut. 28:13)
- 7. I covered you in your mother’s womb.
I think about you all the time;
In fact, the sum is greater than you can number.”
Psa. 139: 13,17
- 8. “You’re never alone.
For, I am w/you always even to the end of
this age.” (Mt. 28:30)
- 9 “I’ll go before you and make the crooked paths
straight.” (Isa. 45:2)

10. “You shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord.” (Ps. 118:17)
- 10a. “I am the Lord they God who heals you.”
(Ex. 15:26)
11. “If two of you shall agree on earth
as touching any thing they ask
My Father will do it!” (Matt. 18:20)
12. “Whatever you bind on earth will be bound in
Heaven; and whatever you loose on earth
will be loosed in heaven.” (Matt 18:18)
13. “Whatever you ask my Father in my Name
He will do it.” (Jn. 14:13)

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Isaiah 49:16	Jude 24
Isaiah 53:1	II Timothy 1:12
I John 1:9	

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Psalms 139:13,17	John 14:13