

# SERMON NOTES



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**“Believing and trusting in God takes the limits off of your life!”**

## **How Do You Limit God?**

### **1. Small Thinking –**

- Enlarge your thinking and think bigger!

### **2. Wrong Attitudes –**

- You release God in your life when you believe and trust in Him!
- You put limits on your life when you do not believe in God or do not trust Him!

### **3. Focusing on Obstacles –**

- When you focus on obstacles and impossibilities, your faith shrinks!
- Speak to your mountain (obstacles and impossibilities)!
- Be a giant killer like David!
- David’s promotion was in the giant.

### **4. Unbelief –**

- Unbelief limits what God can do in your life.
- Unbelief ties God’s hands.

### **5. Through Wrong Confession –**

- Words create atmosphere.
- Your words reveal what is in your heart.
- You are the result of what you are saying.
- Words are steering the direction of your life.
- Your words are either releasing God or limiting God.
- God can only do what you are speaking.
- Increase, change, and flourishing starts in your mouth!

**Psalm 78:22 (NKJV)**

<sup>22</sup> Because they believed not in God, and trusted not in his salvation.

## **2 Kinds of Unbelief:**

1. Out of ignorance.
2. Out of rebellion.

## Hebrews 4:6 (KJV)

<sup>6</sup> Seeing therefore it remaineth that some must enter therein, and they to whom it was first preached entered not in because of unbelief.

## Matthew 13:57 (KJV)

<sup>57</sup> And they were offended in him. But Jesus said unto them, A prophet is not without honour, save in his own country, and in his own house.

- God wants to break all your records this year!
- Let God do it and get out of His way!

## Numbers 14:28 – 29 (KJV)

<sup>28</sup> Say unto them, As truly as I live, saith the LORD, as ye have spoken in mine ears, so will I do to you.

<sup>29</sup> Your carcases shall fall in this wilderness; and all that were numbered of you, according to your whole number, from twenty years old and upward which have murmured against me.

## Take-A-Ways:

1. Find a promise for what you are believing for.
2. Start saying, speaking, and confessing the promise!
3. Continue to speak the promise!
4. Continue speaking the promise until it drops into your spirit!
5. Know you are in belief and in faith when the Word comes out of your mouth through adversity.

## Discussion Questions:

1. How does believing and trusting in God take the limits off of your life?
2. How does confessing God's word and His promises bring increase and change into your life?

## Resources:

If you would like to look at “**Don’t Limit God**” sermon series in more depth, Church On The Rock bookstore has excellent resources available.

