

# Walking with God: Lessons from the Life of Enoch

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*Life dependant and focused to God without being tired of the circumstances.*



***Walking Like Enoch***

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# Who Was Enoch?

## 1 Origin and Meaning

Enoch is a boy's name of Hebrew origin, meaning "dedicated," "trained," and "disciplined."

## 2 Biblical Timeline

Enoch was just the **seventh** generation from Adam and Eve. He was born when Adam was 622 years old, making him approximately 5400 years old now.

## 3 Lifespan

"So all the days of Enoch were three hundred and sixty-five years. And Enoch walked with God; and he was not, for God took him."

# Enoch's Intimate Walk with God

- **Reminiscing the Garden**

Enoch may have been among the first to witness God's intimate communion with Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden.

- **Enlightened About Judgment**

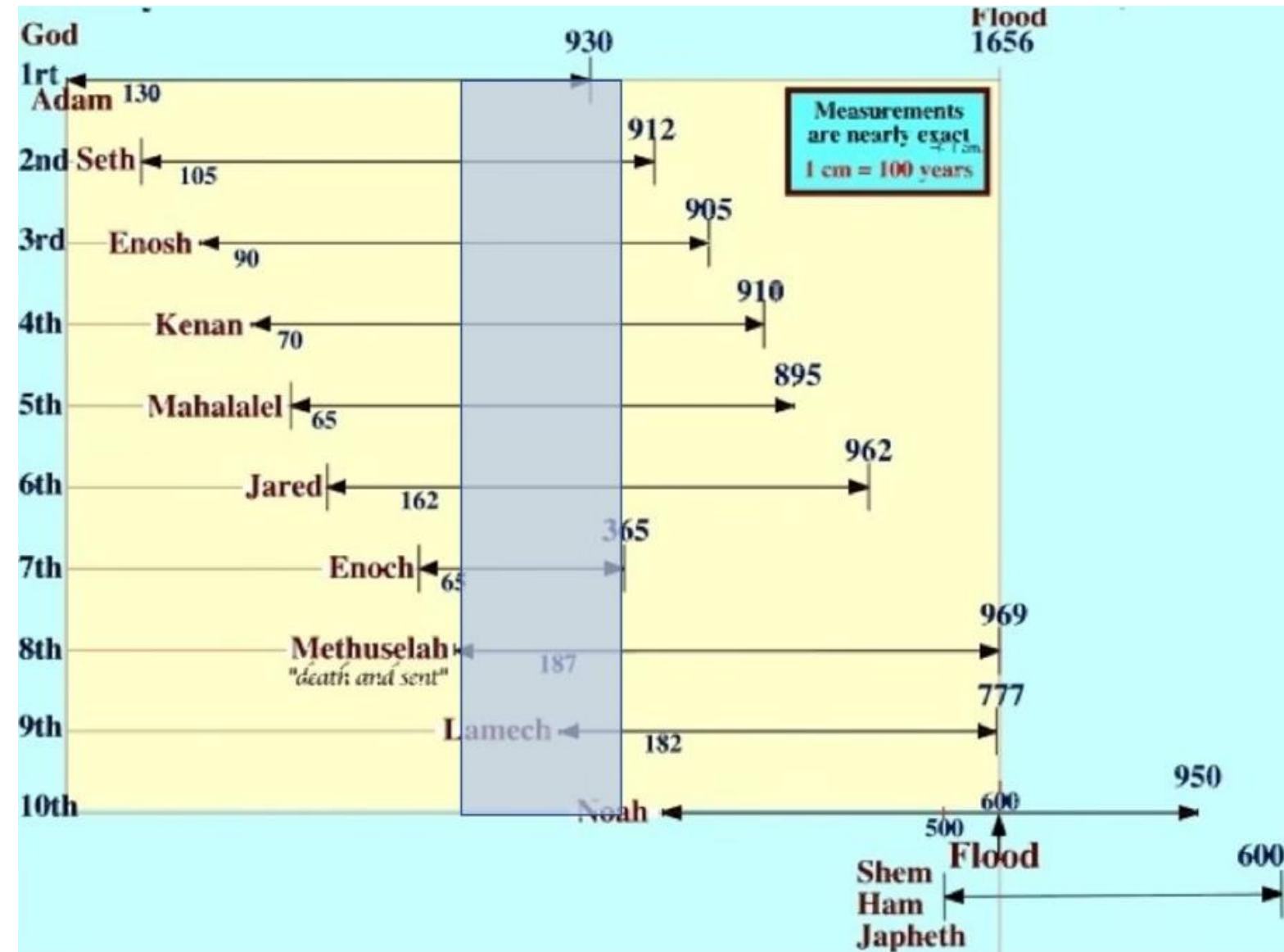
Enoch received divine insight about the impending punishment God would bring upon the world.

- **A 300-Year Friendship**

Enoch's life was marked by an extraordinary 300-year relationship, as he "walked with God" in close fellowship.

- **Naming Methuselah**

Enoch named his son Methuselah, meaning "when he is dead, it will come" - a prophetic nod to the coming flood.



# The World Enoch Lived In

## Antediluvian Age

This period of time is known as the antediluvian age. That is the age before the flood. Men and women lived a long time in those days. There was a constant cloud cover. God watered the earth with dew and not with rain.

## Growing Wickedness

The bible tells us that mankind grew wicked very quickly. "Then the Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intent of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually."

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## Fallen Angels

The word tells us that fallen angels actually took on a form and actually had children with the daughters of men.

Genesis 6:2-3, the giants (Nephilim)..

**4** *There were giants on the earth* in those days, and also afterward, when the sons of God came in to the daughters of men and they bore *children* to them. Those were the mighty men who were of old, men of renown.

# Enoch's Extraordinary Faith

Enoch's faith journey transformed from ordinary life to extraordinary devotion after his son's birth, culminating in him being taken directly to God without experiencing death.

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## Before Walking with God

For the first 65 years of his life, Enoch did not walk with God. Something happened around the time of the birth of his son Methuselah that changed his life forever.

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## Walking with God

"After he begot Methuselah, Enoch walked with God three hundred years, and had sons and daughters."

**Leviticus 26:3**, "If you walk in my statutes and keep my commandments, and do them; I will walk among you and will be your God, and you shall be my people."

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## Taken by God

*"By faith Enoch was taken away so that he did not see death, "and was not found, because God had taken him"; for before he was taken he had this testimony, that he pleased God."*

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## The change of identity

The experience of his commune with God, seeking His face daily without being remorseful of what is being sacrificed by his righteous life.



# Enoch's lifestyle imprinted in Methuselah, Noah

Methuselah's name carried prophetic significance about the coming flood, revealing both God's forewarning to Enoch and His patient mercy in delaying judgment for 969 years.

## Prophetic Name

Methuselah literally means, "**When he is dead, it shall come**" - a reference to the coming flood. When Methuselah died, the flood came.

## God's Revelation

God revealed to Enoch that judgment was coming, even if it was 969 years in the future. This divine revelation must have worked a powerful change in Enoch's life.

## God's Patience

Judgment was 969 years in coming, showing the longsuffering, kindness, and mercy of God, giving men time to repent.

## Noah's followed same

Genesis 6:9 *Noah was a just man, perfect in his generations. Noah walked with God.*

# Walking with God

Walking with God involves these key aspects:

- **Relationship Not Religion:** When you walk with somebody it implies relationship. Christianity is more than a religion. It is a relationship. God wants to have a relationship with us.  
*John 15:15 - "I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you."*
- **Communication:** It is not a run, it is a walk. When you walk, you can talk to one another. "And he walks with me and he talks with me and he tells me I am his own."  
*Jeremiah 33:3 - "Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know."*
- **Presence:** If you walk with him long enough, you get to know his presence. You can be in the middle of a crowd and sense Him.  
*Psalms 16:11 - "You make known to me the path of life; you will fill me with joy in your presence, with eternal pleasures at your right hand."*

# Walking with God

- **Daily Commitment:** Walking with God is not a one-time event but a daily commitment. It requires consistent devotion and intentional choices to follow His path.  
*Luke 9:23 - "Then he said to them all: 'Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily and follow me.'"*
- **Obedience:** Walking with God means following His directions and commands. Like Enoch, we must align our steps with God's will and purpose.  
*John 14:15 - "If you love me, keep my commands."*
- **Transformation:** As we walk with God, we are gradually changed. Our character becomes more like His, and our priorities shift to reflect heavenly values. *2 Corinthians 3:18 - "And we all, who with unveiled faces contemplate the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his image with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit."*
- **Fellowship and intimacy :** Walking with God brings us into a close, intimate relationship with Him.  
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# How to Walk with God

## 1 Spend Time Building a Relationship

It is more than saying a sinners prayer or attending services or holding positions or being on the pulpit.

It takes time in prayer.

It takes times in worship.

It takes time in the word.

## 2 Practice His Presence

Get up in the morning and start talking to him. What are we going to do today Lord? Spend time with him. Acknowledge Him throughout your day. Give Him space to work, let Him shine.

## 3 Live Consistently

Enoch walked with God for 300 years. He didn't go up into the mountains and hide and live as a hermit, he continued living his life, having children, raising children, being a part of the culture.

Consistency, obedience, fear, conviction, hearing His voice, acknowledging who is inside you.

## 4 Practice Obedience

Walking with God requires following His directions. Like Enoch, we must align our steps with God's will and purpose.

## 5 Walk in Faith

Faith is the foundation of our walk with God. Without faith it is impossible to please Him.

# Paul's shining principles of Walking with Him

Paul describes how a relationship with God will affect our walk on the earth in his epistles. In fact, he uses the word "walk" over 25 times in his letters. If you have a relationship with God, it will affect your walk.

- **You will walk in the Spirit and not in the flesh**
- *Galatians 5:16* – "I say then: Walk in the Spirit, and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh."
- **You will walk in love**
- *Ephesians 5:2* – "And walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma."
- **You will walk properly as in the day, not in revelry or in drunkenness**
- *Romans 13:13* – "Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy."

- **You will walk by faith and not by sight**
- *2 Corinthians 5:7* – "For we walk by faith, not by sight."
  
- **You will believe God's promise that He will dwell with you and walk among you**
- *2 Corinthians 6:16* – "And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God. As God has said: 'I will dwell in them and walk among them. I will be their God, and they shall be My people.'"
  
- **You will walk in the good works God has prepared for you to walk in**
- *Ephesians 2:10* – "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them."

- **You will walk as children of the light**
- *Ephesians 5:8* – "For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light."
- **You will walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise**
- *Ephesians 5:15* – "See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise."
- **You will walk in wisdom**
- *Colossians 4:5* – "Walk in wisdom toward those who are outside, redeeming the time."
- **You will walk in peace**
- *Colossians 3:15* – "And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also you were called in one body; and be thankful."

# Enoch pleased God

Hebrews 11:5-6 ...for before he was taken he had this testimony, that he pleased God. **6** But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him."

- **Faith Pleases God:** "But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him."
- **Believing in God's Existence:** Enoch believed in God so much that he took it to the next stage. He said I am going to seek this one who exists.
- **Believing God is a Rewarder:** Enoch believed God was a rewarder of those who diligently seek him.
- **Doing God's Will:** Faith is believing that doing the will of God and pleasing Him is the purpose of your life.

# Enoch's Prophetic Ministry - serving Him

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## Prophesied Judgment

Enoch served God by prophesying about the coming judgment.

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## Spoke Against Ungodliness

He spoke of "ungodly deeds committed in an ungodly way by ungodly sinners."

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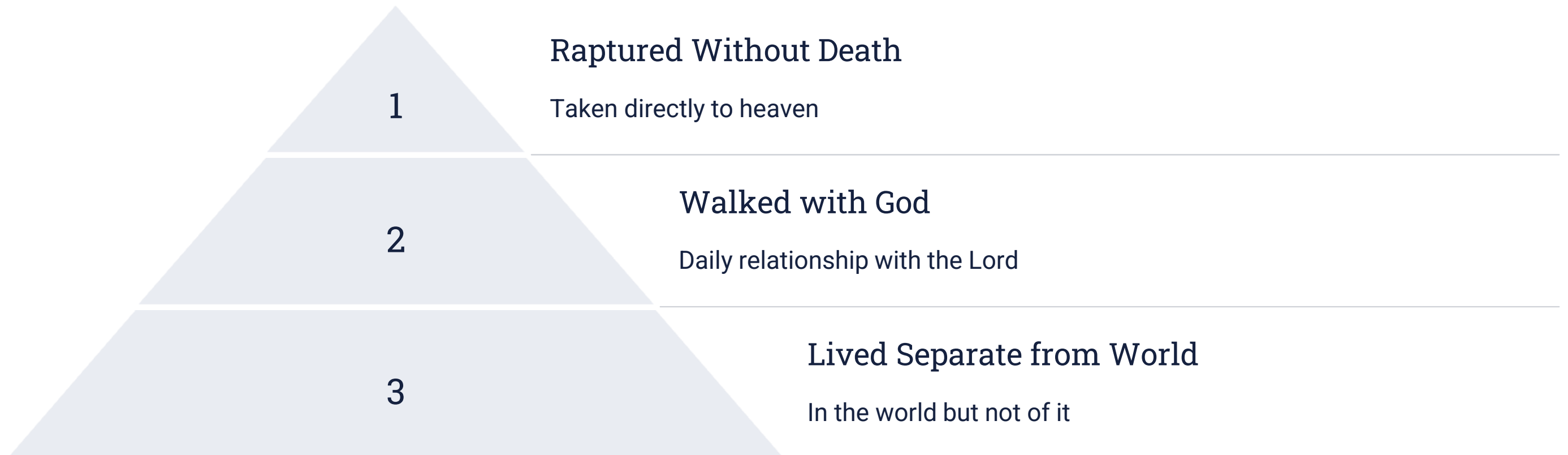
## Foresaw Christ's Return

"Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of His saints, to execute judgment on all."

Jude 14-15 "Now Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied about these men also, saying, 'Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of His saints, to execute judgment on all, to convict all who are ungodly among them of all their ungodly deeds which they have committed in an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things which ungodly sinners have spoken against Him.'"



# Enoch as a Type of the Church



Enoch is a type of modern-day believer. A believer who is on fire. A believer who knows why he exists. A believer who walks with God and who does not partake of the ungodliness in our world.

*1 Thessalonians 4:16-18 "For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord."*

# God's Promises to Those Who Walk with Him

300

Years with God

Enoch walked with God for three hundred years before being taken.

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Men Never Died

Only Enoch and Elijah in scripture were taken to heaven without dying.

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Generations from Adam

Enoch was the seventh generation from Adam, showing God's faithfulness through generations.

*"1 John 1:7, 'If we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.' True fellowship with God and true fellowship with one another are made possible through and by Jesus Christ, God's Son."*

God appreciate who sacrifices their lives for the glory of Him

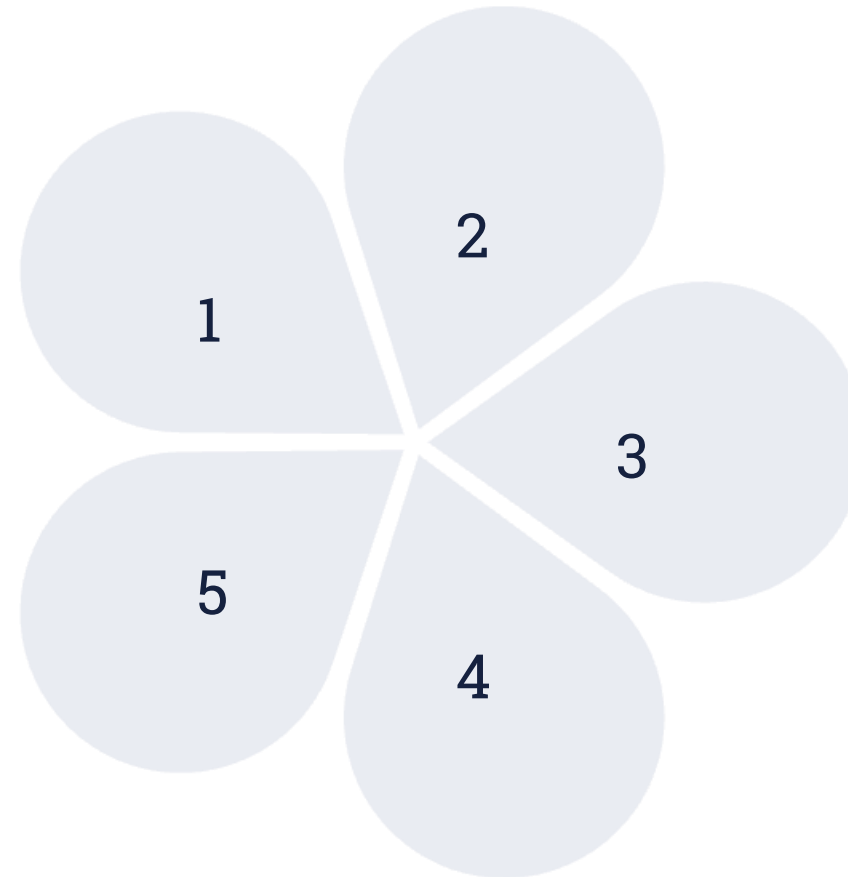
# The Legacy of Enoch

## Faith that Pleased God

"But without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him."

## Commitment to God

*It talks about his commitment to God. It talks about his faith in God. He may not have expected to be lifted up, without dying.*



## Prophetic Ministry

Enoch prophesied about the Lord coming "with ten thousands of His saints, to execute judgment on all."

## Godly Example

*Enoch lives today teaches us tons. The verse in Genesis squeezed everything in the few words – He walked with God*

## Family Legacy

*Enoch built the future for his Methusael – who lived the most oldest of all the person tagged in bible.*

One day, Jesus will return in the rapture of the church. We will be caught up. Are you ready? Enoch showed us what to do. Enoch walked with God, served God, pleased God and was taken. We can and should do the very same.