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The Lying Spirit

What do you think of Ahab character? What do you think of Jehoshaphat? What do you think of Micaiah's character? What can you learn about God character from this text? What can you learn from this to apply to your Christian life?

In the way of Ahab, I did not like his character because he murdered. He used the power he had to murder Jezebel's vineyard just because he had refused to sell it to him. That was ruthless. As for Jehoshaphat, being a builder he signified strength. No matter how things ended up or where he may have ended up he always returned back to God and His word which he knew was truth. He depended on the Lord to help bring him through the battle on which God did deliver. As long as we have faith in the Lord He will continue to give us strength. Micaiah I disliked because he had a bad reputation of being negative all of the time.

God used a lying spirit to bring about judgement on Ahab because he liked to listen to the lies of the false prophets and because he would choose evil over righteousness and he continuously disobeyed God. If we don't continue to seek God, and His wisdom and we continue to rely on others and believe their lies we will continue to be in a mess. God is a God of order, God holds us to a certain standard in that He trusts us to let Him develop us. The more He works on us and in us we will be able to discern lies and evil.

God works in us and through us and communicates with us everyday it just that we have to be open and receptive to it. One of my favorite songs that I love is "Our God is an awesome God" sung in the arrangement of Helen Baylor. The lyrics are:

Our God is an awesome God,
He reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, power, and love;
Our God is an awesome God.
When He rolls up His sleeves,
He ain't just putting on the ritz,
(Our God is an awesome God)
There is thunder in His footsteps
And lightning in His fists
(Our God is an awesome God)

I try my best in my Christian life everyday to do good, see the good in things, help to correct what I see wrong, be a light in a dark situation but most of all obey what His spirit sends to me. A lot of the times I may not understand but in the end He reveals it all and it is absolutely amazing in How this all works if you have faith and believe, never doubt and just proceed. God has pulled me through many situations and the closer you get to victory the more the devil wants to ride your back. We've got to remain steadfast and never let the devil see us sweat no matter how many times he may come at us from any angle. Always remember that God has got your back.