



A light to my path. Psalm 119:105

Hunger and Thirst for Righteousness!

We know what it is to be filled after a delicious meal. Also, we know the enjoyment of cool water when we are thirsty. The same satisfaction of being filled comes when we hunger and thirst for righteousness (Matthew 5:6) NKJV. The righteousness we are to seek is that of God, which comes through Jesus' blood given at the whipping post and on the cross. Righteousness is right standing with God. It only comes through Jesus by faith. All sources of righteousness apart from Jesus are self-righteousness. The faith to receive is not in the natural, however, it is in the spiritual. We must believe before we see. Faith is belief. Believing is faith. Hunger and thirst are keys that unlock the door to God's faithfulness. As our body's hunger for food and thirst for refreshing water give fulfillment, thus our spirit hungers and thirsts to be filled with God's righteousness. Jesus counsels us to eat and drink Him. Beloved, expect the righteousness of Jesus to fill you exceedingly. Shalom!!

Footnote:

1. Thayer's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Greek 3983 hunger
2. Thayer's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Greek 1372 thirst
3. Thayer's Greek-English Lexicon of the New Testament Greek 5526 filled

Matthew 5:6, Genesis 3:6-7, Romans 10:3-4, 25, 10:10; Isaiah 64:5-6, Psalm 23:3.

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