## THE PHYSICS OF FAITH

## Believing the Impossible

- 1. Bell's Theorem
  - a. Regardless of distance, everything in the universe is interconnected
  - b. Einstein called it "spooky action at a distance."
  - c. The link between two particles remains, no matter how far they are separated. What happens to one happens to the other *superluminally*, defying both space and time
  - d. Superluminally means faster than the speed of light...the universal speed limit
  - e. Bell's Theorem redefined what is and what is not impossible
- 2. Jesus redefines what is and what is not possible
  - a. **Matt. 19:26** "Jesus looked at them and said, 'with man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible"
  - b. **Matt. 17:20** "...if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."
  - c. Jesus trafficked in the impossible
- 3. We say, "Yay for Jesus....but what has that got to do with me?"
  - a. **John 14:12** I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these.
  - b. The miracles of Jesus redefine what is possible and what is impossible
  - c. Mark 9:23 Everything is possible to him who believes.
- 4. In the spiritual realm, faith is the only difference between what is impossible and what is possible
  - a. Miracles cannot be taught; they can only be believed
  - b. You've got to believe it before you can achieve it
  - c. God isn't looking for people who tell him what he can't do. He is looking for people who believe there is nothing he can't do!

- 5. We mistakenly think that the purpose of Scripture is to give us knowledge. But the purpose of Scripture is to give us faith in the One who wrote the Scripture
  - a. **Romans 10:17** Faith comes from hearing and hearing by the word of Christ.
  - b. Our problem: We have faith for God to do things, but we don't have faith to *wait* for God to do things!
  - c. We live our lives between our circumstances and the promises of God
  - d. Unbelief puts our circumstances between us and God. Faith puts God between us and our circumstances
  - e. **Ephesians 3:20** Now to Him who is able to do far more abundantly beyond all that we ask or think, according to the power that works within us...
- 6. What is keeping you from believing the impossible?
  - a. How is faith developed?
  - b. Galatians 5:6 Faith works through love....
    - i. Faith will grow as we expand our capacities to love