

EMUNAH - FAITH BULLETIN # 2
WHO IS THE WEALTHY ONE? THE ONE WHO
IS HAPPY WITH HIS PORTION (PIRKE AVOT)

**REBBE NACHMAN SAYS: SIMPLE EMUNAH -
 FAITH IN HASHEM IS A GREAT THING**

Rebbe Nachman mi Bresslov used to say (Sichot ha Ran Siman 33): According to everybody faith is a small thing: But in my view faith is a very great thing. And the main aspect of faith is a faith without much wisdom or depth, but only with absolute simplicity. Like the faith of good women and children (See there).

And in reality when a man adopts simple faith in the Creator, Blessed be He, his mind and thoughts become purified and orderly, and he doesn't become confused or miscarried by anything that happens in the world, because the person who really believes that there is no existence apart from the Holy One Blessed be He, that person is always connected to the Creator, and how much more so when he merits to talk to the Blessed Creator in his own language, and he tells the Blessed Creator everything that he has within his heart, and he constantly prays and supplicates to the Blessed Creator, just like good and decent simple women and people do, one can not imagine the spiritual pleasure that one feels from this. Because in general everybody goes through sad and bitter occurrences and things that afflict the soul on a day-to-day basis, and these things tend to confuse and break the heart of the person.

But when the person accustoms himself to talk to the Blessed Creator in the same way that women and simple people do, then this person feels very much alive and he lives in constant pleasure and he doesn't get lost when all types of troubles occur to him. But his heart trusts in Hashem, Fortunate is him and fortunate is his portion in this world and in the world to Come.

R. Huna said in the name of Rav who quoted R. Meir, and so says R. Akiva: A person should make it a habit always to say:

*“Everything Hashem does, He does for
 good.”* (Berachot 60b)