

EXPERIENCING GOD



How to Know & Do God's Will

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WEEK 5: GOD WANTS ME TO JOIN HIM ON MISSION

One of the most beautiful things about relationship with God is that He invites us to become involved with Him. If you want to know God's will, you must respond to His invitation to love Him wholeheartedly! God initiates working through us, in order to carry out His kingdom purposes in the world. God invites you and me to become involved with His work!

GOD INVITES YOU TO BECOME INVOLVED WITH HIM IN HIS WORK

- Read Amos 3:7, John 5:17, 19-20
- _____ takes the initiative and comes to one or more of His servants to let them know what He is about to do.
- Recognizing God's activity depends on our love relationship with HIM and HIS taking the initiative to open our spiritual eyes to see HIS activity.

LOVE GOD - IF YOU HAVE AN OBEDIENCE PROBLEM YOU HAVE A LOVE PROBLEM

- Read John 14:21. What 2 things will Jesus do for the one who loves Him?
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KNOWING WHERE GOD IS AT WORK

God can get our attention by revealing where He is at work, but sometimes do not immediately recognize it as His activity. A tender, sensitive heart will be ready to respond to the Holy Spirit's slightest prompting. God makes your heart sensitive in the love relationship so you are in tune with what is on His heart.

- Read John 14:15-17. If you love and obey Christ, whom will the Father give you? List two of His names. _____
- Where will this Person live? _____
- In John 14:26, what are two things the Holy Spirit will do for Jesus' disciples?

- God speaks when He is about to accomplish His purposes. Isaiah confirmed this in Isaiah 14:26-27 and 46:11. Read these passages, pray and watch to see what God does next in your life.

Memory verse for the week:

Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me. He who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I too will love him and show myself to him. John 14:21

