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## **Lesson 12**

### Knowing God's Will

Read Jeremiah 29:11. What kind of thoughts/plans does God have for us?

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In Ephesians 2:10 it says we are created for a purpose. What purpose are we created for?

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When was His will ordained for us? Was it planned before or does it just happen as we go along? \_\_\_\_\_

Ephesians 5:17 says that if we are wise, we will do what?

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According to John 9:31 who does God hear?

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In Matthew 7:21 it says that those who do God's will can do what?

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Ephesians 1:17-18 is a Holy Spirit inspired prayer that we can pray for ourselves and for others. In verse 18 why should we pray that the eyes of our understanding be enlightened?

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Read Matthew 12:46-50. If we do God's will what does Jesus say that we are in verse 50?

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In 1 Samuel 17:32-39 why can't David wear King Saul's armor?

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When following God's call and will for our lives we should not compare ourselves to others or try to do their calling. The only calling that will fit us is our own.

1 Thessalonians 5:24 says that \_\_\_\_\_ is He that calleth you, who will also \_\_\_\_\_ it. You don't have to do it on your own.

Jesus is our example and in John 6:38 why does He say that He came down from heaven?

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In Matthew 26:39 and Luke 22:42 Jesus is praying in a garden before He is about to die upon the cross for all mankind. What was Jesus' will, what did He want?

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Whose will did He eventually follow? \_\_\_\_\_

Read Romans 12:1-2. What do we need to do to prove that good, acceptable and perfect will of God?

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According to Psalm 37:3-5 how do we receive the desires of our heart from God?

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What do we need to do to have God bring His will to pass in our lives?

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What is required of stewards (1 Corinthians 4:2)?

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In Luke 16:10 Jesus is saying that in order to be given bigger responsibilities what do we need to do?

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If you want to do God's will you must first be willing to do whatever God may call you to do. He loves you so you can trust Him. What does 1 Corinthians 2:9 say about what God has prepared for us?

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Next, to know God's will we need to be faithful with what He has already given us. God wants you to know and do His will and so what does He promise us in Psalms 32:8?

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What does God promise us in Isaiah 48:17?

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According to Proverbs 16:9 we may have our plans but who ultimately directs our steps?

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What does Jeremiah 17:5 say about the one who trusts in the arm of the flesh?

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Read Proverbs 3:5-7. We are to \_\_\_\_\_ in the Lord and

\_\_\_\_\_ unto \_\_\_\_\_.

According to James 1:5 what should we do when we don't know what to do?

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In Psalm 119:105 what does it say that God's word is for us?

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The number one way that God will reveal His will to us is through his word. He will never lead or speak contrary to His word. It will never be his will to lie or cheat. Paul preached God's word to the Galatians and in Galatians 1:8 he gives a stern warning concerning anyone preaching against the word that he preached. What is that warning?

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For things that are not specifically written about in the Bible according to 1 Corinthians 2:9-12 how we can be lead in God's will?

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Romans 8:14 says that if we are the sons of God we will be what?

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What does Colossians 3:15-16 say should rule our hearts?

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We need to let it be our umpire and guide. If you have uneasiness in your spirit then that is the Holy Spirit telling you not to do something.

There are times when we need confirmation and counsel to help us make major decisions.

Acts 15:28 says that it seemed good to the Holy Spirit and \_\_\_\_\_ ...  
In other words they leaned on each other for counsel.

What does Proverbs 12:15 say about someone who doesn't want to listen to counsel?

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Read Proverbs 11:14. What happens where there is no counsel?

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Where can we find safety (Proverbs 11:14)?

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According to Psalms 1:1-2 whose counsel should we avoid?

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Another way that God will lead us is through circumstances when they line up with God's word and the Holy Spirit's leading. What did the Lord do for Paul in 2 Corinthians 2:12?

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What does Isaiah 45:2 promise us?

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Finally, another way God will guide us is with His voice. Read John 10:3-5. According to verse 4 who knows His voice?

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What does Isaiah 30:21 tell us that God's voice will do for us?

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Read 1 Kings 19:11-12. Where did Elijah find God?

- a. In a strong wind
- b. In an earthquake
- c. In a fire
- d. In a still small voice

The Christian life is an adventure and God's will for you is better than you have ever thought or imagined. Continue in your relationship with Him and be blessed beyond measure.

**Congratulations! You have completed Stepping Stones.**

Recommended Reading  
Following God's Plan for Your Life  
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