

Walking in the Will of God Part 2

Acts 16:6-12

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- “How can I know if this is God’s will?” “How can I know if I am walking in God’s will?” “How do I discern God’s will?” These are very common questions.
- When it comes to this matter of God’s will, there are two key components:

First, we must _____ God’s will.

- Believers discern God’s will as the Holy Spirit _____ to us God’s Word (1 Corinthians 2:10, 12-13) and _____ us of God’s Word. John 14:26

Second, we must _____ God’s will.

- It is fruitless to **know** God’s will if you do not _____ God’s will. James 1:22-25
- “What is the will of God?” “How do I find it?” It is found in the Bible, rightly divided. Therefore, if there is a specific command found in God’s Word, you simply _____ it.
- *“For this is the will of God, even your sanctification, that ye should abstain from fornication.”*
1 Thessalonians 4:3

- *“In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.”*

1 Thessalonians 5:18

- The Word of God draws the circle of God’s will. As a believer, you are _____ in Christ to live within that circle on the basis of faith.
1 Corinthians 6:12
- There may be choices that are _____ for me to make, but simply are not expedient. That is, they are not for my best long-term advantage.
- You are responsible to take God’s principles, apply them, and make decisions that are expedient and wise.
- God is not going to send you _____ and make all those decisions in life for you. He has made you competent through His Word and His Spirit.
- *“Thy _____ is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path... Order my steps in thy _____.”* **Psalm 119:105, 133a**