

# **“Sermon Illustrated”**

**God expects his people to honor Him  
through their obedience**

Sunday, July 30, 2023



# **The Contrast – The sermon illustration**

**The Commendation - The Recabites ... for Faithfulness**

**The Condemnation - The Judites ... for Unfaithfulness**



# 8 Checkpoints to Ask Yourself to discern whether it is ok to drink alcohol.

Is it the same?  
Is it necessary?  
Is it the best?  
Is it habit-forming?



# 8 Checkpoints to Ask Yourself to discern whether it is ok to drink alcohol.

**Is it potentially destructive?  
Is it offensive to other Christians?  
Is it harmful to my testimony?  
And am I certain that it is right?**

[John MacArthur's Sermon Link](#)



“Obedience is always in our best interest.”

Josh Hunt

[Josh Hunt – \*Obedience\* available on Amazon](#)



# *Living the 5G Life*

*God time - Daily*

*Gather & Group Time - Weekly*

*Give & Go Time - Consistently*



# #TFBAbide Bible Reading Plan

Day 1 – Jeremiah 35:5-7

Day 2 – Jeremiah 35:8-11

Day 3 – Jeremiah 35:12-15

Day 4 – Jeremiah 35:16-17

Day – Jeremiah 35:18-19

Scripture Memory: Jeremiah 33:3



# Theology of the 5G Life

**Abide** (John 15:5) “It is impossible to follow Jesus without abiding in Him.”

**Connect** (Rom. 12:5) “God has designed His Church as a body. In order to follow Jesus, I must be engaged in His family.”

**Share** (2 Tim. 2:2; Mt. 5:13-15) “A true follower of Christ cannot hoard their faith, they are compelled to share and multiply it in others.”

These are all based in relationship. Relationship with God, relationship with other believers, and relationship with the world.





# Application of the 5G Life

Every quality relationship requires **Time**.

There is no growing relationship apart from time spent together. Therefore:

**God Time:** an intentional pursuit of God daily – Ps. 84:10-11; Mark 1:35

**Gather Time:** a love for God's family in gathered worship – Col. 3:16; Heb. 10:25

**Group Time:** a commitment to consistent growth and accountability with a community of believers – Acts 2:42-47; Heb. 10:24

**Give Time:** a resolve to steward the gifts God has entrusted to me – I Peter 4:7-11

**Go Time:** Time spent regularly seeing the gospel spread locally and globally – Acts 1:8

