

## Your Will Be Done 3: Listen

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**2 Chronicles 7:14** (NIV) <sup>14</sup> **if My people, who are called by My name, will humble themselves** and pray and seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

**John 10:27** (NIV) <sup>27</sup>My sheep listen to my voice, I know them and they follow me.

### I. Listening is Important to Relationship

**Psalms 23:1-4** (NIV) <sup>1</sup> The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing. <sup>2</sup> He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, <sup>3</sup> he refreshes my soul. He guides me along the right paths for his name's sake. <sup>4</sup> Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me...

#### **Sheep Know, Follow, and Trust the Shepherd:**

- 1) Complete supply
- 2) Complete rest - body and soul
- 3) Complete safety

#### **Why We Don't Need to be Afraid:**

**Hebrews 13:5-8** (NIV) <sup>5</sup> Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you." <sup>6</sup> So we say with confidence, "The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid. What can mere mortals do to me?" <sup>7</sup> Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith. <sup>8</sup> Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

#### **How Do I Start Listening to God?**

- 1) Believe He cares
- 2) Trust He can do what no human can do
- 3) Surrender to His authority

## **Name One Thing You Need to Trust God for Today:**

### II. What Holds Us Back?

**Ephesians 4:22-24** (NIV) <sup>22</sup> You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to **put off your old self**, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; <sup>23</sup> to **be made new in the attitude of your minds**; <sup>24</sup> and to **put on the new self**, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness..

#### **Put off your old ways**

#### **Be made new in your thinking**

#### **Put on the new self**

### III. A Lesson From a Broken Heart

**John 4:7-10; 13-14** (NIV) <sup>7</sup> When a Samaritan woman came to draw water, Jesus said to her, "Will you give me a drink?" <sup>8</sup> (His disciples had gone into the town to buy food.) <sup>9</sup> The Samaritan woman said to him, "You are a Jew and I am a Samaritan woman. How can you ask me for a drink?" (For Jews do not associate with Samaritans.)

<sup>10</sup> Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water."

<sup>13</sup> Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, <sup>14</sup> but whoever drinks the water I give them will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give them will become in them a spring of water welling up to eternal life."

#### **Was she judged or delivered ?**

**This Week's Bible Readings (Use the TCND App if you want to listen):**

- Sat Rest  Sun Luke 10:17-24; Job 38-39  Mon Luke 10:25-37; Job 40-42  
 Tue Luke 10:38-42; Ps 1-8  Wed Luke 11:1-13; Ps 9-16  
 Thur Luke 11:14-28; Ps 17-20  Fri Luke 11:29-36; Ps 21-25  Sat Rest