

100 Days of Faith I Choose to Honor God

Genesis 15:1 (NASB®)

¹ After these things the word of the LORD came to Abram in a vision, saying, "Do not fear, Abram, I am a shield to you; **Your reward shall be very great**."

Revelation 22:12-13 (NIV[®])

¹² "Behold, I am coming soon! **My reward is with me, and I will give to everyone according to what he has done.** ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End."

I. My Intent, *adj.;* What I Intend, *verb*

def. = showing great determination to do something synonyms = adj. ---determined committed, focused, engaged; verb ---aim, propose, plan, expect

A. Daily Commitments

1) I intend to grow ---in my faith and God's involvement in my life

1 Peter 2:2-3 (NIV[®])

² Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it **you may grow up in your salvation**, ³ now that you have tasted that the Lord is good.

2) I intend to read my Bible

Joshua 1:8 (NIV[®])

⁸ **Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth**; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.

3) I intend to pray

Colossians 4:2 (NIV[®])

² **Devote yourselves to prayer**, being watchful and thankful.

B. My Choices ---behaviors and attitudes

1) I intend to honor God in my home

Joshua 24:15 (NIV[®])

¹⁵ "But if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, ... But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."

2) I intend to work with integrity

Colossians 3:23 (NIV[®])

²³ Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, **as working for the Lord**, not for men.

3) I intend to teach children to respect God and His people

Deuteronomy 6:6-7 (NIV[®])

⁶ These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. ⁷ **Impress them on your children.** Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.

Matthew 18:6 (NIV[®])

⁶ But if anyone causes one of these little ones who believe in me to sin, it would be better for him to have a large millstone hung around his neck and to be drowned in the depths of the sea.

4) I intend to receive and extend forgiveness

Luke 7:47 (NIV[®])

⁴⁷ "Therefore, I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven--for she loved much. But he who has been forgiven little loves little."

Matthew 6:14-15 (NIV[®])

¹⁴ For if you forgive men when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you.

¹⁵ But if you do not forgive men their sins, your Father will not forgive your sins.

5) I intend to cooperate with the Holy Spirit ---recognizing my body as the temple of the Holy Spirit

1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (NIV[®])

¹⁹ Do you not know that **your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit**, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; ²⁰ you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.

6) I intend to live generously

Proverbs 3:9 (NIV[®])

⁹ Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops;

7) I intend to complete my assignment

Hebrews 10:36 (NIV[®])

³⁶ You need to persevere so that when you have done the will of God, you will receive what he has promised.

1 Corinthians 9:24 (NIV[®])

²⁴ Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize.

Ephesians 2:10 (NIV[®]) ¹⁰ For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

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