

# THY WILL BE DONE!

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TEXT:

Luke 11:2

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SUBJ: Thy will be done!

INTRO: Everything that happens in our lives, is according to GOD's will being done in our lives!

(NOTE: Whether you want it to OR not, whether you like it OR not, GOD's WILL will be done!

And in order to accept GOD's will being done in your life, you need to be prayerful.

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This is why JESUS told the disciples in

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(EXPOUND) For you to be able to accept GOD's Will being done in your life, you're going to have to be prayerful! Because sometimes GOD's WILL, will not be pleasant!

JESUS prayed

LUKE 22:42

42 Saying, Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine, be done.

(EXP#) Sometimes GOD's WILL, will be painful and hurtful!

(EXP#) Sometimes GOD's WILL, will be trying and stressful!

(EXP#) Sometimes GOD's WILL, will be challenging!

(EXP#) Sometimes GOD's WILL, will make you feel lonely!

And in order to accept GOD's WILL, you have to be prayerful!

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(EXPOUND) JESUS had to be prayerful to accept GOD's will being done because if he wouldn't have been in the spirit, we wouldn't have been saved!

(EXPOUND) This is what I've learned about GOD's Will being done:

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## **#1 It's Hard accepting GOD's will!**

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(EXPOUND) One of the hardest things there is for us to do, is to accept GOD's will in our lives, especially when it's seem to be something that's not favorable or pleasant for us and when it's something that we don't want to do!

(NOTE: See it's easy accept GOD's will in your life, when it's something that you can see benefiting your life OR when you can see how something will workout for you) OR it doesn't cause you to experience any discomfort or any hurt or pain in your life!)

But when you have to experience some hard things OR go through some trying times OR deal with some devastating situations OR not know how something is going to workout, it's hard to accept that in your life!

Luke 22:41-42

41 And he was withdrawn from them about a stone's cast, and kneeled down, and prayed, 42 Saying, Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me:

(EXPOUND) JESUS was GOD in the flesh, he was the living word, he was full of power and anointing and he said, "LORD, if your willing, take this cup away from me!"

It's hard to accept GOD's will in your life, when it's seem to be something that's not favorable or pleasant for you!

(EXP#) I don't care who you are!

(EXP#) I don't care how strong you think you are!

(EXP#) I don't care how spiritual and holy you think are!

It's hard to accept GOD's will in your life, when it's seem to be something that's not favorable or pleasant for you!

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## **#2 You have to Humble yourself!**

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(EXPOUND) Listen, in order for you to truly accept the will of GOD in your life, it requires you to humble yourself and recognize his authority!

1 Peter 5:6

6 Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time"!

(EXPOUND) When we humble ourselves under GOD's authority, we're submitting to GOD's will for our lives!

And when we've humbled ourselves enough so that GOD can trust us, then GOD will honor us at the right!

The bible says in

James 4:6

6 God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble"!

(EXPOUND) When we humble ourselves we open ourselves up to receive the unmerited favor of GOD, but when we walk around with pride, we're setting ourselves up for destruction!

Proverbs 18:12

12 says, "Before destruction the heart of man is haughty, and before honour is humility"!

(NOTE) Pride comes before the fall, but honor comes after humility! GOD can't do anything with a prideful heart!

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### **#3 You have to deny yourself!**

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(EXPOUND) To accept GOD's Will being done, you have to deny yourself, and focus on doing what GOD wants you to do!

Luke 9:59-60

59 And he said unto another, Follow me. But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. 60 Jesus said unto him, Let the dead bury their dead: but go thou and preach the kingdom of God.

(EXPOUND) To do what GOD calls you to do, you have to forget about what you want do!

Matthew 26:39

39 JESUS said, O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me: nevertheless not as I will, but as thou wilt.

(NOTE: See, when you deny yourself, It's no longer, Me, My & I, but it's He, Him & His!)

CONCLUSION:

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## **#4 You have to totally trust GOD!**

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(EXPOUND) You have to totally trust GOD, in order for you to accept his will for your life!

(NOTE: You have to trust GOD like JESUS trusted GOD!) And JESUS trusted GOD with his life!

Daniel 3:16-18

16 Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, answered and said to the king, O Nebuchadnezzar, we are not careful to answer thee in this matter. 17 If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. 18 But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up.

(EXPOUND) These boys trusted GOD with their lives!

Solomon said in

Proverbs 3:5

5 Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

(EXPOUND) When you whole heartedly trust your GOD, you don't try to understand what he's doing, you just accept his will for your life!

(EXP#) Father, I don't understand why you're bringing me through this, but I trust you!

(EXP#) Father, I don't understand why this happened to me, but I trust you!

(EXP#) Father, I don't understand why you told me to sow this, but I trust you!

(EXP#) Father, I don't understand why you moved me, but I trust you!

When you whole heartedly trust your father, you don't try to understand what he's doing, you just trust him!

(EXP#) You can trust him, when you don't know where the money is coming from for your bills.

(EXP#) You can trust him, when the Doctors don't know what else to do.

(EXP#) You can trust him, when you don't know when the pandemic will be over.

(EXP#) You can trust him, when you don't know what's going on in your life.

(EXPOUND) And When you totally trust GOD, you're able to accept whatever GOD wills for your life! Because you know that whatever GOD's will, it will be alright!

(NOTE: Jesus trusted GOD and was willing to accept whatever his will was for his life because he knew that GOD is control!)

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(EXPOUND) These boys were willing to accept whatever the LORD willed for his life because they trust in GOD.