# How the Will Of God Happens

Dan Kraft Wednesday Night PM Service August 8, 2018 Acts 2:21, 1 Timothy 6:7-12, Matthew 6:20, Acts 10:1-6, Luke 11:1, Romans 8:6-8, Romans 12:1, Psalms 100:4, Matthew 14:27-29, Mark 16:15, Mark 4:14-15, Psalms 34:1

### Everyone that goes to heaven, their will is perfectly aligned with God

# There will always be curve balls in life

#### Acts 2:21

And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.

For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out.

And having food and raiment let us be therewith content.

But they that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition.

For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.

But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness.

Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses.

#### Matthew 6:20

But lay up for yourselves treasures in heave n, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal:

People are poor in their relationships because they want friends for themselves and what they can get out of that relationship

### Seek God first and foremost and that will flow out of you to others

# You have to be aggressive about the will of God

### If you focus on the word of God, you will do the will of God

# It has to be intentional and not accidental

# Steps to the will of God

## 1. Give

#### Acts 10:1

There was a certain man in Caesarea called Cornelius, a centurion of the band called the Italian band,

#### Acts 10:2

A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God alway.

#### Acts 10:6

He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side: he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.

# 2. Initiate conversation with God

#### Luke 11:1

And it came to pass, that, as he was praying in a certain place, when he ceased, one of his disciples said unto him, Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples.

#### Romans 8:6

For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.

#### Romans 8:7

Because the carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be.

#### Romans 8:8

So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God.

#### Romans 12:1

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

# 3. Be spiritually minded

## Stick through the have to and you will get the want to

### God desires to do miracles in us but it requires a step of faith

#### **Psalms 100:4**

Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name.

# 4. Take a step of faith

#### Matthew 14:27

But straightway Jesus spake unto them, saying, Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid.

#### Matthew 14:28

And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water.

#### Matthew 14:29

And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus.

# God expects you to do some stuff

# 5. Be aggressive about the harvest

#### Mark 16:15

And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.

Mark 4:14

The sower soweth the word.

#### Mark 4:15

And these are they by the way side, where the word is sown; but when they have heard, Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word that was sown in their hearts.

#### Psalms 34:1

I will bless the LORD at all times: his praise shall continually be in my mouth.

#### Steps to the Will of God

- 1. Giving
- 2. Initiate conversation with God
- 3. Be spiritually minded
- 4. Take a step of faith