How the Will Of God Happens, Part 2

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Luke 6:38, 11:1, 8, Romans 8:6, Ps. 145:10, 34:1, Matt. 14:27, Mk. 16:15, 18, Col. 3:2, John 7:37

Make a conscious effort to do God's will.

You have to be aggressive about the will of God

It has to be intentional and not accidental

If you don't set your mind to do God's will, the mind of the flesh will rule.

There is a mind of the flesh vs. a mind of the spirit.

Romans 8:6

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

Steps to the will of God

1. Give

Luke 6:38

Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.

God Wants you to prosper.

God wants to talk to you.

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.

2. Initiate conversation with God

Luke 11:8

I say unto you, Though he will not rise and give him, because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him as many as he needeth.

Jesus taught consistency.

If you're not hearing from God, maybe it's your turn to talk.

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3. Be spiritually minded

Psalms 145:10

All thy works shall praise thee, O LORD; and thy saints shall bless thee.

Psalms 34:1

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

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.

Make sure you have a word from God.

We have to believe.

God desires to do miracles in and through us, but it requires a step of faith on our part to do what God has called us to do.

God expects us to do some things

Take a step of faith to make Jesus famous.

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 16:18

They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

Our goals are to know Christ and make Him known.

Colossians 3:2

Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth.

John 7:37

In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink.

Psalm 32:8

I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye.