

The Will of God

1. Read Matthew 21:28-32
Which of the two sons did the will of the Father? What is it that shows that we are going to do God's will, the saying we will or doing of the deed?
What did the second son do? Does this show what Jesus was saying about the sinners who if they repented would enter His kingdom?
2. Read Matthew 7:21-23.
Who will enter into the kingdom of heaven? Is it the works which we could do or the actual doing of the will of God that is important?
If we do not do the will of God what are we doing? See Romans 14:23 for a clue. Read Mark 10:17-22 & Luke 13:34. Is it possible to resist the will of God?
3. Read Acts 13:22-23
What was in the character of David that made him the right choice for being the king? Now read Psalm 40:6-8 and Hebrews 10:5-14, do you see the same quality here in the heart of Jesus? In the psalm verse 8 why did Jesus delight to do the will of God?
Read Hebrews 8:10 - should God writing His laws in our hearts enable us to do the will of God in our own lives?
What is most important the sacrifices we make or doing the will of God?
Does God want sacrifices which are not in His will?
Hebrews 10:10 says that it is by the will of God that we are sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ, what do you think that means?
Was Jesus' sacrifice a perfect one?
4. Read John 4:34, 5:30 & 6:38-40.
What was Jesus' meat? Whose will did He seek? What was that will?
You could read the context in John 4.
5. Read Matthew 26:36-46 Can you see here how Jesus submitted to the will of God even under tremendous temptation?
6. Read John 1:12-13 and James 1:18
Who has willed our new birth? If it is the will of God that we are His sons does this give us the opportunity of pleasing God by doing His will just like Jesus did? Read Hebrews 13:20-21 for the answer.
Read 2 Peter 3:9 What is God not willing for?
Read Ephesians 1:4-9 What is our predestination according to?
In redeeming us what has God shown us the mystery of?
Is it a very wonderful will and not one to be afraid of?
7. Read 1 Thessalonians 4:3 & 5:18
What is the will of God? (Sanctification means separated unto God or holy.)
Read Romans 12:1-2 What must we do with our bodies and our lives?
What about our minds and the way we think?
What will we prove if we do this in our lives?
Do you believe that the will of God is perfect?
8. Read Luke 11:1-4
What are we to pray about the will of God? Must we really mean it?
Read Colossians 1:9-10 to see what and how you should pray for yourself and for others.