

## The Will of God

**Mark 3:35-For whosoever shall do the will of God, the same is my brother, and my sister, and mother. (KJV)**

Believers always have the opportunity to discern the will of God for their lives. Full attentiveness to the Lord God requires a faithful and consistent willingness. Choosing to accept and fully embrace the Lord's will is a purely voluntary act. Believers find value exists in adhering to the will of God in all circumstances. Adherers to the will of God form relationships among like-minded believers.

**Acts 13:36-For David, after he had served his own generation by the will of God, fell on sleep, and was laid unto his fathers, and saw corruption: (KJV)**

The value of the will of God is prominent by inclusion in the Lord's Prayer. Honest self-analysis reveals whether the believer willing complies with God's will. Choices made in life serve as proof of the personal value ascribed to God's will. Adhering believers to the will of God have an impact well beyond themselves. The community and later generations are affected by followers of God's will.

**Acts 22:14-And he said, The God of our fathers hath chosen thee, that thou shouldest know his will, and see that Just One, and shouldest hear the voice of his mouth. (KJV)**

The believer's disposition is important in accepting and following God's will. Trust in the Lord and verification of the Lord's will affect actual compliance. Deep trust in the Lord is necessary for continued compliance with the Lord's will. Believers need to empty the self of all that is not of God to be more faithful to God. Incorporating the Lord's will in personal decision-making changes behavior.

**Romans 1:10-Making request, if by any means now at length I might have a prosperous journey by the will of God to come unto you. (KJV)**

Openness to God's actions in life affects the degree a believer remains at peace. Personal decisions about God's actions shape the course of a believer's life. Daily occurrences are prudently viewed as they relate to the believer's salvation. The journey to the Kingdom of God and eternal life and God's will are interrelated. God gives believers a mind and free will to earnestly make the journey to eternity.

**Romans 8:27-And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God. (KJV)**

The time of life is not repeated and is best used wisely for the soul's salvation. God is a loving God and gives believers the opportunity to repent and begin anew. While the mind functions and the body has life, believers can embrace God's will. Repentance and fully embracing the will of God brings peace to the believer. Joy arises when believers on a daily basis ardently seek to embrace God's will.