

## HOW TO FIND GOD'S WILL

### Part 1

*And I will be a Father to you, And you shall be sons and daughters to Me," Says the Lord Almighty. 2 Corinthians 6:18*

*You scrutinize my path and my lying down, And are intimately acquainted with all my ways. Psalms 139:3*

### I. Three Categories of God's Will

#### 1. God's Providential Will:

**It's going to Happen** \_\_\_\_\_

*But when the fullness of the time had come, God sent forth His Son, born of a woman, born under the law, Galatians 4:4*

*And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto Myself; that where I am, there ye may be also. John 14:3*

*"But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father alone. Matthew 24:36*

**God uses** \_\_\_\_\_ **to accomplish His Providential Will**

*The angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; for you have found favor with God. "And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a Son, and you shall name Him Jesus. Luke 1:30-31*

**2. God's Moral Will :** \_\_\_\_\_

*It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; 1 Thessalonians 4:3*

*For the Lord's sake, obey every law of your government: those of the king as head of the state, ... It is God's will that your good lives should silence those who foolishly condemn the Gospel without knowing what it can do for them 1 Peter 2:13-15*

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*If anyone chooses to do God's will, he will find out whether My teaching comes from God or whether I speak on My own. John 7:17*

*Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave Himself up for her Ephesians 5:25*

*As each one has received a special gift, employ it in serving one another as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. 1 Peter 4:10*

**3. God's Personal Will:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Paul, called as an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, 1 Cor1:1*

**The more familiar I become with God's Providential Will and the more obedient I am to God's Moral Will  
The easier it will be to determine the Personal Will of God**

### II. Three Keys to Discovering God's Will

*Trust in the LORD with all your heart And do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He will make your paths straight. \_\_\_\_\_ Proverbs 3:5 -6*

**1. Make Sure I'm in** \_\_\_\_\_

*If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9*

**How to Maintain a Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_

**2.** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Revealing God's Will is** \_\_\_\_\_ **Responsibility**  
*Rest in the Lord... Psalms 37:7*

*"My thoughts are not your thoughts, and My ways are not your ways," declares the LORD. Isaiah 55:8 (GWT)*

**3. Be Willing to** \_\_\_\_\_

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