Apostolic Prayers Season 3:

How to Walk in God’s Will

Scripture

- **Colossians 1:1**
  Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, and Timothy our brother,

- **Colossians 1:9-10**
  For this reason, also, since the day we heard of it, we have not ceased to pray for you and to ask that you may be filled with the knowledge of His will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you will walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, to please Him in all respects, bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God;

Other Scriptures

- 2 Timothy 3:15
- Matthew 5:17-19
- Matthew 4
- James 4:3
- I John 5:14
- Philippians 2:3-4
- John 15:5; 16:7

Main Points

- This program comes to you from Jerusalem.
- One of the ways we know if we are praying according to God’s will is if we pray for the things that the Apostles prayed for.
- How to pray according to God’s will:
  - Pray for others
  - God wants us to be sensitive to His will.
  - We need to have an awareness, in the present moment, of God’s will.
  - When we become sensitive to the Holy Spirit in the present then we can walk in the knowledge of God’s will.
  - Wisdom enables us to apply the knowledge of God in the present circumstance.
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Discussion Questions

1. How does Paul’s prayer show a sense of unselfishness? What can we learn from this?

2. Does God desire us to think and act like Him? How does this prayer show that this is what He wants from us?

3. There needs to be a marriage between knowing the Word of God and ________________. What is the fill in and why is this needed?

4. Is knowing God’s wisdom and will the most important part? Why is the partnership of both knowing God’s wisdom and also seeking to walk in a way pleasing to God equal in importance? Why must we hold ourselves accountable to obey?