
SERMON OUTLINE

Committed to the Centrality of God's Word

Part 5 – Connected to God series

Joshua 1:6-8

- I. Committed to obeying God's word to accomplish what God plans for my life (Joshua 1:6-7)
 - *Obey all* = Not selecting only certain parts of God's word to follow
 - Will I courageously live obedient to God's word unlike the world around me?
 - Do I really believe following God's word is the key to God's blessing in my life?

- II. Committed to expressing God's word through what I say (Joshua 1:8a)
 - *Not depart from my mouth* = Consistently expressing God's viewpoint because I'm convinced it is true
 - Do those around me know I seek to live according to God's word?
 - Am I committed to teaching God's word to my family (Deuteronomy 6:1-9)?

- III. Committed to knowing God's word to obey Him and experience His blessing (Joshua 1:8b)
 - *Meditate on it day and night* = Personally investing significant time in God's word
 - Will I make the personal commitment to know God's word so that it permeates my thinking (Hebrews 4:12)?
 - Will I be sure not to substitute knowing God's word for obeying it (James 1:22-25; 2 Timothy 3:16-17)?

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