

THE CALL OF GOD - PART 1

God has a “call” on your life.

He has an individual plan for you.

There are many things that can get in the way of us accepting the call of God on our lives.

God's call and His gifts are without repentance.

Once He puts a call on your life, He does not take it away.

It's never too late to operate in your calling.

We may not know what God's plan for us is, but God knows and He wants to show us what that plan is when we can handle being shown.

People are not only called by God to be pastors and evangelists and missionaries, but also things like nurses, teachers, and business managers.

The call of God on your life is not simply an occupation or a destination.

The call of God is a call to relationship.

If, for example, you are called to be a doctor and you do become a doctor, that does not mean you have fulfilled the call of God on your life. It's not about the destination or the occupation.

It has to first and foremost be about your relationship with God.

God will accomplish His calling on your life through your relationship with Him.

In a relationship there are bad responses, good responses, better responses and best responses.

Joseph starting out making bad responses, but he learned how to make best responses.

Trust that the things you go through are training you for the calling of God on your life.

The call of God is:

1. A call to relationship, a call to be His.

How is your relationship with God?

It all depends on the type of interaction that is taking place between you and Him.

Is it bad, good, better or best?

It's all about spending time with Him, getting to know Him through His word.

2. A call to integrity.

God was with Joseph, but there were times it did not look like it.

We need to trust that God is with us, no matter what we're are going through.

God leads us through stuff, not just to stuff.

As God leads us through stuff, He does stuff in us.

Integrity does something in you before it does something for you.

3. A call to praise.

Joseph gave praise to God when Pharaoh ask Joseph to interpret his dream

Joseph said that he could not interpret it, but God can.

Relationship, Integrity and Praise (RIP).

SCRIPTURE LIST

Acts 10:34
Jeremiah 29:11
Genesis 37:5-36

Genesis 39:2 & 21
Genesis 41:14-16
1 Peter 2:9