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“THERE’S MORE TO FOLLOWING JESUS”

Beyond Belief: Real Faith for Real Life” - Part 1

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TODAY’S BOTTOM LINE

Following Jesus is something we participate in—not simply something we believe.

Luke 9:23-35 ²³Then he said to the crowd, “If any of you wants to be my follower, you must give up your own way, take up your cross daily, and follow me.

²⁴If you try to hang on to your life, you will lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake, you will save it.

²⁵And what do you benefit if you gain the whole world but are yourself lost or destroyed. (NLT)

Proverbs 3:5-6 ⁵Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding.

⁶Seek His will in all you do, and He will show you which path to take. (NLT)

Acts 2:42 All the believers devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching, and to fellowship, and to sharing in meals (including the Lord's Supper), and to prayer. (NLT)



ACTS 2:46-47 ⁴⁶They worshiped together at the Temple each day, met in homes for the Lord's Supper, and shared their meals with great joy and generosity—

⁴⁷all the while praising God and enjoying the goodwill of all the people. And each day the Lord added to their fellowship those who were being saved. (NLT)

James 1:28 Don't merely listen to God's Word. Do what it says. (NLT)

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