

Commitment Issues

Enjoy the Adventure: Part 6

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“...for I have no one else like-minded who will genuinely care about your interests; all seek their own interests, not those of Jesus Christ. But you know his proven character...”

Philippians 2:20-22

“But I considered it necessary to send you Epaphroditus – my brother, coworker, and fellow soldier, as well as your messenger to my need...”

“Therefore, welcome him in the Lord with all joy and hold men like him in honor, because he came close to death for the work of Christ, risking his life to make up what was lacking in your ministry to me.”

Philippians 2:25, 29-30

3 Effects My Commitments Have

1. Show my _____

2. _____ my life

3. Determine my _____

“If anyone comes to Me and does not hate his own father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters – yes, and even his own life – he cannot be My disciple. Whoever does not bear his own cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple. For which of you, wanting to build a tower, doesn’t first sit down and calculate the cost to see if he has enough to complete it?”

Luke 14:26-28

**Say, “Yes” to _____
part of the adventure.**

1. I Give God the First _____ of Each Day

“At daybreak, Lord, You hear my voice; at daybreak I plead my case to You and watch expectantly.”

Psalms 5:3

2. I Give God the First _____ of Every Week

On the first day of the week, we assembled to break bread.

Acts 20:7

3. I Give God the First Ten-Percent of My _____

The purpose of tithing is to teach you always to put God first in your lives.

Deuteronomy 14:23 TLB

4. I Give God the First _____ in Every Decision

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and do not rely on your own understanding; think about Him in all your ways and He will guide you on the right paths.

Proverbs 3:5-6

“So don’t worry, saying, ‘What will we eat?’ or ‘What will we drink?’ or ‘What will we wear?’ For...your heavenly Father knows that you need them. But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be provided for you.”

Matthew 6:31-33

For the eyes of Yahweh roam throughout the earth to show Himself strong for those whose hearts are completely His.

2 Chronicles 16:9

*All scriptures from HCSB unless otherwise noted