

# CrossRoads

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**O**bedience to Jesus' Commands

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Part 2: How Does a Disciple Follow Jesus?

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## Commitment to Christ

**Matthew 11:28-30**

<sup>28</sup> **Come to Me**, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. <sup>29</sup> Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.  
<sup>30</sup> For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.

**Matthew 16:24**

Then Jesus said to His **disciples**,  
"If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross and follow Me."

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### Radical Change

**2 Corinthians 5:17**

*Therefore if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come.*

**1 Corinthians 6:9-11**

*<sup>9</sup> Or do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor homosexuals, <sup>10</sup> nor thieves, nor the covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers, will inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>11</sup> Such were some of you; but you were washed, but you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and in the Spirit of our God.*

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### Obedience to Jesus' Commands

**John 13:34**

*A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another.*

**John 15:9-10**

*<sup>9</sup> Just as the Father has loved Me, I have also loved you; abide in My love.*

*<sup>10</sup> If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love; just as I have kept My Father's commandments and abide in His love.*

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### Self-denial Daily

**Luke 9:23-25**

*<sup>23</sup> And He was saying to them all, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, he must deny himself, and take up his cross daily and follow Me. <sup>24</sup> For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake, he is the one who will save it. <sup>25</sup> For what is a man profited if he gains the whole world, and loses or forfeits himself?"*

**Luke 14:27**

*Whoever does not carry his own cross and come after Me **cannot be My disciple.***

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### Slave to Christ Alone

**Matthew 10:24-25**

*<sup>24</sup> A disciple is not above his teacher, nor a slave above his master. <sup>25</sup> It is enough for the disciple that he become like his teacher, and the slave like his master.*

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### Renewing My Mind through God's Word

**Romans 12:1-2**

*<sup>1</sup> Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. <sup>2</sup> And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.*

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### Overcoming Temptation

**1 Corinthians 10:13**

*No temptation has overtaken you but such as is common to man; and God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will provide the way of escape also, so that you will be able to endure it.*

**1 John 5:4**

*For whatever is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith.*

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### Acquiring Wisdom

**Proverbs 2:1-6**

*<sup>1</sup> My son, if you will receive my words and treasure my commandments within you, <sup>2</sup> Make your ear attentive to wisdom, Incline your heart to understanding; <sup>3</sup> For if you cry for discernment, lift your voice for understanding; <sup>4</sup> If you seek her as silver and search for her as for hidden treasures; <sup>5</sup> Then you will discern the fear of the LORD and discover the knowledge of God. <sup>6</sup> For the LORD gives wisdom; from His mouth come knowledge and understanding.*

**CrossRoads 9** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

### Disciplining Myself for Godliness

**1 Timothy 4:7b-9**

*<sup>7</sup> Discipline yourself for the purpose of godliness; <sup>8</sup> for bodily discipline is only of little profit, but godliness is profitable for all things, since it holds promise for the present life and also for the life to come. <sup>9</sup> It is a trustworthy statement deserving full acceptance.*

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### Sharpening Others

**Proverbs 27:6**

*Faithful are the wounds of a friend,  
but deceitful are the kisses of an enemy.*

**Proverbs 27:17**

*Iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.*

**Proverbs 18:24**

*A man of too many friends comes to ruin,  
but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.*

**Proverbs 1:10**

*My son, if sinners entice you, do not consent.*

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