MARCH 11

"OBEDIENCE OPENS THE DOOR TO GOD'S BIGGEST AND BEST FOR YOU."

READ

Acts 2:38-39, Proverbs 3:9-10

We live in a day when more and more Christians are becoming less and less committed to the tenets of the Scriptures. What is it that God requires of me? The first thing I have to do in my walk with Christ is to repent. Jesus was baptized, not because He had any sin in His life, but to set an example. He identified with sinners. In order to follow fully and walk in obedience, I must be baptized. I must do what the Lord did. God instructs me to tithe. He doesn't need my money, but I have come to realize God wants all of me. He owns everything, but I need to give from what He's given me. The tithe is the first thing that comes out of your income. God says to bring the tithe into His storehouse. The storehouse is where you get fed, your local church. You don't give your tenth to a ministry, not even to a needy family. Those gifts come from your offerings. Giving opens the windows of heaven. Obedience opens the door to God's best for you.

PRAY

Jesus, I love You! Scripture says, "This is love. Walk in obedience." I know there is correction for disobedience and blessing in obedience. I humbly receive both. Whatever You tell me to do, I will do it. Give me ears to hear Your voice and a heart to obey.

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