



This Is A Word For Your Day

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What Does It Mean - To Believe On Jesus?

The Blood
Of Jesus
Will Never Lose
Its
Power!

I am what some people would call a retired minister. *I called my self, not retired but just plain tired!* I have had enough heartache and pain in my life to last me forever. There have been many times that I tried to quit on this ministry, but there was no one in heaven that would receive my resignation. *There is no where to quit or to retire from! God's people can never successfully quit!* So, if I cannot quit, then you can't either. Go chew on that for a while! — You would just not believe what it takes to do these studies for each day, so I just will not tell you! When I began this simple work of writing a study for each day, I thought that I knew a little about the Bible. But each day, shows me just how ignorant I was. **But we really need to talk about Jesus. So —**

Let's Talk About Jesus!

What does it mean "to do God's Will?"

There have been battles that have resulted in the real death of people over this very question of "Doing God's Will!" But, as usual, Jesus settles that question effortlessly!

Matthew 12:46-50 While he yet talked to the people, behold, *his* mother and his brethren stood without, desiring to speak with him. (47) Then one said unto him, Behold, thy mother and thy brethren stand without, desiring to speak with thee. (48) But he answered and said unto him that told him, **Who is my mother? and who are my brethren?** (49) And he stretched forth his hand toward his disciples, and said, **Behold my mother and my brethren!** (50) **For whosoever shall do the will of my Father which is in heaven, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.**

John 6:28-29 Then said they unto him, What shall we do, that we might work the works of God? (29) Jesus answered and said unto them, **This is the work of God, that ye believe on him whom he hath sent.**

John 6:39-40 And **this is the Father's will** which hath sent me, that of all which he hath given me I should lose nothing, but should raise it up again at the last day. (40) And **this is the will of him that sent me, that every one which seeth the Son, and believeth on him, may have everlasting life: and I will raise him up at the last day.**

According to our expert, **Jesus** — doing the will of God means to **believe on Jesus!** Notice He said to "believe **on** Jesus". The meaning of the little word "on" is very important to us. If we are to understand what it means to **Believe ON Jesus**, we will have to find out about the word **ON**.

Webster Dictionary says About the word "**ON**" — **It denotes resting for support; as, to depend on, to rely on; hence, the ground of any thing; as, he will covenant on certain considerations or conditions; the considerations being the support of the covenant.**

If you would sit on chair or stool, **you would be trusting it to hold your weight.** (This might take a stronger stool for people like me). I would not want to sit on anything that would break under my weight! This is even more important now that I have gotten older. Falling down can be hazardous to you health. Believing **ON** Jesus **means to rest on** Him. If I sit on the strongest chair of all, I do not need to look for another chair. If I rest all of my hope upon Jesus, that means that I am **Believing ON Jesus**. Jesus is all that any one of could ever need!

John 14:1-6 Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. (2) In my Father's house are many mansions: if *it were* not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. (3) And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, *there ye may be also.* (4) And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. (5) Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way? (6) Jesus saith unto him, **I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**