

“Willing and Obedient” - WORD at New life Christian Center
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Would you just prepare your hearts with me for just a second? I'm. I'm. I'm struggling. See, in the order of this. From heaven. But I know I'm supposed to give it to you today, So please prepare your hearts, because I think what God wants to say to us. And. And if I was to just say to you matter of factly that this this word is timed, this word of preparation is for now until the first of the year.

And there'll be a, there'll be a break in a transition that happens in the new year. So so let me just, let me just ask you to prepare your hearts, because you're going to enter into a season of preparation. And the preparation is what the prophet Isaiah said to his people. He said, if you are willing and obedient.

So most of us have placed so much emphasis on obedience that we've missed the opportunity to have a willingness. So we we've, we've made obedience out to be something that costs us. But the cost in that is not obedience. The cost is willingness. We're reluctant at times to see into God's heaven to see what he is doing or wants to do.

And so we lack the willingness to abandon ourselves to the invisible world where we see what He's going to do. So you need to prepare yourself to be struc... I wish I had better words structured on the inside for willingness. See, sometimes we're reluctantly obedient because we're reluctant, willing. Sometimes we're slowly obedient, which, by the way, is just disobedience in a Halloween costume because we are slowly willing.

And what God wants you to do is to prepare yourself over the next three months, two months to find that place of enthusiastic willingness, because from that place of enthusiastic enthusiasm, stick willingness will become a will, will come a level of obedience that you've never seen before. So you see, this is. This is this is not just what God wants you to do.

That's the obedience. This is what God wants you to approach that obedience with. See, there's a willingness that produces obedience and the rest of that verse. And Isaiah says so that you will eat of the good of the land. So here's what I believe is going to happen. God wants to pour out His goodness. But because of the reluctance of our willingness to see what He's doing is good, we have a reluctant obedience to what's happening in our world.

So God wants to give you an opportunity to increase your willingness. But the only way for you to do that is to see what you're in now as something that is good in God's hands. So you have to be willing to allow the good things of God to replace the fear and the difficulty and the bad things that the world might be offering.

You.... And you need to remove your willingness to complain. There's no reward for complaining, there is no anointing for complaining. You need to remove of the willingness to complain into the willingness to see God's goodness. Yes, because there is goodness coming poured out upon the land. Please don't hear this as an American thing. This is God pouring out on the land.

See, the Bible tells us that God gives the earth to the children of man. Psalms 115, 116, verse 16 of verse 15 says, The numbers are all right. Just just like I said, I was garbled in my mind and it God's going to pour something out on the ground. The goodness of God is going to be poured out all over the world.

But you've got to be willing to change your assessment of the land as you see it, because there is no anointing for complaint. There is no way that God gives you. Do you understand the complaining and a lament? A complaint blames God for what's not happening. A lament meets with God in mourning over what's happening. One of them is God ordained.

The other one is purely fleshly. So you've got to get to that place where you see what God is doing, a willingness to see what God's doing as good. You say, I can't do that, Pastor. That's why I'm warning you ahead of time to prepare yourself to work on your willingness, because the Bible says if you're willing and obedient, you'll eat from the good of the land.

If you don't see any good in the land, there's nothing for you to eat. You understand that what God produces in the land is produced by the DNA of the seed that He speaks over it.

When God's Word is spoken over the Earth, it releases the DNA of God's Word. Right? The word became flesh. How did Jesus end up looking the way he looked? The DNA of the Word made Jesus the DNA of the seed. And the earth is literally impacted by the quality of your soil. So you've got to see the dirt different.

You got to see the land different. You've got to ask God for a different perspective on these things. And you've got to be willing to accept, in spite of what you're seeing, the goodness that God is doing. It'll change

how you approach it. It'll make you live from a position of prophetic DNA rather than worldly response to the DNA of what the enemy and what wrong words that have been spoken is creating.

See, words have a have a DNA. And so if you're willing and obedient, not reluctantly willing, Oh, yeah, God. You know, Que cera, cera, whatever you do is fine. That's not what I'm talking about. I'm telling you, we're going to enter into a time where God's going to be pouring out on the Earth. Yes. And we're going to have to see.

That is good, because we need to see the good. So we have something to eat on the land. Now, that's all spiritual in nature. You've got to see the DNA of the word producing what God says it will do. So prepare yourself for the opportunities that God gives you to increase your willingness. Say not, Oh, yeah, I'll be obedient.

Listen, if you're obedient and a whiner, that's a work. If you're obedient and a complainer, you're you're working against what God wants to do in your life and you likely will not eat of the good of the land because the willingness or lack of willingness will not have prepared your soil for the DNA of God's Word to produce what His design is for it.

See, the reason the world looks the way it is is that the world, the people that God's given the world to, He's given it to the children of man. They've actually produced a weed world. When there's a weed world, we need a harvest of God's righteousness. When there's a weed world, we need a harvest of God's love. You got to see those things willingly coming on to the earth because he says, if you're willing and obedient, you'll eat of the good of the land that's coming.

Prepare yourself. Prepare. You're willing to say, Lord, talk to me about my willingness. If you're not willing, you'll sabotage your obedience. Amen. Amen. Father, we just thank you. Today that you are out working our lives to give us opportunities to increase, to stabilize, to make powerful our willingness Father, to walk. Or you've called us to walk to do what you've called us to do, so that we couple that with the obedience that, Father, we so desire to be obedient to You.

We want to be willingly obedient to You. We want not to be reluctantly obedient. We don't want to have the questions. Father, this is how how little do I have to do to get Your blessing, but rather that willingness that sells out and says, Lord, I want to eat the good of the land when You pour out on the land, Lord, I want the harvest of that goodness to be substance and sustenance to my life.

So I thank you for doing that in my life. In Jesus name, Amen. And Amen, Hallelujah.