5. God wants us to be Faithful in Church.

Hebrews 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

6. God wants us to Give Him all the Glory.

I Corinthians 10:31 Whether therefore ye eat or drink or whatsoever ye do do all to the glory of God.

CONCLUSION			



WALKING WISLEY

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EPHESIANS CHAPTER 5, VERSE 15-17

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INTRODUCTION

Proverbs 4:7 Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom: and with all thy getting get understanding.

I. A P_____ Walk

Ephesians 5:15 See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise,

MEANING: <u>Circumspectly</u> - *Diligently, carefully, accurately*

Ephesians 5:8-14 For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light: (For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and righteousness and truth;) Proving what is acceptable unto the Lord. And have no fellowship (cont..)

(cont..) with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them. For it is a shame even to speak of those things which are done of them in secret. But all things that are reproved are made manifest by the light: for whatsoever doth make manifest is light. Wherefore he saith, Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

Psalm 139:23-24 Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

I Peter 1:16-17 Because it is written, Be ye holy; for I am holy. And if ye call on the Father, who without respect of persons judgeth according to every man's work, pass the time of your sojourning here in fear:

II. A P_____Walk

Ephesians 5:16 Redeeming the time, because the days are evil.

MEANING: Redeeming - Buy back; rescue from loss

MEANING: Time (Gr. Kai-ros) Set time; limited time

Psalm 90:10-12 The days of our years are threescore years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow; for it is soon cut off, and we fly away. Who knoweth the power of thine anger? even according to thy fear, so is thy wrath. So teach us to number our days, that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

"Time is a resource that is nonrenewable and nontransferable. You cannot store it, slow it up, hold it up, divide it up, or give it up. When you kill time, remember it has no resurrection." - **A.W. Tozer**

Colossians 4:5 Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time.

III. A P_____ Walk

Ephesians 5:17 Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is.

James 4:13-15 Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain: Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.

"When you don't know what to do, do what you know to do."

- Pastor McCoy

PRINCIPLES ABOUT THE WILL OF GOD FOR EVERY PERSON

1. God wants us to be Saved.

II Peter 3:9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

${\bf 2.}~{\bf God~wants~us~to~be~Surrendered~and~Separated.}$

Romans 12:1-2 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God

3. God wants us to be Thankful.

I Thessalonians 5:18 In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.

4. God wants us to be Sanctified and Sexually Pure.

I Thessalonians 4:3-4 For this is the will of God, even your sanctification, that ye should abstain from fornication: That every one of you should know how to possess his vessel in sanctification and honour;