

# The Ultimate Goal of Obedience

Jesus gave them this answer: “I tell you the truth, the Son can do nothing by himself; he can do only what he sees his Father doing, because whatever the Father does the Son also does.” –John 5:19

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## Coping With Sudden Change

Have no fear of sudden disaster or of the ruin that overtakes the wicked, for the Lord will be your confidence. –Proverbs 3:25-26

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## Humbling Ourselves

Go and humble yourself; press your plea with your neighbor! –Proverbs 6:3

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## God's Call to Humility

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. –Philippians

## Perfect Parenting

Our fathers disciplined us for a little while as they thought best; but God disciplines us for our good, that we may share in his holiness. –Hebrews 12:10

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# Chosen by God

Who have been chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and sprinkling by his blood... -1 Peter 1:2

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# The Promise of Gratitude

In this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while you may have had to suffer grief in all kinds of trials. -1 Peter 1:6

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# True Success

Though I am free and belong to no man, I make myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible. -1 Corinthians 9:19

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# Disappointed With a Word From God

Naaman's servants went to him and said, "My father, if the prophet had told you to do some great thing, would you not

have done it? How much more, then, when he tells you, 'Wash and be cleansed'!" -2 Kings 5:13