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Deuteronomy 33

¹⁶ And for the precious things of the earth and fulness thereof, and for the **good will of him** that dwelt in the bush: let the blessing come upon the head of Joseph, and upon the top of the head of him that was separated from his brethren.

Romans 1

- ⁹ For God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of his Son, that without ceasing I make mention of you always in my prayers;
- ¹⁰ Making request, if by any means now at length I might have a **prosperous journey** by **the will of God** to come unto you.
- ¹¹ For I long to see you, that I may impart unto you some spiritual gift, to the end ye may be established;

Isaiah 48

¹⁵ I, even I, have spoken; yea, I have called him: I have brought him, and he shall make his way prosperous.

Romans 15 ...refreshed together...

- ³¹ That I may be delivered from them that do not believe in Judaea; and that my service which I have for Jerusalem may be accepted of the saints;
 - ³² That I may come unto you with joy by the will of God, and may with you be refreshed.
 - ³³ Now the God of peace be with you all. Amen.

1 Corinthians 1

- ¹ Paul called to be an apostle of Jesus Christ through the will of God, and Sosthenes our brother,
- ² Unto the church of God which is at Corinth, to them that are sanctified in Christ Jesus, called to be saints, with all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, both their's and our's:
 - ³ Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Corinthians 1

- ¹ Paul, an **apostle** of Jesus Christ **by the will of God**, and Timothy our brother, **unto the church** of God which is at Corinth, **with all the saints** which are in all Achaia:
 - ² Grace be to you and peace from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.
- ³ Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort;

Galatians 1

- ³ Grace be to you and peace from God the Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ,
- ⁴Who gave himself for our sins, that he might **deliver us** from this present evil world, according to **the will of God** and our Father:
 - ⁵ To whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

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Ephesians 1

- ¹ Paul, an **apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God**, **to the saints** which are at Ephesus, and **to the faithful** in Christ Jesus:
 - ² Grace be to you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ.
- ³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ:

Colossians 1

- ¹ Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by **the will of God**, and Timotheus our brother,
- ² To the saints and faithful brethren in Christ which are at Colosse: Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.
 - ³ We give thanks to God and the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, praying always for you,
 - ⁴ Since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus, and of the love which ye have to all the saints,
- ⁵ For the hope which is laid up for you in heaven, whereof ye heard before in the word of the truth of the gospel;
- ⁶ Which is come unto you, as it is in all the world; and bringeth forth fruit, as it doth also in you, since the day ye heard of it, and knew the grace of God in truth:
 - As ye also learned of Epaphras our dear fellowservant, who is for you a faithful minister of Christ;
 - ⁸ Who also declared unto us your love in the Spirit.

2 Timothy 1

- ¹Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by **the will of God**, **according to the promise of life** which is in Christ Jesus,
- ²To Timothy, my dearly beloved son: Grace, mercy, and peace, from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.
- ³I thank God, whom I serve from my forefathers with pure conscience, that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day;

1 Timothy 4

⁸ For bodily exercise profiteth little: but godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to come.

John 5

³⁰I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and my judgment is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me.

John 4

³⁴ Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do **the will of him** that sent me, and to finish his work.

John 6

³⁸ For I came down from heaven, not to do **mine own will**, but the **will of him** that sent me.

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John 6

³⁹ 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**.

⁴¹ The Jews then murmured at him, because he said, I am the bread which came down from heaven.

Matthew 18

¹³ And if so be that he find it, verily I say unto you, he rejoiceth more of that sheep, than of the ninety and nine which went not astray.

¹⁴ Even so it is not the **will of your Father** which is in heaven, that one of these little ones should perish.

John 1

¹² But as many as received him, to them gave he power to become the sons of God, even **to them that believe on his name**:

Which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man, but of God.

¹⁴ And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

Daniel 4 ...man to beast to Holy Man

³⁴ And at the end of the days I **Nebuchadnezzar** lifted up mine eyes unto heaven, and mine understanding returned unto me, and I blessed the most High, and I praised and honoured him that liveth for ever, whose dominion is an everlasting dominion, and his kingdom is from generation to generation:

³⁵And all the inhabitants of the earth are reputed as nothing: and **he doeth according to his will** in the army of heaven, and among the inhabitants of the earth: and none can stay his hand, or say unto him, What doest thou?

³⁶At the same time my reason returned unto me; and for the glory of my kingdom, mine honour and brightness returned unto me; and my counsellors and my lords sought unto me; and I was established in my kingdom, and excellent majesty was added unto me.

2 Peter 1

²⁰ Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation.

²¹ For the prophecy came **not** in **old** time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost.

Mark 3

³⁴ And he looked round about on them which sat about him, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren!

³⁵ For whosoever shall do **the will of God**, the same is my brother, and my sister, and mother.

Acts 13

³⁵ Wherefore he saith also in another psalm, Thou shalt not suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.

³⁶ For **David, after he had served his own generation** by **the will of God**, fell on sleep, and was laid unto his fathers, and **saw corruption**:

³⁷ But he, whom God raised again, saw no corruption.

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2 Peter 3

⁸ But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

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.

¹⁰ But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up.

Romans 8 ...we do good according to his purpose

²⁶ Likewise the **Spirit also helpeth our infirmities**: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the **Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered**.

²⁷ And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because **he maketh** intercession for the saints according to the will of God.

²⁸ And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.

The will of God by Saints

Matthew 7 it is something we do...

²¹ Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that **doeth the will of my Father** which is in heaven.

Romans 12

- ¹ 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**.
- ² 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 For I say, through the grace given unto me, to every man that is among you, **not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think**; but to **think soberly**, according as God hath dealt to every man the measure of faith.

2 Corinthians 8

- ⁴ Praying us with much intreaty that we would receive the gift, and take upon us the fellowship of the ministering to the saints.
- ⁵ And this they did, not as we hoped, but first **gave their own selves** to the Lord, and unto us by **the will of God**.
- ⁶ Insomuch that we desired Titus, that as he had begun, **so he would also finish in you** the same grace also.

Colossians 4 ...stand perfect and complete

- ¹¹ And Jesus, which is called Justus, who are of the circumcision. These only are my fellowworkers unto the kingdom of God, which have been a comfort unto me.
- ¹² Epaphras, who is one of you, a servant of Christ, saluteth you, always labouring fervently for you in prayers, that ye may **stand <u>perfect</u> and <u>complete</u>** in all **the will of God**.
- ¹³ For I bear him record, that he hath a great zeal for you, and them that are in Laodicea, and them in Hierapolis.

<u>Perfect</u> – NT:5046 – teleios (tel'-i-os); from NT:5056; complete (in various applications of labor, growth, mental and moral character, etc.); neuter (as noun, with NT:3588) completeness: KJV - of full age, man, perfect.

Complete – NT:4137 – pleroo (play-ro'-o); from NT:4134; to make replete, i.e. (literally) to cram (a net), level up (a hollow), or (figuratively) to furnish (or imbue, diffuse, influence), satisfy, execute (an office), finish (a period or task), verify (or coincide with a prediction), etc.:

KJV - accomplish, after, (be) complete, end, expire, fill (up), fulfil, (be, make) full (come), fully preach, perfect, supply.

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1 Thessalonians 4 ...do honor in purity

² For ye know what commandments we gave you by the Lord Jesus.

³ For this is **the will of God**, even your sanctification, that ye should **abstain from fornication**:

⁴ That every one of you should know how to **possess his vessel in sanctification and honour**;

1 Timothy 4 ...being an example...

¹² Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an **example of the believers**, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.

1 Peter 2 ...do well

¹⁴ Or unto governors, as unto them that are sent by him for the punishment of evildoers, and for the praise of them that **do well**.

¹⁵ For so is **the will of God**, that with **well doing** ye may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men:

¹⁶ As free, and not using your liberty for a cloke of maliciousness, but as the servants of God.

1 Peter 4 ..walk not in lust

¹ Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves likewise with the same mind: for he that hath suffered in the flesh hath ceased from sin;

² That he no longer should live the rest of his time in the flesh to the lusts of men, but to **the will of God**.

³ For the time past of our life may suffice us to have wrought the **will of the Gentiles**, when we walked in lasciviousness, lusts, excess of wine, revellings, banquetings, and abominable idolatries:

1 Peter 3 ...called to suffer

¹⁶ Having a good conscience; that, whereas they speak evil of you, as of evildoers, they may be ashamed that falsely accuse your good conversation in Christ.

¹⁷ For it is better, if **the will of God** be so, that ye suffer for well doing, than for evil doing.

¹⁸ For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit:

1 Peter 4 ...called to suffer

¹⁸ And if the righteous scarcely be saved, where shall the ungodly and the sinner appear?

¹⁹ Wherefore let them that suffer according to **the will of God** commit the keeping of their souls to him in well doing, as unto a faithful Creator.

Ephesians 6 ...obedient to your employer and governors...and serve

⁵ Servants, **be obedient to them that are your masters according to the flesh**, with fear and trembling, in singleness of your heart, as unto Christ;

⁶ Not with eyeservice, as menpleasers; but as the servants of Christ, **doing the will of God** from the heart:

⁷ With **good will doing service**, as to the Lord, and not to men:

Acts 21 ...give ourselves even unto death...

¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? **for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die** at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.

¹⁴ And when he would not be persuaded, we ceased, saying, The will of the Lord be done.

¹⁵ And after those days we took up our carriages, and went up to Jerusalem.

The will of God by Saints

1 John 2

¹⁶ For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

¹⁷ And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth **the will of God** abideth for ever.

18 Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that antichrist shall come, even now are there many antichrists; whereby we know that **it is the last time**.

1 Thessalonians 5 give thanks...don't pour water on the flame in you...

¹⁷ Pray without ceasing.

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

¹⁹ Quench not the Spirit.

The will of God for unbelievers...

Luke 12 ...have nothing they ask for...

⁴⁶ The lord of that servant will come in a day when he looketh not for him, and at an hour when he is not aware, and will cut him in sunder, and will appoint him his portion with the unbelievers.

⁴⁷ And that servant, which **knew his lord's will**, and **prepared not himself**, **neither did according to his will**, shall be **beaten with many stripes**.

⁴⁸ But he that knew not, and did commit things worthy of stripes, shall be **beaten with few stripes**. For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required: and to whom men have committed much, of him they will ask the more.

The will of God for unbelievers...

1 John 5 ...have anything they ask for...

¹³ These things have I written unto you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may believe on the name of the Son of God.

¹⁴ And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if **we ask any thing according to his will**, he heareth us:

¹⁵ And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him.

The will of God by Saints

Ephesians 5

Be ye therefore followers of God, as dear children;

² And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweetsmelling savour.

³ But fornication, and all uncleanness, or covetousness, let it not be once named among you, as becometh saints;

⁴ Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor jesting, which are not convenient: but **rather giving of thanks.**

⁵ For this ye know, that no whoremonger, nor unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, hath any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God.

⁶ Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience.

⁷Be not ye therefore partakers with them.

⁸ For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light:

⁹ (For the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and righteousness and truth;)

¹⁰ Proving what is acceptable unto the Lord.

¹¹ And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them.

¹² For it is a shame even to speak of those things which are done of them in secret.

¹³ But all things that are reproved are made manifest by the light: for whatsoever doth make manifest is light.

¹⁴Wherefore he saith, Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

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

¹⁶ Redeeming the time, because the days are evil.

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

¹⁸ And **be not drunk with wine**, wherein is excess; but **be filled with the Spirit**;

¹⁹ **Speaking to yourselves** in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;

²⁰ Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ;