

The Christian Walk with God

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Struggling with a litany of life disappointments right now? Does each day seem so overwhelming and you just don't know how to fix it? I have a solution for you that will give you the satisfying peace and joy you're looking for in this world. Getting to know your Savior is the BEST path you can take to change your life. It's time my friend, it's time to take the first step towards your Christian walk with God.

What Does It Mean to Walk with God

Wondering what does it mean to walk with God? In the Bible, we can find the word 'walk' literally means to take steps physically to a destination. Yet, we can also find the Hebrew meaning of walk or Christian Walk definition as figuratively *developing a relationship or fellowship with God*. If you think about it, there is conversation back and forth when you are walking with someone. You are getting to know that person, trying to understand them. So, the Christian Walk with Jesus works the same way — we are getting to know our Creator, the Savior of the World.

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Who Walked With God in the Bible

Let's look at examples in the Bible to answer this important question. Overall, we can find 4 people who are labeled with Walk with God Scripture. Each righteous person in the Bible has character traits of obedience, faith, not being conformed of the world, and walking worthy of their vocation. In addition, you'll find Christian Walk verses to back up why each faithful servant of the Lord walked with Jesus daily.

Enoch Walked with God

In the beginning of Genesis, there was a man named Enoch. Enoch walked with God for 300 years; that is a pretty amazing feat! Enoch is one of two men who did not die, as God took him. We're going to discuss his life in more detail below.

Genesis 5:22 (KJV) – And Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years, and begat sons and daughters.

Noah Walked with God

Noah was a just man living only 10 generations from Adam. He was faithful and feared the Lord, prompting him to obey His commandments and build an ark.

Genesis 5:9 – These are the generations of Noah: Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God.

Noah was also faithful, fearful of God, and separated his position from the world to become a righteous man.

Hebrews 11:7 By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.

Abraham Walked with God

Abraham who also by faith, obeyed the Lord and followed the Lord's path, not knowing where God was taking him,

Hebrews 11:8 By Faith Abraham, when he was called to go out into a place which he should after receive for an inheritance, obeyed; and he went out, not knowing whither he went.

Zacharias Walked with God

John the Baptist, who paved the way for our Savior's coming, had a father named Zacharias and Elizabeth. Both parents were noted in the gospel of Luke how righteous they were and walked in of God's commandments.

Luke 1:5-6 – There was in the days of Herod, the king of Judaea, a certain priest named Zacharias, of the course of Abia: and his wife was of the daughters of Aaron, and her name was Elisabeth. 6 And they were both righteous before God, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless.

How did Enoch Walk with God

Let's look at Enoch as the main example in the Bible to answer how did Enoch walk with God. The first book of the Bible Genesis notes the first man know God in an intimate way. Enoch started walking with God AFTER his son was born, named Methuselah, which means "when he is dead it will be sent" in Hebrew.

Obviously, Enoch knew that his child would live until the flood and dedicated his life to training his son to follow God daily. Interesting to note, the name Enoch does mean 'dedicated' in Hebrew. He dedicated his Christian Walk with God for 300 years!

When my first child was born, my faith and fear of the Lord soared and became stronger. The desire and dedication for my child to follow God was overwhelming and I knew only God could make this happen. Having children can make a huge difference in your life priorities.

How Do I Walk with God

Do you have a Christian Walk with God? If not, you're not alone. The importance of walking with God cannot be overstated. It's at the highest level of achievement for the Christian life. It's something that can't be accomplished easily, yet, with God, all things are possible (Phillipians 4:13). Let's discuss what is a walk with God and how can we take the next step towards the highest spiritual level that few have taken.

1. **Walk in Faith** – In Hebrews 11:5, faith is what Enoch to be translated or leave this earth without dying. Without faith, the Bible says it is impossible to please Him. How do we get faith? Romans 10:17 states we must hear the Word of God through intimacy using the Bible and the Holy Spirit.
2. **Walk in Fellowship** – As you read the Bible, listen to what God is telling you, whether it's through the Words or through the Holy Ghost. Talk with the Lord as your friend throughout the day instead of dwelling on things you can't control. Give your thoughts to God and as you hear or read His word, take time to listen to Him.
3. **Walk in Fruitfulness** – Hebrews 11:5 notes that Enoch's relationship with the Lord and his testimony pleased God. The Fruits of the Spirit will be revealed in our lives. In Micah 6:8, the Lord requires us to do justly, love mercy, and walk humbly before God.

The Benefits of Walking with God

Why should I walk with God? When we come willingly to God and believe who He is, a reward will be given to those who diligently seek him (Hebrews 11:6). In addition, it pleases the Lord and many blessings will be given as you follow Him. The troubles, trials, and tribulations you face will not be alone when walking with Jesus daily. He will be with you step by step, 24 hours a day as you seek God's wisdom, guidance, and direction.

How do I Walk with God

Do you have a Christian walk with God? Or, are you wondering how I can improve my walk with God? If so, we can use Enoch as an example and follow in his footsteps. Our goal as Christ-followers is the build an everlasting relationship with Jesus. The scripture tells us that Enoch feared the Lord. To fear the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. So, how do we build wisdom? By diligently seeking Him on a daily basis through his Word and the Spirit.

As Ephesians 4:1 commands, walk worthy of your vocation. Humble thyself to walk with God. All it takes my friend is believing in His Word...do you believe? There are no more excuses, my friend. You have the tools to begin the first step towards your spiritual journey of learning

to love the Lord. Make the commitment and say ‘I’ll walk with God” today. You have the tools to begin the first step towards your spiritual journey of learning to love the Lord. He is waiting for you.

Prayer for a Deeper Walk with God

Lord, I pray for wisdom and strength as I build for a deeper relationship with you. Remove all doubts, fears, and weaknesses that cause me to stray from our intimacy. I want to get to know you better, Lord, I want to learn to love you with all my heart, soul, and mind. Show me how to follow your path instead of my own. Draw me nearer, nearer blessed Lord.

Just a Closer Walk with Thee Lyrics

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I am weak but Thou art strong;
Jesus, keep me from all wrong;
I’ll be satisfied as long
As I walk, let me walk close to Thee.

Refrain:

Just a closer walk with Thee,
Grant it, Jesus, is my plea,
Daily walking close to Thee,
Let it be, dear Lord, let it be.

2 Thro’ this world of toil and snares,
If I falter, Lord, who cares?
Who with me my burden shares?
None but Thee, dear Lord, none but Thee.

[Refrain]

3 When my feeble life is o’er,
Time for me will be no more;
Guide me gently, safely o’er
To Thy kingdom shore, to Thy shore. [Refrain]