

SERMON NOTES

We Are A People - Obeying the Word Pt. 3 Ben Wickel // 12-3-23

Introduction

- Acts 1:8 Giving Campaign Graphic
- Core Values Love God Graphic
- Bible Clip YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ag2AzWgRKAk&t=225s
- Matthew 28:18-20 And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."
- **Verse 20** "Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age"

How to Obey the Bible Before You Shut Your Bible: 7 Ways to Respond to God's Truth

Within Minutes of Reading it

- **# 1 Believe** Is there a Truth I need to Believe?
- **# 2 Repent** Is there a lie I need to repent of?
 - John 1:12 But to all who did receive him, who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God

3 Give Thanks- Is there a Truth I can Thank God for?

When we keep practicing gratitude with God our brain remembers what our connection with Him was like, making it easier for us to find our way back to Him. – Jim Wilder

4 Worship: Is there a Truth about God I can Praise Him for?

5 Petition - Is there a Promise I need?

John 15:7 - If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will

be done for you

6 Intercession: Is there someone I can stand in the gap for?

#7 Do- Is there an action I can take?

Overview:

- Believe- Is there a Truth I need to Trust in?
- Repent- Is there a Lie I need to repent of?
- Give Thanks- Is there a Truth I can Give thanks for?
- Worship- Is there an Attribute of God I can adore?
- Petition Is there Promise I need?
- Intercede Is there someone I can stand in the gap for?
- Do- Is there an action I can take?

Psalm 103:1-5

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.