

UNLIMITED COMMITMENT
LUKE 9:57-62

Introduction:

- A. What comes to your mind when you hear the word commitment?
- B. Too often the church suffers from a lack of commitment.
- C. Too much of our religion has become _____,
_____, and _____.
- D. Our commitment should not end with _____.
 - 1. There is more to commitment than being _____ and
_____ the _____.
- E. While we may hesitate to make a call for commitment, _____
never did. Luke 9:23; 14:26, 33
- F. Wherever commitment is reserved, _____ is diluted.

I. What Is Commitment?

- A. Webster defines commitment: a _____ or _____
to do something.
- B. Commitment is
 - 1. _____ Are you dependable?
 - 2. _____ Luke 6:46; Matthew 12:30
 - 3. Sacrifice—An unlimited commitment will allow you to sacrifice your
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
 - d. _____
 - e. Romans 12:1; II Corinthians 8:5
 - 4. _____ Luke 14:25-33; I Corinthians 6:19-20
 - 5. More than mere _____ - _____.
 - a. Matthew 15:7-9
 - b. An unlimited commitment will prompt us into action. James 2:26
 - 6. _____
 - a. II Timothy 1:7
 - b. We need the kind of courage the apostles had. Acts 4:19-20
 - 7. _____ and _____
 - a. Hebrews 12:1
 - b. Revelation 2:10

II. God Has Made A Commitment To You

- A. He made the ultimate commitment. John 3:16
 - 1. How would you feel if He backed out of His commitment?
 - 2. Thankfully, His commitment is unchangeable.
- B. What kind of a commitment have you made to Him?
_____ or _____?

III. Whom Or What Are We To Be Committed To?

- A. _____ Ecclesiastes 12:13; Matthew 6:33
- B. _____ John 14:15; Philippians 2:9-11
- C. _____
 - 1. The church was purchased with the blood of Christ. Acts 20:28
 - 2. The church is the body of Christ. Ephesians 1:22-23
 - 3. How can you be committed to Christ, but not His body?
- D. _____ or _____
 - 1. Psalms 119:97 2. I Timothy 4:16 3. Jude 3
- E. _____ Galatians 6:9-10
- F. _____
 - 1. I Timothy 5:22 2. Titus 2:11-12 3. James 1:27 4. I Peter 1:15-16

Conclusion:

- A. Jesus _____ Commitment.
 - 1. Mathew 16:24 teaches us to _____;
_____;
and _____.
 - 2. During His ministry some _____.
 - a. John 1:11 b. John 6:66
 - 3. Some are doing the same thing today.
 - 4. They're not making good on their _____.
- B. WHAT KIND OF A COMMITMENT DO YOU HAVE?
LIMITED OR UNLIMITED?