

# **Being Led By God's Spirit**

## **Series: Basic Training**

“For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.” Romans 8:14

### **Things To Stop Doing...**

#### **1. I Can't Follow A Culture That Doesn't Follow God**

“Do not follow the crowd in doing wrong.” Exodus 23:2

“Do not copy the behavior or values of this world. Instead, let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will know what God wants you to do, and you will know how good and pleasing and perfect His will really is!” Romans 12:2

#### **2. I Can't Follow Friends Who Aren't Led By God**

“Do not let anyone lead you the wrong way! Christ is righteous, so to be like Christ, you must do what is right. And anyone who keeps on sinning is being led by the Devil.” 1 John 3:7

“Whoever walks with the wise becomes wise, but the companion of fools will suffer harm.” Proverbs 13:20

“You will be my spokesman. You must influence them; do not let them influence you!” Jeremiah 15:19b

#### **3. I Must Stop Being Led By My Circumstances**

Paul said, “Men, I see that our voyage from here on will be dangerous; there will be great damage to the cargo and to the ship, and loss of life as well... but a soft wind from the south began to blow, and the men thought that they could carry out their plan... But soon a very strong wind blew down from the island. It hit the ship, and since it was impossible to keep the

ship headed into the wind, we gave up trying and let it be carried along by the wind.” Acts 27:10, 13-15

#### **4. I Must Stop Being Led By My Feelings**

“You may feel you’re on the right road and still end up dead.” Proverbs 14:12

“We’ve all strayed away like sheep! We have left God’s paths to follow our own.” Isaiah 53:6

### **Things To Start Doing...**

#### **1. I Must Want To Be Led**

“My God, I want to do what you want. Your teachings are in my heart.” Psalm 40:8

“The mind governed by the flesh is death, but the mind governed by the Spirit is life and peace.” Romans 8:6

#### **2. I Must Be Willing To Do What God Says**

“Whoever is willing to do what God wants and chooses it will know if what I teach comes from God.” John 7:17

#### **3. I Must Look To God’s Word**

“Your Word is a lamp to guide me, and a light for my path.” Psalm 119:105

“Guide my steps by Your Word, so I will not be overcome by any evil.” Psalm 119:133