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THE CERTAINTY OF YOUR CALLING

Why does God want the totality of your life before He shows you your calling:

We have an answer in John 7:16-17, where Jesus said, "My teaching is not Mine, but

His who sent Me. If anyone is willing to do His will, he will know of the teaching,

whether it is of God or whether I speak from Myself."

You must be willing to do God's will before you know His will. Many of us say to

God, "Show me what You want me to do, and I will let You know whether I am into

that or not. Let me know the plan, and I will tell You whether I plan to do it."

No, no God's plan is not up for negotiation. God is only going to reveal your calling

to you when you are committed to doing it ahead of time. God will not negotiate His

will.

As Romans 12:1-2 says, you must give all of yourself to God and none of yourself to

the world system that wants independence from God. God says if we conform to this

world, He will not reveal His calling for our lives. We must say, as Moses said to God

at the burning bush, "Here I am" (Exodus 3:4). In other words, "what do You, want of

me, Lord? I am ready to obey." AMEN.

Dr. Tony Evans

"And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you

always, even unto the end of the world. Amen." Matthew 28:18 - 20

