

WHAT IS FREE WILL?

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Deuteronomy 30:19

Free will is **NOT** the ability to do what you want. It is the ability to choose the type of life you want. Free will gives you the opportunity to choose between living **VICTORIOUSLY** or **DEFEATED**. Free will gives you the option to live a life with or without God.

EXAMINING FREE WILL

The term "*Free will*" is derived from the idea of God's divine plan. A will is a **SCHEDULED PLAN** ready to be initiated when activated. After Adam sinned and lost authority in the Kingdom of God, the Lord created two life plans for humanity to choose from. These two life plans will decide your immediate and eternal destiny.

THE LIFE PLANS

(Deuteronomy 30:19)

Deuteronomy 30:19 says, *“Today I ask heaven and earth to be witnesses. I am offering you **LIFE** or **DEATH**, blessings or curses. Now, choose life! Then you and your children may live.”* Humanity has the option to choose between **LIFE** or **DEATH**. Whichever life plan you select will determine what will happen to you.

Free will provides you with the power to choose your destiny. However, the destiny you choose determines the quality of your life. In other words, you choose the package but God decides the contents.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO CHOOSE LIFE?

To choose life means to choose King Jesus to be your master and to live by His Kingdom laws. Every blessing comes from and through King Jesus. There is no life outside of Him. The life I’m referring to is not the breath

you inhale through your lungs. It is the eternal glory that refreshes your spirit, stimulates your mind, protects your heart, shields your body and gives you joy on the earth.

People who choose life will stay **CONNECTED** and **SUBMISSIVE** to King Jesus. When a person chooses life they will live a blessed life. A blessed life is a life of **GOOD FORTUNE**.

Receiving good fortune **DOES NOT** remove you from going through trouble, being persecuted, feeling discouraged or experiencing heartache. A life of good fortune **ALLOWS** you to **OVERCOME** every trying time you will face.

The people who live a life of good fortune (blessed) will **ALWAYS** land on their feet. They will **ALWAYS** win the race. They will **ALWAYS** rise to the top. People who live a blessed life will encounter many battles. However, they will always reign in victory.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO CHOOSE DEATH?

To choose death means to live a life **DISCONNECTED** from King Jesus and His Kingdom. The Hebrew meaning of the word death is **RUINED**. Choosing to serve under religion will bring you to ruin. Choosing to align yourself with the world will bring you to ruin.

Choosing to worship false idols will bring you to ruin.
Choosing to do your own thing will bring you to ruin.
Anytime an individual chooses to disconnect from King Jesus and His Kingdom at **ANY** point in their life they have chosen death.

Choosing death will invite misfortune. Misfortune will **ALWAYS** leave you frustrated, disappointed and regretful.
A person who lives a life disconnected from King Jesus will be defeated by life's circumstances.

HERE'S WHAT I MEAN:

- If you were born in poverty while **CHOOSING** to stay **DISCONNECTED** from King Jesus, poverty will defeat you.
- If you are drowning in debt while **CHOOSING** to stay **DISCONNECTED** from King Jesus, you will remain a financial slave.
- If you are battling with an illness while **CHOOSING** to stay **DISCONNECTED** from King Jesus, you will remain in bondage to sickness.

CHOOSE LIFE

You have the free will to choose which life plan you want. However, God told you which life plan to choose. He said to choose life. King Jesus wants you to be an overcomer. He wants you to be triumphant. The only way to benefit

from His wishes is to adhere to His command...choose life. Stay **CONNECTED** to King Jesus and His Kingdom.

Look around you. Many people have chosen death. Their life reflects despair, hopelessness, misery, shame, embarrassment and tragedy. Do not let this be you.

Choose life. Choose blessings. Choose hope. Choose a glorious eternity. Free will is **NOT** doing anything you want. It is the ability to choose between the two life plans God established...life or death.

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