

Understanding How to Be Led By the Spirit – Part 3

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Except you are led by the spirit, destiny is at risk (Proverbs 14:12; Proverbs 16:25). Except God guides you, destiny is at risk.

If God's spirit is not leading you, you cannot exhibit His glory, (Romans 8:14). And any destiny that cannot display the glory of God, that destiny is lacklustre.

There are many great destinies that never saw the light of day. It takes the hand that formed the destiny to lead the destiny into fulfilment. When you're led by the spirit of God, the backing of God is with you. You only enjoy God's backing when His spirit leads you, (Psalm 23:1).

Being in the spirit is what qualifies us to walk in the spirit, (Galatians 5:25). We need to walk in the spirit to be able to enjoy the leading of God. The spirit of God is the leading spirit. When the spirit of the Lord leads you, you never miss your way.

Today, by one encounter with the spirit of God, Moses is a celebrity in the kingdom of God, (Exodus 3:2). He was the only one who saw the similitude of God and lived to tell the story.

One encounter of Bishop David Oyedepo with God, for instance, has made him a global citizen. One encounter of Pastor Enoch Adeboye with God turned his life around.

Gideon was a man who was the least in his family, but one encounter with God transformed his life, (Judges 6:12). When God is the one driving your life, your life never enters a ditch. No opposition is strong enough to overcome you when you're led by the spirit of God.

Just one encounter with Jesus changed Apostle Paul's life. Paul said yes to Jesus on his way to Damascus and his destiny turned around. Paul suffered so much persecution after his encounter with Jesus and yet, because of God's leading, he survived every attack. When God leads you, He places value on your life.

What is the Instrument of Divine Guidance?

The word of God - The word of God gives light and without light your progress is curtailed (Psalm 119:105). It is the engine that propels any mechanism to operate well. The word of God is that engine in the heart of a man. When the word of God dwells in each one of us, we will begin to operate at the level God has ordained for us.

The security of your destiny lies with the word of God. Having an extraordinary content of the word makes for extraordinary heights in life (John 14:6). Without Christ at the centre of anyone's life, there's no success. Until you accept 'the way,' destiny cannot be fulfilled.