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**STEPPING
OUT IN FAITH**
FOUR PART SERIES

THE FINAL STEP- **GOD'S PROMISE**

Psalm 32:8-11 KJV

[8] I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye. [9] Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle, lest they come near unto thee. [10] Many sorrows shall be to the wicked: but he that trusteth in the Lord , mercy shall compass him about. [11] Be glad in the Lord , and rejoice, ye righteous: and shout for joy, all ye that are upright in heart.

Obedience to God: Doing what God says, how God says, and when God tell us.

What's involved with obedience: listening to God, trusting God, and obeying God.

The requirements:

1. Meditate upon the word of God.

Psalm 119:105 KJV

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

2. Be sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit.

John 16:13 KJV

Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.

Acts 16:7 KJV

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3. Wait for God's timing.

Isaiah 64:4 KJV

[4] For since the beginning of the world men have not heard, nor perceived by the ear, neither hath the eye seen, O God, beside thee, what he hath prepared for him that waiteth for him.

4. The courage to be obedient.

Joshua 1:9 KJV

Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.

5. Experience conflict.

Acts 5:29 KJV

Then Peter and the other apostles answered and said, We ought to obey God rather than men.

6. Walk where the way is still clear.

Proverbs 3:5 KJV

Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding.

7. Obey when the command appears unreasonable.

Joshua 6:2-3 KJV

[2] And the Lord said unto Joshua, See, I have given into thine hand Jericho, and the king thereof, and the mighty men of valour. [3] And ye shall compass the city, all ye men of war, and go round about the city once. Thus shalt thou do six days.

8. Be available for correction.

Acts 16:7 KJV

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9. Act and leave all the consequences to him.

