

The Gifts That God Wants From You

Deuteronomy 10:12-13

Introduction:

Our Life – is all we have to give to the Lord for all He has done for us. Our giving back starts with us holding God in awe and submitting to Him, while we conduct our life in accordance with His will, loving Him above all things, serving Him and His body faithfully with the full strength of our gifts, skills, talents, and treasures.

5 Basic gifts God expects from the life of His people:

- To fear the Lord your God v.12a
- To walk in His ways v.12b
- To love Him v.12c
- To serve Him v.12d
- And to obey His commands and decrees v.13

I. Holding God in Awe v.12a

- a. Fear – is not shaking or being terrified but Awe.
- b. Awe – is an overwhelming reverence
- c. We are to be in awe over the great things God has done for us 1 Sam 12:24

II. A Life According to His Will v.12b

- a. Our life must reflect who God is Phil 1:27-28
- b. Our transformed life begins at our confession of faith Rom 10:9
- c. Sin should not reign in our new creation Rom 6:12-14

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III. Set Our Affection on The Lord v.12c

- a. We are to love the Lord above all things
Matt 22:37-38
- b. We show we love the Lord by keeping His
commandments Jhn 14:21

IV. Our Service to God v.12d

- a. Seems to be one of our greatest challenges
- b. We must make room and time for God
- c. He is our audience and we are to serve Him
Rom 12:1
- d. Our service requires discipline 1 Cor 9:27

V. Obedience to His Commands v.13

- a. God requires our obedience
- b. We don't get to pick and chose what we will
obey Deut 12:32

The world still wants to see proof that God is real...

The natural world around us is not enough proof.

The real evidence is in your Transformed Life!

This is why a life lived for Christ is so valuable and
treasured by God...

Will you give God the gift He is wanting – Your Life