



## *Trust and Obey*

<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Day 1</i></p> <p>Obedience has been a part of our relationship with God from the beginning.</p> <p><b>Read Genesis 2:15-17</b></p> <p>What was the one rule man was called to obey? Why?</p> <p><b>Read: Genesis 3:1-7</b></p> <p>How did the serpent approach Eve in the garden? What was the effect of the serpent's questions?</p> <p>Eve began to question God's trustworthiness.</p> <p>Who did Eve ultimately trust and obey in this scenario?</p> <p>When have the questions of the world caused you to doubt the trustworthiness of God? What was the effect in your life?</p> <p>Adam and Eve experienced shame as a result of doubting God. Have you?</p> <p>Spend time with God in confession and repentance.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Day 4</i></p> <p><b>Read Mark 10:17-23</b></p> <p>What was this man seeking from Jesus? Why do you think he was asking Him the question?</p> <p>How did Jesus feel about this man?</p> <p>What specifically did He tell him to do outside the ten commandments?</p> <p>Why did the man not obey Jesus?</p> <p>So often we trust the things of the world — the things we can see, touch, control — rather than the love of Jesus.</p> <p>What worldly riches do you have in your life which keep you from letting go and fully trusting in Jesus's love? relationships? wealth? possessions? position? family? power?</p> <p><b>Read Mark 10:24-27</b></p> <p>Who makes it possible for us to trust Jesus's love to full obedience?</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Day 2</i></p> <p>We were created from the beginning to serve. We were not created to be independent beings.</p> <p><b>Read Romans 6:16-18</b></p> <p>What does this passage say about obedience?</p> <p>We only have two choices for obedience, what are they?</p> <p>What are the results of choosing one or the other?</p> <p>As much as our flesh longs to be in charge, it is all an illusion. No matter who we obey, we are subservient to either sin or righteousness.</p> <p>How do you feel about being a slave? Who will you choose to obey? Consider which one deserves your trust.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Day 5</i></p> <p>Do you agree with the following statement?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>For disciples of Christ, trusting belief takes shape when we obey. —Sister Talk: Resuscitate Your Faith</i></p> <p>Why, or why not?</p> <p><b>Read Psalm 25:8-10</b></p> <p>How many different ways does God offer us opportunities to obey?</p> <p>What path do we end up on when we trust and obey His instruction, leading, and teaching?</p> <p>How can this help us form a faith of trusting belief?</p> <p>Confess your need for instruction. Ask for His leading. Choose in advance to obey.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Day 3</i></p> <p><b>Read Isaiah 50:10</b></p> <p>We considered this verse in Trusting God Knows Best. Who trusts God and obeys the voice of His servant?</p> <p>What does it mean to walk in darkness?</p> <p>Trusting obedience begins with our acceptance of our blindness when it comes to knowledge and understanding. It begins by realizing we are humbly dependent.</p> <p>When has God allowed you to be humbled? Did it help you to trust His guidance more or less? Did you become more or less likely to obey?</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Want to learn more?</i></p> <p><b>Sister Talk: Going Deeper</b> is an extension of <b>Sister Talk: Resuscitate Your Faith</b>. You can find more on <b>Trust and Obey</b> by going to:</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SisterTalkFaith.com</b></p> <p>Scroll to the bottom and search <b>Week 4/Day 1 Obey</b> to review more information on trusting God's goodness.</p> <p>Sign up to receive blog posts by e-mail and each day's lesson will come straight to your inbox.</p> <p>Follow us on <b>Instagram</b> for encouragement along the journey at <b>sistertalkfaith</b>.</p>