



Cornerstone
CHURCH

Walk Like Jesus

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Whoever says he abides in Him ought to walk in the same way in which He walked.

1 John 2:6 ESV

Walk in the Light of Jesus

This is the message we have heard from him and declare to you: God is light; in him there is no darkness at all. If we claim to have fellowship with him and yet walk in the darkness, we lie and do not live out the truth. But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin. If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness.

1 John 1:5-9 NIV

Walking in the light of Jesus means:

- Living with integrity when no one is watching
- Letting the truth of Jesus shape your choices and decisions
- Bringing our true selves to God in humility

“Confessing our sin leads to the greatest spiritual joy and peace we can experience as human beings... We can—daily, hourly, and moment by moment—confess our sins knowing that God will forgive us and chase away the dark clouds that hover over our spirits.”

Jim Cymbala

Walk Like Jesus in Obedience

“I was not born to be free. I was born to adore and obey.”

C.S. Lewis

“Obedience is the key that opens every door”

“For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you.”

John 13:15 ESV

“I believe that most Christians see obedience to God as some test designed to see if we are really committed to Him. But what if it’s designed as God’s way of giving what is best for us.”

Craig Groeschel

Walking like Jesus means:

- Saying yes to God even when obedience is difficult
- Trusting God’s heart over our feelings
- Choosing surrender instead of control

... Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in His steps.

1 Peter 2:21 ESV

Walk Like Jesus Through Suffering

We look most like Jesus when we serve and when we suffer

“If Jesus didn't abandon you in His suffering, He won't abandon you in yours.”

Timothy Keller

Walk Like Jesus in Love

Follow God's example, therefore, as dearly loved children and walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

Ephesians 5:1-2 NIV

Walking like Jesus is:

- Loving people who are hard to love
- Forgiving even when it's undeserved
- Serving others without needing to be recognized

Walk Like Jesus in Humility and Self-Denial

As you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him.

Colossians 2:6 ESV

“For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

Mark 10:45 NIV

Walking like Jesus is:

- Dying to my own desire
- Choosing humility over pride
- Putting God's will above your own

1. Walk in the Light of Jesus
2. Walk with an Obedient Heart to Jesus
3. Walk through Suffering Like Jesus
4. Walk in the Love of Jesus
5. Walk in Humility Like Jesus

Walking like Jesus means living in such a way
that when people see you, they see Him instead.
