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## **“Revelation of Jesus” (11)**

**“Whoever says he abides in him ought to walk in the same way in which he walked.” (1 John 2:6)**

### **Jesus – Commitment par excellence**

#### **(1) Commitment to His Father**

**John 17:4** – “I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work that you gave me to do.”

**Luke 22:41-42** – (41) “And he withdrew from them about a stone’s throw, and knelt down and prayed, (42) saying, ‘Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from me. Nevertheless, not my will, but yours, be done.’”

**John 19:30** – “When Jesus had received the sour wine, he said, ‘It is finished,’ and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.”

#### **(2) Commitment to His Disciples**

**John 10:11** – “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.”

**John 15:13-15** – (13) “Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends. (14) You are my friends if you do what I command you. (15) No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you.”

**John 13:1** – “Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end.”

**John 17:19, 26** – (19) “And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be sanctified in truth. (26) I made known to them your name, and I will continue to make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.”

## **Me – Commitment par ?**

### **(1) Commitment to Jesus**

**John 15:4-9** – (4) “Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. (5) I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. (6) If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned. (7) If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. (8) By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples. (9) As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Abide in my love.”

### **(2) Commitment to Fellow Disciples**

**John 15:12-14** – (12) “This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. (13) Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends. (14) You are my friends if you do what I command you.”

## **Commitment Clues:**

### **(1) Prayer**

**1 Timothy 5:5** – “Now a true widow, a woman who is truly alone in this world, has placed her hope in God. She prays night and day, asking God for his help.” (NLT)

**1 Thessalonians 3:10** – “As we pray most earnestly night and day that we may see you face to face and supply what is lacking in your faith?”

### **(2) Keeping Your Word**

**Psalms 15:4** – “Those who...honor the faithful followers of the LORD, and keep their promises even when it hurts.” (NLT)

### **(3) Failing Forward**

**Proverbs 24:16** – For the righteous falls seven times and rises again, but the wicked stumble in times of calamity.”

(ESV used unless otherwise noted)

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