

What does obedience means?

Obedience means to hear God's voice, accept his authority, and do what he says.

[Exodus 15:26](#), [Genesis 22:1-19](#)

What is disobedience means?

Disobedience means to ignore God's voice, reject his authority and not do what he says

[Jerimiah 7:24](#), [Levitical 26:14-16](#); [2Chronicle 7:14-20](#).

Obedience is first and for most an important virtue in Christian call, everything else follows after that.

We are strictly told to "obey" but it is important first to know what obedience to God means. Why should we obey him? What would happen if we rejected or accept it?

Come let us search in the light of the scripture for more stable answers.

Why we should obey God?

Since God is the Creator and Lord of the universe, people should obey him.

[Deuteronomy 4:35-40](#)

What happen if we obey or disobey God?

To those who obey him, he promises blessing; to those who disobey him, cursing

[Deuteronomy 11:27-28](#); [Deuteronomy 27:10](#); [Joshua 5:6](#).

Because of Adam's disobedience it brought disaster upon all humanity – [Genesis 3:6-12](#); [Romans 5:12-19](#). [Romans 6:23](#)

Because of Christ's obedience (an obedience throughout his entire life even unto death) which brought about salvation [Philippians 2:8](#).

What is the New Testament Obedient?

If people say they love God but deliberately disobey his Word, they deceive themselves. Love for God leads to obedience, not disobedience [John 8:29](#), [Luke 22:42](#); [John 14:15](#);

[John 15:10,14-15](#)).

If people develop the habit of obeying God, they will become true servants of righteousness and therefore true servants of God.

If we obey God it bring the proof of,

true happiness – [Psalm 40:8](#); [John 13:17](#)

true knowledge in Christ – [John 7:17](#)