

## Abide in the word

Song

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These are the words I heard many years ago in my Sunday school. I want to share a little bit about scriptures this morning, this day, this moment with you. **John chapter 15, verse 7** It reads,” *If you abide in me, my words abide in you, ask what you will, it shall be done unto you. If you abide in me, my words abide in you. Ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you*”. Another translation put it this way, *if you abide in me, my words have their place in you. You will pray to the Father, and you will create or give birth to the things, make it come to pass on your behalf*. And sometimes we think that it means what he's saying, is anything we ask or we will just have it. No, what he's saying is that, in the context of God's will, God has abided in you, and you ask anything within that context of his word, which is a will to you, he will do it for you. He's not just saying, ask anything. What you're asking should be within the word of God. When you ask anything within the will and the word of God,

which is his will, his testament, his person, his bond, he will do it for you. So today, know God's word, let it abide in you. Ask within the context of the word of God, which is his will for you, all things will be done unto you. Another scripture put it this way, you can put a demand on God on his word. If you put a demand on God on his word, he has no option, than to do what his word said he would do, because his word has lifted above and magnified above his name.

Do that today, and you see what God will do in your life. Let his word abide in you. Ask anything within the context of his word within you, that's abiding in you, that is God's will, and God will do it for you.

God bless. Amen.

### **Summary: Abide in the Word**

The message reminds believers of the power and promise found in **John 15:7** *"If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you wish, and it shall be done for you."*

It explains that this verse is not a blanket promise to receive anything we desire, but rather an invitation to live so deeply in God's Word that our desires align with His will. When God's Word fills our hearts and shapes our prayers, what we ask for will naturally reflect His purpose and He will surely bring it to pass.

Abiding in the Word means allowing Scripture to take root in your heart, shape your thoughts, and guide your requests. When you stand on the Word, you can confidently make a “demand” on God’s promises not in arrogance, but in faith because God honours His Word above His name.

**Encouragement:**

When you abide in the Word, you don’t just read Scripture — you live it, speak it, and see its fruit manifest in your life.

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