

## **“Your Will be Done”**

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**Scripture:** “My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will.” (Matt 26 vs.39)

1. Does praying, “your will be done” indicate a lack of faith? What does praying “Your will be done” look like to you?
2. Share a time that you were specifically asking for God’s will to be done in a situation. How did things turn out? Is there a time when you in retrospect were very glad things did not turn out as “you willed?”
3. It was said in the sermon “Thy will be done” is really a prayer of submission, a prayer of surrender. How so? Is there anything in your life that you need to surrender?
4. In [John 4:34](#) Jesus said, "My food... is to do the will of Him that sent Me." What did He mean with that?
5. In Matthew 26 Jesus prayed in the garden “My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will.” What does this prayer tell us about Jesus?
6. Someone has said; “In a very real sense, praying “Thy will be done” is a “daily Gethsemane.” It is daily re-enactment of the Garden of Gethsemane, in our own lives. It is a daily putting to death our own desires, our own will, our own way, and recommitting ourselves to Jesus Christ as our LORD, which means that we are committed not to do our will, but His will. Praying “Thy will be done” is a “daily Gethsemane” in which we surrender our will to Jesus as our Lord every day.” What practically might that look like in your life?
7. Someone has said praying “Thy will be done” is a “daily Gethsemane” it is a daily reversal of the Garden of Eden.” Explain
8. There are many signposts that guide us in knowing God’s will for us. How has God guided you?