



## God Will Give You The Desires of Your Heart

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**Religion has taught us that God wants us to suffer for His Glory, but the Word of God tells us in Psalm 37:4: “Delight thyself also in the LORD; and he shall give thee the desires of thine heart.”**

David knew what it was to delight himself in the Lord, and he is the one that wrote these words under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit of God.

The Lord puts desires in our hearts that are pure and well-pleasing to Him, when we delight ourselves in Him and in His Word.

All of Psalm 119 is about delighting oneself in the Word of the Lord. **Every verse talks about His wonderful Word!**

In Mark 11:24, Jesus tells us: **Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.**

When we pray, we believe and receive that which the Word of God tells us what He wants us to have. **Our faith in this Word of promise also gives us the legal standing to receive when we pray by faith.**

I remember how the Lord showed me my wife before I had ever seen her in the natural world. So, when we met, God had already given me the desire to marry her, and when I asked her, the answer was yes. Thank God!

Notice that Jesus is not afraid that we will desire something awful and sinful. Why? Because a born again believer will have Godly desires, as he delights himself in the Lord.

Also, in order for the Lord to be able to bless us, we must know that He is good, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

***For he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him. (Hebrews 11:6)***

So we delight ourselves and worship Him, who inhabits the praises of Israel (Psalm 22:3). We believe that He puts His desires in our hearts, according to the Word.

**This gives us the confidence to ask Him in faith, believing that He will be glorified by us receive that which we are asking for. Amen!**

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