## What is Commitment Carole Mayhall

I. Introduction.

- A. We have an extraordinary call to an extraordinary commitment.
- B. God desires total commitment.

II. We need to be committed to knowing God.

- A. Our souls must find rest in God alone. (Philippians 3:10; Psalm 27:4)
- B. We know God through his Word.
- III. We need to be committed to knowing God's Word. (Proverbs 2)
  - A. Our will is involved in our relationship with God.
  - B. Pray that God would draw you to himself.
  - C. We need to ask that God would open up time for us.

IV. We need to be committed to being obedient to God's Word.

A. To obey we need to know the Word of God.

B. Part of obedience is reaching out to others. (Colossians 1:28-29)

C. God wants us to be radiant. Jesus is the radiance of God. Our radiance is to be reflected by his radiance through the Word of God.

D. We must choose to be intimate with God.

## **Application questions:**

1. What does it practically look like to know God?

2. What is your plan for mastering the Scriptures?

3. How can you make sure your knowledge of God's Word ends in obedience?