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# NO—Denying Yourself

**Luke 9:23-27**

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## **Luke 9:23-26**

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Denial means \_\_\_\_\_!

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“A growing Christian knows that the way to avoid a marginal life is to develop a life with margins.”

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“Sacred Schizophrenia forces believers to fight their ‘false self’ that grapples for personal fame, glory, possessions, power and comfort. The true self, however, exhibits self-denial and a Godward focus. The denying self loves real life that lasts forever, loves Jesus as all-satisfying, loves meaning more than money, loves the praise of holy heaven more than the praise of sinful earth.” —John Piper

## **The \_\_\_\_\_ That Demands Denial of Self**

### **Luke 9:18-20**

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### **John 3:18**

### **John 8:23-24**

### **1 John 4:1-3**

### **Acts 4:11-12**

### **Luke 9:22**

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“Jesus laid down stern requirements for discipleship. We must first ‘Say No’ to ourselves—not simply to pleasures or possessions, but to self—and then take up our cross and follow Christ daily. This means to be identified with Him in surrender, suffering and sacrifice.” —Warren Wiersbe

## **Matthew 13:45-46**

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## **Romans 10:9-10**

**The \_\_\_\_\_ That Drives  
Denial of Self**

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## **Galatians 2:20**

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The Principle: \_\_\_\_\_ comes through \_\_\_\_\_.

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Biblical Christianity = Christ's life for mine. My life for Christ.

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## **The \_\_\_\_\_ That Demonstrate Denial of Self**

### **Ephesians 5:22–6:4**

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### **Ephesians 6:5-9**

### **Colossians 3:22–4:1**

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