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comprehend the intended meaning of revelation; the ability to explain what you know; realize, awareness

Wisdom's Source

Then you will understand the fear of the LORD and you will find the knowledge of God. The LORD gives wisdom. From his mouth come knowledge and understanding. (Proverbs 2:5-6 GWT)

Heavenly Teacher (1 Corinthians 2)

Jesus' Holy Spirit invites us to understand Jesus' revelation, comprehend some of his divine mysteries, and perceive his will in such a way that we can explain his Truth to others. We see here that both knowledge and understanding flow into our minds and spirits directly from Jesus' Holy Spirit. One of the greatest misunderstandings about discipleship today is that I can understand the Word by listening to preaching and teaching, or attending a Bible training. This passage throws that assumption right out the window. To really understand God's will for me, I must love and seek him with all my heart, spend time listening to his voice, discerning his will, practicing his Truth, and sharing what I'm learning. Then, I will begin to understand.

Discipleship & Prayer

- What ways are hearing and understanding different?
- What have I come to know after doing it for awhile?
- Holy Spirit, keep me humble as I grow in knowledge.