

David Platt

Quotes

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Believe, Follow Me, Dream, Biblical, Way, Giving, Prayer, Hands, Thinking,
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We are settling for a Christianity that revolves around catering to ourselves when the central message of Christianity is actually about abandoning ourselves.

~David Platt

If you can trust God to save you for eternity, you can trust him to lead you for a lifetime.

~David Platt

This is how God works. He puts people in positions where they are desperate for his power, and then he shows his provision in ways that display his greatness

~David Platt

When you come to Jesus, you don't come to get health, wealth and prosperity. You come to Jesus to get Jesus

~David Platt

People will never know how glorious the cross is until they know how serious sin is.

~David Platt

Do you realize the weight of the one who has invited us to follow him? He is worthy of more than church attendance and casual association; he is worthy of total abandonment and supreme adoration.

~David Platt

Every saved person this side of heaven owes the gospel to every lost person this side of hell.

~David Platt

This is the curse of superficial religion: the constant attempt to do outward things apart from inward transformation.

~David Platt

People who claim to be Christians while their lives look no different from the rest of the world are clearly not Christians

~David Platt

The bible informs us, compels us to care for the poor, to love the outcast, to serve the needy.

~David Platt

If we want to know the Glory of God, if we want to experience the beauty of God, and if we want to be used by the hand of God, then we must LIVE in the WORD of God.

~David Platt

Nothing is impossible for the people of God who trust in the power of God to accomplish the will of God.

~David Platt

The primary purpose of prayer is not to get something, but to know Someone.

~David Platt

Disciple making is not a call for others to come to us to hear the gospel but a command for us to go to others to share the gospel.

~David Platt

We desperately need to explore how much of our understanding of the gospel is American and how much is biblical.

~David Platt

We go wherever God leads whenever God moves us...because we love His glory more than we love our lives.

~David Platt

But then I realize there is never going to be a day when I stand before

God and He looks at me and says, 'I wish you would have kept more for yourself.' I'm confident that God will take care of me.

~David Platt

The most glorious reason you exist is for the proclamation of the glory of God to the ends of the world. And it's more than having a nice life.

~David Platt

My prayer is that people will see that following Jesus costs you everything you are and everything you have. And my prayer is that people will see that Jesus is worth it.

~David Platt

The road that leads to heaven is risky, lonely, and costly in this world, and few are willing to pay the price. Following Jesus involves losing your life-and finding new life in him.

~David Platt

God involves us in his mission not because he needs us but because he loves us.

~David Platt

Faith is the realization that God's pleasure in you will never be based upon your performance for him.

~David Platt

I want to be apart of something that can only be explained by the hand of God!

~David Platt

We don't go to Scripture for permission to do what we think is best, but for direction to do what He says is best.

~David Platt

We do not have time to waste our lives coasting out casual, comfortable Christianity.

~David Platt

Don't underestimate what God can do with ordinary people.

~David Platt

My biggest fear, even now, is that I will hear Jesus' words and walk away, content to settle for less than radical obedience to Him.

~David Platt

There is indescribable joy, deep satisfaction and an eternal purpose in dying to ourselves and living for Christ.

~David Platt

To be a Christian is to be loved by God, pursued by God, and found by God.

~David Platt

I could not help but think that somewhere along the way we had missed what was radical about our faith and replaced it with what is comfortable.

~David Platt

We owe Christ to the world--to the least person and to the greatest person, to the richest person and to the poorest person, to the best person and to the worst person. We are in debt to the nations.

~David Platt

And ultimately, If you sin against an infinitely holy and eternal God, you are infinitely guilty and worthy of eternal punishment.

~David Platt

God has put you in this culture at this time for a reason.

~David Platt

We can rest confident in the fact that nothing will happen to us in this world apart from the gracious will of a sovereign God. Nothing.

~David Platt

We can accomplish more in one month of dependence on the Spirit than we can in 100 years of dependence on ourselves.

~David Platt

We are afraid that if we stop and really look at God in his Word, we might discover that he evokes greater awe and demands deeper worship than we are ready to give him.

~David Platt

To be a disciple of Jesus is to make disciples of Jesus.

~David Platt

Everything in all creation responds in obedience to the Creator... until we get to you and me. We have the audacity to look God in the face and say, "No."

~David Platt

Christianity does not begin with our pursuit of Christ, but with Christ's pursuit of us.

~David Platt

While the goal of the American dream is to make much of us, the goal of the gospel is to make much of God.

~David Platt

We desperately need each other in the daily fight to follow Christ in a world that's full of sin.

~David Platt

God stands ready to allocate his power to all who are radically dependent on Him and radically devoted to making much of Him.

~David Platt

God delights in revealing Himself to you when you are bold enough to bother Him. In fact, I think He would say that the only thing that bothers Him is when you don't come to Him.

~David Platt

A materialistic world will not be won to Christ by a materialistic church.

~David Platt

May even the concept of unreached peoples be totally intolerable to us.

~David Platt

Ask, could my gifts, education, career, or experience be used to spread the gospel where it's needed most?

~David Platt

We do not follow a health and wealth savior. We follow a homeless and wounded Savior.

~David Platt

What if the word of God was enough to inspire passionate worship among his people?

~David Platt

My life is a blank check before God... No strings attached.

~David Platt

As Christ begins to live in us, everything begins to change about us.

~David Platt

God actually delights in exalting our inability. He intentionally puts his people in situations where they come face to face with their need for him.

~David Platt

We assume that our race simply deserves heaven; that God owes heaven to us unless we do something really bad to warrant otherwise.

~David Platt

Live today for what is going to matter 10 billion years from today.

~David Platt

It is impossible to be a follower of Christ while denying, disregarding, discrediting, and disbelieving the words of Christ.

~David Platt

In every genre of biblical literature and every stage of biblical history, God is seen pouring out his grace on his people for the sake of his glory among all peoples.

~David Platt

God's revelation in the gospel not only reveals who He is, but it also reveals who we are.

~David Platt

Why make disciples? Because heaven and hell exist, and the end of the world is coming.

~David Platt

To be a Christian is to realize that in your sin, you were separated from God's presence, and you deserved nothing but God's wrath.

~David Platt

Jesus is not some puny religious teacher begging for an invitation from

anyone. He is the all-sovereign Lord who deserves submission from everyone.

~David Platt

I want to move from what we let go of to whom we hold on to. I want to explore not just the gravity of what we forsake in this world, but also the greatness of the one we follow in this world.

~David Platt

The Word of God and the Spirit of God are enough for the people of God to enjoy and spread the worship of God.

~David Platt

I always questioned if I was CALLED to adopt, but then I realized no child was ever CALLED to be an orphan.

~David Platt

The dangerous assumption we unknowingly accept in the American dream is that our greatest asset is our own ability.

~David Platt

The very first word out of Jesus; mouth in is ministry in the New Testament is clear: repent.

~David Platt

Good intentions, regular worship, Bible study, do not prevent blindness. Part of our sinful nature instinctively chooses to see what we want to see and to ignore what we want to ignore.

~David Platt

So the challenge for us is to live in such a way that we are radically dependent on and desperate for the power that only God can provide.

~David Platt

It's important to realize that we adopt not because we are rescuers. No. We adopt because we are rescued.

~David Platt

He (Jesus) came so that we might receive new life through supernatural regeneration.

~David Platt

Instead of trying to conquer sin by working hard to change our actions, we can conquer sin by trusting Christ to change our affections.

~David Platt

The sovereignty of God is the only foundation for worship in the midst of tragedy.

~David Platt

The body of Christ is a multicultural citizenry of an otherworldly kingdom.

~David Platt

Salvation now consists of a deep wrestling in our souls with the sinfulness of our hearts, the depth of our depravity, and the desperation of our need for his grace.

~David Platt

God blesses his people with extravagant grace so they might extend his extravagant glory to all peoples on the earth

~David Platt

[...]there is no injustice in God. The injustice lies in Christians who possess the gospel and refuse to give their lives to making it known among those who haven't heard.

~David Platt

Forgiveness is God's greatest gift because it meets our greatest need.

~David Platt

BECAUSE SELF IS NO LONGER OUR GOD, SAFETY IS NO LONGER OUR CONCERN.

~David Platt

Repentance is a rich biblical term that signifies an elemental transformation in someone's mind, heart, heart, and life.

~David Platt

Gospel possession requires gospel proclamation.

~David Platt

Salvation has absolutely nothing to do with human merit and absolutely everything to do with divine mercy.

~David Platt

If there were 1,000 ways to God we would want 1,001.

~David Platt

God really is in the business of blessing his people in unusual ways so his goodness and his greatness will be declared among all peoples.

~David Platt

Jesus came to live the life we could not live and to die the death we deserve to die.

~David Platt

Unreached peoples are unreached for a reason. They're hard, difficult, and dangerous to reach. All the easy ones are taken

~David Platt

The church is not an audience of spectators; we are a fellowship of

disciple-makers

~David Platt

Christianity does not start with an invitation we offer to Jesus, but with an invitation Jesus offers to us.

~David Platt

We have a dangerous tendency to misunderstand, minimize, and even manipulate the gospel in order to accommodate our assumptions and our desires.

~David Platt

Surely the gospel evokes unconditional surrender of all that we are and all that we have to all that He is.

~David Platt

That is relinquishing control in a culture that prioritizes control and doing what you need to do in order to advance yourself.

~David Platt

And this is why Jesus came: to endure the holy wrath of God due us.

~David Platt

There is a sense in which the danger of our lives increases in proportion to the depth of our relationship with Christ.

~David Platt

Believing in the Jesus of the Bible makes life risky on a lot of levels because it is absolute surrender of every decision we make, every dollar we spend, our lives belong to another.

~David Platt

The Bible clearly reminds us that left to ourselves, we would be lost forever.

~David Platt

God in His providence hasn't called us to watch history, but to shape history by praying in His Name.

~David Platt

Surely the greatest social injustice is that 2 billion people haven't heard of God's love in Christ.

~David Platt

The primary reward of the gospel - God himself

~David Platt

Our greatest need is not to try harder. Our greatest need is a new heart.

~David Platt

We live in a church culture that has a dangerous tendency to disconnect the grace of God from the glory of God.

~David Platt

We bask in sermons, conferences, and books that exalt a grace centering on us.

~David Platt

The gospel confronts us with the hopelessness of our sinful condition. But we don't like what we see of ourselves in the gospel, so we shrink back from it.

~David Platt

Ultimate satisfaction is found not in making much of ourselves but in making much of God

~David Platt

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