

Many of you will have a GPS in your car or perhaps google maps on your phone. I don't have a GPS in the car. I do have Google maps but I still like using something which may be old fashion to many young people. A thing called a map. Lol

The other night in Hanover, a buddy and I were looking for a certain address, we stopped a fellow on the street to ask directions, he sent us in one direction , the wrong direction, but after driving around and I am sure many of the women here would say like men, we got out the phone and checked google maps and found the place, 20 minutes later. Lol

From John 10:Jesus declares; "I am the Good Shepherd."

it is about who will follow.

We get so tide down with the little things of life. Yes, they seem important to us, but Jesus is looking at the bigger picture—he wants us to follow him with our life, to commit to him completely. In other words, to follow his GPS

So he uses the illustration of a shepherd. we see how important it is that we follow Him.

Jesus is clearly saying, that there are others out there who are trying to steal the sheep. They are climbing over the walls—but it is only Christ that enters through the gate.

Many of you have been on an aireplane and before you find your seat, you must go through the boarding Gate.

(Travis to bless the plain)

Jesus is talking about our lives here on earth. We need to follow Christ in everything. He is the way, the truth, and the life—not just to get our eternal boarding pass, but to live our life in a way that is successful and purposeful. Because, simply, he is the door. And we need to follow through that door to life.

Jesus says that His sheep know his voice and follow him. They know his voice. This is much more than knowing about some one. We all know about people, but can we tell who they are in the dark? If they call on the phone do we recognize who is speaking?

Jesus says that they know his voice.

I'm not the best with names—I'm trying, but sometimes I miss the name, and sometimes I talk to too many people at once. But the people who are closest to me—there is no doubt, I know their names. I don't have to think about it—it rolls off my tongue.

Most of us know to pray, we know to read the Bible, and we attend church—our problem is doing it. When we hear the word of God—we need to follow through with it.

There are so many things that we need to be doing—not big major jobs, we will always have those, but the day to day living that Jesus has called us to do.

sheep follow their shepherd around the desert. The shepherd is at the front, none of them trying to get ahead, they just follow.

We need to be like these sheep—they don't fight for the front—they just follow and they bring other sheep along side of them.

We need to follow. WE need to keep connected to Jesus's GPS and know his voice and follow him to bring others into the sheep pen.