# Take 5!
## 5 verses, 5 Questions, 5 minutes

## Power Walk!

Please pray for the Holy Spirit to guide you and open the eyes of your heart while you read Deuteronomy 5:29-33.

As we see from verse 29, our obedience to the Lord depends upon the condition of our hearts. The word *heart* in Hebrew transliterates *lebab* which means the heart as an organ, but it also means "the heart; also used (figuratively) very widely for the feelings, the will and even the intellect; likewise for the centre of anything" (*BLB).*

**According to verse 29, our obedience to the Lord's commands affects whom?**

Our obedience affects not only ourselves but the lives of our children as well.

**What is the responsibility that we have we been charged with according to verse 31?**

The spiritual education of our children rests upon our shoulders not upon your pastor, your church or the Christian School your children may attend. We are to teach our children how to walk with God. The meanings behind the word *teach* are very interesting! One meaning is "to be accustomed to." Our children are to be so familiar with Scripture that they are accustomed to hearing and heeding its wisdom. *Teach* also means to be "trained to war." God's Word is our two-edged sword with which we battle the Enemy! Other meanings of this word are " to goad, to train a bullock to a yoke, to become skillful or become an expert. I want to be an expert at learning God's Word don't you?

**In order to avoid making mistakes where does our focus need to be (verse 32)?**

**How are we to *walk* (verse 33)?**

The original word for *walk* used in this text is *yalak* which can mean, to walk, to move to go, but it also means the way we live our lives, how we choose to behave and our manner of life.

**When we choose to live our lives as God has commanded what will be the outcome (verse 33)?**

When we choose to walk according to God's Word, we will have real life, a life that is prolonged, beneficial, joyful and pleasing to our Father. Walk with Him!