



Practice Saying Yes

Luke 24:44-49, Acts 1:4-11

The New Testament

Matthew

Mark

LUKE

John

ACTS

Romans

I & II Corinthians

Galatians

Ephesians

Philippians

Colossians

I & II Thessalonians

I & II Timothy

Titus

Philemon

Hebrews

James

I & II Peter

I, II, & III John

Jude

Revelation

40 days:
the time between resurrection
and ascension

Jesus was actively discipling His disciples.



I. Jesus educated them.

A. Jesus reminded them of what He had already taught them.

B. Jesus opened their minds to understand the prophecies.

C. They asked questions that made sense to them.



II. Jesus commissioned them.

A. Matthew 28:18-20, Luke 24:48, and Acts 1:8

B. Commissioned but not yet released

C. Wait until you receive the power of God.

D. Their first order was to wait.



III. Jesus prepared them.

A. While you wait, wait together.

B. Have you received the power of God?

C. The purpose remains: BE witnesses
for Jesus.



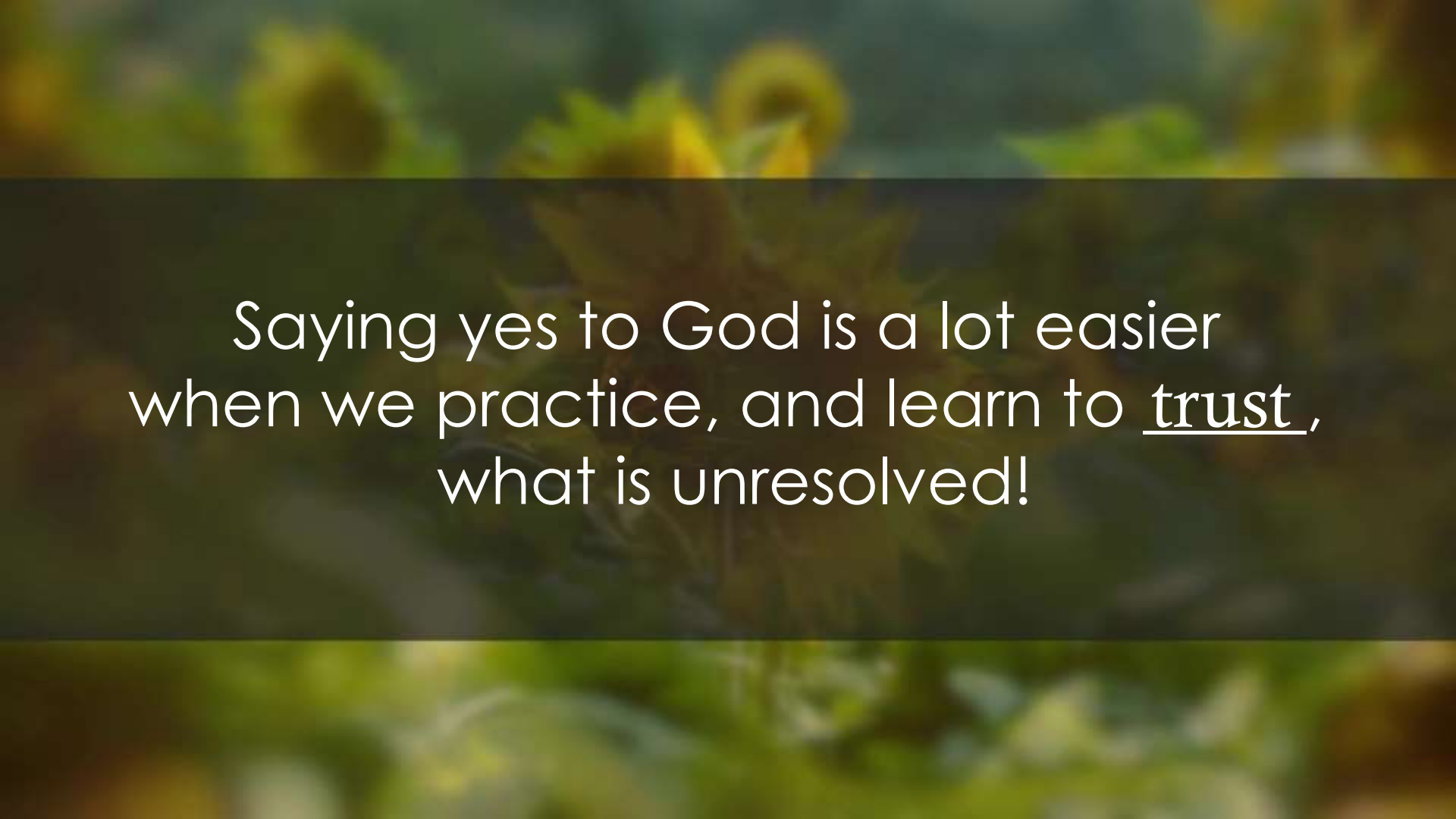
IV. Jesus left them.

A. Unresolved : that's what happened here.

B. These men dressed in white robes knew why.

We grieve Holy Spirit when we:

1. Quit expecting Him to move.
2. Focus on times/seasons and take our eyes off of Jesus.
3. Close ourselves off to the possibility that there is more.
4. Turn down OUR commission.



Saying yes to God is a lot easier
when we practice, and learn to trust,
what is unresolved!



I BELIEVE

HELP MY

UNBELIEF