The text is saying that we need to lean on the Lord and walk with the Lord.

That is something that we really have to work at.

It's not natural for us, it goes against our human nature.

It goes against our sin nature of selfishness and pride.

Our text reveals how we can lean on the Lord and walk with the Lord.

I. WE MUST WANT TO LEARN Colossians 1:9b NLT

We gain knowledge by learning, by studying what we are trying to learn.

That is always hard work!

No one can learn to lean on the Lord, or walk with the Lord,

unless they desire it.

You have got to want to learn Gods will and to walk with Him.

Hosea 6:3 NLT

We work hard to know all about whatever it is we want to be good at.

Being a disciple of Christ is no different.

In order to succeed as a disciple of Christ, we must truly have a desire to learn to lean on the Lord and walk with the Lord.

II. WE MUST DEPEND ON THE HOLY SPIRIT Colossians 1:9c NLT

It is through the Holy Spirit that God reveals himself to us.

It is the Holy Spirit who Guides us in this walk with God.

If you have accepted Jesus as Lord of your life;

You have got to learn to lean on Gods Spirit.

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If we are to learn to lean on the Lord and walk with the Lord,

we are going to have to depend on the Holy Spirit to teach us and lead us.

III. WE MUST STUDY THE SCRIPTURES 2 Timothy 2:15 Amplified Bible; 2 Timothy 2:15 NLT

The wisdom of the ages is found in God's word.

God's will is found in His revelation to us:

How we are to live,

What He expects from us,

What we can expect from Him.

God speaks to us in and through His Word.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 NLT

In order to lean on the Lord and walk with the Lord,

All we need to do is

DESIRE TO COMMUNICATE WITH HIM

DEPEND ON THE HOLY SPIRIT TO GUIDE US

LOOK INTO HIS WORD FOR GUIDANCE.

After seeking and learning God's will, we must commit to walking with Him!

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John 14:27 Amplified Bible Isaiah 26:3, 4 Amplified Bible Jeremiah 29:11 Amplified Bible