



Go For It!

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1 Samuel 30:1-8 King James Version

1 And it came to pass, when David and his men were come to Ziklag on the third day, that the Amalekites had invaded the south, and Ziklag, and smitten Ziklag, and burned it with fire; 2 And had taken the women captives, that were therein: they slew not any, either great or small, but carried them away, and went on their way. 3 So David and his men came to the city, and, behold, it was burned with fire; and their wives, and their sons, and their daughters, were taken captives. 4 Then David and the people that were with him lifted up their voice and wept, until they had no more power to weep. 5 And David's two wives were taken captives, Ahinoam the Jezreelitess, and Abigail the wife of Nabal the Carmelite. 6 And David was greatly distressed; for the people spake of stoning him, because the soul of all the people was grieved, every man for his sons and for his daughters: but David encouraged himself in the Lord his God. 7 And David said to Abiathar the priest, Ahimelech's son, I pray thee, bring me hither the ephod. And Abiathar brought thither the ephod to David. 8 And David enquired at the Lord, saying, Shall I pursue after this troop? shall I overtake them? And he answered him, Pursue: for thou shalt surely overtake them, and without fail recover all.

Pastor Daren Barron's 10 simple steps to making wise decisions

1. Be very clear about who your real guide is. Whoever has control of your heart has control over you
2. When you know who your real guide is pray for guidance
3. Ask for Advice and Pray for guidance
4. Get the facts, know the truth
5. Setting goals helps you avoid unwanted distractions
6. Count the cost
7. Plan for problems
8. Understand how your emotions work
9. Be still
10. GO FOR IT!

Understand God's Will is Prosperity

John 19:30 Amplified Bible

When Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, "It is finished!" And He bowed His head and [voluntarily] gave up His spirit.

Jeremiah 29:11 New International Version

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

3 John 1:2 New King James Version

Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers.

Joshua 1:8-9 New King James Version

8 This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success. 9 Have I not commanded you? Be strong and of good courage; do not be afraid, nor be dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

Understand who you are in Christ

Judges 6:12 New American Bible (Revised Edition)

and the messenger of the Lord appeared to him and said: The Lord is with you, you mighty warrior!

Ephesians 1:3-6 Amplified Bible

3 Blessed and worthy of praise be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms in Christ, 4 just as [in His love] He chose us in Christ [actually selected us for Himself as His own] before the foundation of the world, so that we would be holy [that is, consecrated, set apart for Him, purpose-driven] and blameless in His sight. In love 5 He predestined and lovingly planned for us to be adopted to Himself as [His own] children through Jesus Christ, in accordance with the kind intention and good pleasure of His will— 6 to the praise of His glorious grace and favor, which He so freely bestowed on us in the Beloved [His Son, Jesus Christ].

Ask, seek, and knock

Matthew 7:7 Amplified Bible

Ask *and* keep on asking and it will be given to you; seek *and* keep on seeking and you will find; knock *and* keep on knocking and the door will be opened to you.

- Ask Holy Spirit to lead and guide you
 - 1 john 5:14 AMP This is the [remarkable degree of] confidence which we [as believers are entitled to] have before Him: that if we ask anything according to His will, [that is, consistent with His plan and purpose] He hears us.

- Seek God's way of going for it
 - Matthew 6:33 ESV But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.
- Knock to enter and open to receive
 - Revelation 3:20 NKJ Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come into him and dine with him, and he with Me.

Going for it - use cases

Biblical

- Peter walking on the water
 - Matthew 14:22-33
- Friends Going through the roof
 - Mark 2:1-12 AMP

Personal

- Going to howard
- Receiving the baptism of the holy spirit

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Matthew 1:23 New King James Version

"Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which is translated, "God with us."