

Discovering God's Plan

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1. Sacrifice.

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship.

Romans 12:1 (NASB)

2. Good Work.

For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand so that we would walk in them.

Ephesians 2:10 (NASB)

3. Obedience.

"If you love Me, you will keep My commandments.

John 14:15 (NASB)

4. None Perish.

The Lord is not slow about His promise, as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance.

2 Peter 3:9 (NASB)

'For I know the plans that I have for you,' declares the LORD, 'plans for welfare and not for calamity to give you a future and a hope.

Jeremiah 29:11 (NASB)

Two Things to Believe

1. God's plans are always Good.
2. God's plans are always designed to bring us Good.

Some Simple Steps

- Ask – You want wisdom?

But if any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God, who gives to all generously and without reproach, and it will be given to him.

James 1:5 (NASB)

- **BE Faithful WHERE YOU ARE.**

"His master said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful slave. You were faithful with a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master.'

Matthew 25:21 (NASB)

- **Listen.**

All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness;¹⁷ so that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (NASB)

- **Wait.**

But as for me, I will watch expectantly for the LORD; I will wait for the God of my salvation. My God will hear me.

Micah 7:7 (NASB)

- **Obey.**

Samuel said, "Has the LORD as much delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as in obeying the voice of the LORD? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, And to heed than the fat of rams.

1 Samuel 15:22 (NASB)

- **There is a God.**
- **We're not Him.**

Notes
