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| **Jeremiah 10:23** - I know, O LORD, that a man’s life is not his own; **it is not for man to direct his steps**.  **Jeremiah 29:11** - 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.   **Isaiah 55:8** - "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, **neither are your ways my ways**," declares the LORD.”   **Psalms 25:12** - Who, then, is the man that **fears the LORD**?  He is the one whom the LORD **will teach which path to choose**.  **Isaiah 48:17** - This is what the LORD says-- your Redeemer, the Holy One of Israel: "I am the LORD your God, who teaches you what is **best for you**, who **directs you in the way you should go**.   **Psalms 32:8** - The LORD says, “I will guide you along the **best pathway for your life**.  I will advise you and watch over you. (NIV) I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go, I will counsel you and watch over you.   **Proverbs 3:5-6** - **Trust in the LORD** with all your heart, and **lean not** on your own understanding.  In all your ways submit to him, and **he will direct your paths**.  **James 4:13-15** - Come now, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go to this or that city, spend a year there, carry on business, and make money."  Why, you do not even know what will happen tomorrow.  What is your life?  You are a mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes.  Instead, you ought to say, "**If it is the Lord's will** we will live, and do this or that."  **Psalms 138:8** **-** **The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me**; your love O LORD, endures forever - …  **Psalms 40:5** - Many, O LORD my God, are the wonders you have done, **the things you planned for us**.  None can compare with you; were I to speak and tell of your deeds, they would be too many to declare.  **Psalms 139:17** - How precious are your thoughts concerning me, O God!  How vast in number they are.  **Romans 8:26-28** - Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness.  For we d**o not know what to pray for** as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.   And He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He intercedes for the saints **according to the will of God**.  And we know that God causes everything to work together for the good of those who are called **according to his purpose for them**.  **Ezekiel 36:27** - And I will put **my Spirit** in you and **cause you to follow** my decrees and be careful to keep my laws. **John 16:13** - But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, **he will guide you into all truth**.  He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.  **Philippians 2:13** – For it is God who works in you both to will and to act according to his good purpose. |

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| **James 1:5** - If any of you lacks wisdom, **he should ask God**, who gives liberally to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.  **Matt 7:7** - Ask and it will be given you; seek and you will find; **knock and the door will be opened to you**.  **Joshua 3:3-4** - giving orders to the people: “When you see the ark of the covenant of the LORD your God, and the priests, who are Levites, carrying it, you are to move out from your positions and follow it.  **Then you will know which way to go**, since you have never been this way before…  **Genesis 12:1** - The LORD had said to Abraham, leave your country, your people and your father’s household and go to the land **I will show you**.  **2 Timothy 1:9** - He saved us and **called us with a holy calling**, not according to our own accomplishments, but according to **his own purpose** and the grace that was given to us in the Messiah Jesus before time began.  **PLANS**  **Proverbs 19:21** - Many plans occupy the mind of a man, but t**he LORD’s purposes** will prevail.  Don’t occupy your mind with many plans.  The more you think about your plans, and try to figure things out,  that's just leaning on your own understanding.  What are you thinking?  Those aren't my thoughts declares the  LORD.  My thoughts are higher than yours...  Ask God for His plan, then follow His plan for you – He will lead you  step by step.  He promised He would.  When He does – take the first and next step by faith.  **Proverbs 16:3** - Commit to the LORD whatever you do, and your plans will succeed. The Word **commit** – here means “to roll down together with,” “**to wallow**” like a pig wallows in the mud.  This  committing of your plans to God – means to wallow in him – get completely covered, until HIS PLAN becomes  your plan.  This is the only plan for your life that will succeed.  **Proverbs 21:5** - The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance, but everyone who is **hasty** comes only to  poverty.  Don’t be hasty in making plans for the future.  Be diligent.  Make sure you **seek God completely**.  He is  your first and best counselor.  He created you and has the perfect plans for your life.  **Proverbs 20:18** - Plans are **established** by counsel, so make war with guidance. Get Godly counsel on Life Purpose and Direction plans (first from your spouse if you have one or know who it  will be, then your parents, then other Godly counsel, especially from obeyers – they give Godly counsel.  **Ecclesiastes 3:1** - There is an **appointed time** for everything.  And there is a time for every event under heaven.  Don't panic or feel pressure about not having your plan in place.  It's His plan that you want.  God's timing is  perfect.  Just seek Him now, fully trust Him, and obey quickly the next step He shows you.  **Ecclesiastes 8:6** - For every activity there is a right time and procedure… |

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