

## HOW TO MAKE WISE DECISIONS

Created to Dream: The 6 Phases God Uses to Grow Your Faith  
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"A person . . . unable to make up his mind and undecided in all he does, must not think he will receive anything from the Lord." James 1:7-8 (GNT)

### SIX STEPS

#### 1. STEP ONE: PRAY \_\_\_\_\_

"A man is foolish to trust himself. But those who use God's wisdom are safe." Proverbs 28:26 (TLB)

"The peace that Christ gives is to guide you in the decisions you make." Colossians 3:15 (GNT)

Ask: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 2. STEP TWO: GET \_\_\_\_\_

"Every prudent man acts out of knowledge." Proverbs 13:16

"It's stupid to decide before knowing the facts!" Proverbs 18:13 (TLB)

Ask: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 3. STEP THREE: ASK \_\_\_\_\_

"The more advice you get, the more likely you are to win." Proverbs 24:6 (GNT)

"Get good advice and you will succeed." Proverbs 20:28 (GNT)

Ask: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 4. STEP FOUR: CALCULATE \_\_\_\_\_

"It is a trap for a man to dedicate something rashly and only later to consider his vows." Proverbs 20:25

Luke 14:28-29

Ask: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 5. STEP FIVE: PREPARE \_\_\_\_\_

"A sensible man watches for problems ahead and prepares to meet them . . . The simpleton never looks and suffers the consequences." Proverbs 22:3 (TLB)

Ask: \_\_\_\_\_

#### 6. STEP SIX: FACE \_\_\_\_\_

"If you wait for perfect conditions, you'll never get anything done." Ecclesiastes 11:4 (TLB)

"If God is for us, who can be against us?" Romans 8:31

### FOUR BASIC LIFE DECISIONS

That I commit myself...

- to Christ and a church family
- to the habits necessary for spiritual growth
- to using my God-given gifts and abilities in serving God and others
- to sharing Christ with others

(Ephesians 2:19; Romans 12:4-5; 2 Peter 3:18; 1 Timothy 4:7; 1 Peter 4:10; 1 Corinthians 12:4-27; Matthew 28:19; Acts 1:8)

### Next Steps

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