

'Get It Going' Nehemiah 2 5/11/25

Sometimes we _____ in pursuing God.

Vision for your life begins with _____.

When you're a Christian, God uses the _____ to plant an idea in your mind.

It doesn't matter what you've done in your life, when you cry out to God, He will _____ you!

Ask the Lord in prayer, "God, _____?"

"How can you _____?"

1. Keep your _____

"Early the following spring, in the month of Nisa during the twentieth year of King Artaxerxes' reign, I was serving the king his wine. I had never before appeared sad in his presence. So the king asked me, "Why are you looking so sad? You don't look sick to me. You must be deeply troubled." Then I was terrified." Nehemiah 2:1-2

"Once your mind has been stretched by a dream, it will never go back to its original position."

"But I replied, "Long live the king! How can I not be sad? For the city where my ancestors are buried is in ruins, and the gates have been destroyed by fire." v. 3

2. Look for God to _____ what you've been thinking

"The king asked, "Well, how can I help you?" "With a prayer to the God of heaven, I replied, "If it please the king, and if you are pleased with me, your servant, send me to Judah to rebuild the city where my ancestors are buried." The king, with the queen sitting beside him, asked, "How long will you be gone? When will you return?" After I told him how long I would be gone, the king agreed to my request." v. 4-6

God confirms your ideas and vision by way of _____.

"I am poor and weak, yet the Lord is thinking about me right now." Psalm 40:17

"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. ²Therefore we will not fear, though the earth give way and the mountains fall into the heart of the sea... the Lord Almighty is with us. The God of Jacob is our fortress." Ps 46:11

God confirms your ideas and vision by giving you _____ of opportunity;

God has a way of making _____ for us.

3. Have a _____ in mind

"I also said to the king, "If it please the king, let me have letters addressed to the governors of the province west of the Euphrates River, instructing them to let me travel safely through their territories on my way to Judah. And please give me a letter addressed to Asaph, the manager of the king's forest, instructing him to give me timber. I will need it to make beams for the gates of the Temple fortress, for the city walls, and for a house for myself." And the king granted these requests, because the gracious hand of God was on me." Nehemiah 2:7-8

Patient waiting for the right moment doesn't mean _____.