YOU WERE MADE FOR THIS

Truly, truly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do, he will do also; and greater works than these he will do; because I go to the Father. Whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If you ask Me anything in My name, I will do it. If you love Me, you will keep My commandments. John 14:12-15 (NASB)

You've been called to live in freedom—not freedom to satisfy your sinful nature, but freedom to serve one another in love.
Galatians 5:13 (NLT)

Live as free people… use your freedom to serve God.
1 Peter 2:16 (GW)

MAIN IDEA: I CAN'T ACCOMPLISH GREATER WORKS FOR GOD WITHOUT TAKING RISKS.

MOSES LIFE

- **40 YEARS AS PRINCE OF EGYPT**
- **40 YEARS AS A SHEPHERD**
- **40 YEARS LEADING ISRAEL OUT OF EGYPT AND JUST BEFORE THE PROMISE LAND**

FEAR MAKES US... (ISRAEL AS AN EXAMPLE)

- **Sarcastic**

They turned against Moses and complained, 'Why did you bring us out here to die in the wilderness? Weren't there enough graves in Egypt for us?' Exodus 14:11a (NLT)

- **Shirk Responsibility**

Why did you do this to us? Why did you make us leave?
Exodus 14:11b

- **Stubborn**

We told you in Egypt, 'Let us alone!' Exodus 14:12a (NCV)

- **Short-Sighted**

We had rather be slaves in Egypt than die in this desert!
Exodus 14:12 (CEV)

Risk your life and get more than you ever dreamed of. Play it safe and end up holding the bag. Luke 19:26b (Mes)

WHERE WE GO FROM HERE…

1. GET THE FACTS (INFORMATION)

The wise man looks ahead. The fool attempts to fool himself and won't face the facts. Proverbs 14:8 (LB)

2. COUNT THE COST (EVALUATION)

But don't begin until you count the cost. For who would begin construction of a building without first getting estimates and then checking to see if there is enough money to pay the bills?
Luke 14:28 (NLT)

3. PLAN YOUR STEPS (PREPARATION)

Get good advice and you will succeed; don't go charging into battle without a plan. Proverbs 20:18 (GNT)

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4. ANNOUNCE YOUR PLAN (DECLARATION)
The scripture says, 'I spoke because I believed.' In the same spirit of faith we also speak because we believe.
2 Corinthians 4:13 (GNT)

5. LAUNCH OUT IN FAITH (INITIATION)
We are not saying that we can do this work ourselves. It is God who makes us able to do all that we do. 2 Corinthians 3:5 (NCV)

6. DO IT IN LOVE (MOTIVATION)
There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear.
1 John 4:18

JOHN 14:12
Greater Works
EXCEEDING ALL EXPECTATIONS