

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH

Settling for Less Than His best...

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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.



Quote



"Our greatest fear should not be of failure, but succeeding in things in life that don't really matter."

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Jeremiah 29:11-13

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. 12 Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. 13 You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

Signs of settling



1. Confusion- God's best should bring clarity not confusion.
2. Guilt- we know that whatever God calls us to will not be associated with guilt.
3. Big picture- whatever God directs us to will be about more than just us and our level of comfort.

Question

Is this God's blessing or is it
a distraction?

1 Corinthians 14:33 (KJV)

For God is not the author
of confusion, but of
peace, as in all churches
of the saints.

1 Corinthians 6:19

Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own

Psalm 139:1-5

You have searched me, Lord, and you know me. 2 You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. 3 You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. 4 Before a word is on my tongue you, Lord, know it completely. 5 You hem me in behind and before, and you lay your hand upon me.

Quote



“I thank God for protecting me from what I thought I wanted and blessing me with what I didn't know I needed!” - Anonymous

Definition

LSD- Led by Spirit
Discontentment

Quote



“We will never experience God's best until we become completely dissatisfied with less than His best.” -Anonymous

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God's best will:

- Give us purpose
- Feel right in our spirit
- Give Him glory