# **Choose Your Future**

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You can't CHANGE your Past		
but you can	your Future.	

# 4 Steps to Choosing Your Future.

1.	Choose	your	

#### **Ecclesiastes 10 (NLT)**

<sup>2</sup> A wise person chooses the right road; a fool takes the wrong one.

Your choices take you \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Good choices take you GOOD places,
and bad choices take you BAD places.

#### Proverbs 4 (NLT)

<sup>25</sup> Look straight ahead, and fix your eyes on what lies before you. <sup>26</sup> Mark out a straight path for your feet; stay on the safe path. <sup>27</sup> Don't get sidetracked; keep your feet from following evil.

Your \_\_\_\_\_\_ determines your \_\_\_\_\_.

Are you on the RIGHT PATH?		
Faith	Marriage	
Health	Family	
Time	Friends	
Money	Career	
Morality	Ministry	

Q:	W	hat do y	ou do if you're on the wrong path?
	>	You	around.
			n 25 (NLT)
			om the evil road you are traveling
		and from	n the evil things you are doing.
	>	You	God for help.
		Psalm 25	5 (NLT)
		<sup>4</sup> Show n	ne the right path O Lord;
		point out	t the road for me to follow.
Ch	00	se vou	ır
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Psal	m 3	2 (NLT)	
<sup>8</sup> Th	e Lo	ord says, "	Ί will guide you
alon	g th	ne best pa	thway for your life."
Q:	Wł	nat do yo	ou do when you don't know what to do?
Psal	m 1	.19 (NLT)	
133 (	Guio	le my step	os by your word,
so I	will	not be ov	vercome by evil.
Prov	verb	s 3 (NLT)	
5 <b>Tr</b> (	ust i	n the Lor	d with all your heart; do not depend on
you	r ow	n unders	tanding. 6 Seek his way in all your do,
and	he	will show	you which path to take.
Wis	sdo	m isn't	about WHAT you know -
			,
11.5	ub	ουι <u>ννπ</u>	<u>O</u> you know.
Ch	00	se you	ır
Eccl	esia	stes 4 (N	LT)
9 <b>T</b> w	o p	eople are	better off than one, for they can
help	ead	ch other s	succeed. 10 If one person falls,
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the other one can reach out and help.

#### Proverbs 27 (CEV)

<sup>17</sup> As iron sharpens iron, so a friend sharpens a friend.

#### Proverbs 13 (NKJV)

<sup>20</sup> He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will be destroyed.

The friends you	
determine the choices you	

# 4. Choose your \_\_\_\_\_.

#### Galatians 6 (NLT)

<sup>7</sup> Don't be misled - you cannot mock the justice of God.You will always harvest what you plant.

You can choose your CHOICES - but	
you can't choose your	

#### **Deuteronomy 30 (NLT)**

<sup>19</sup> Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses... *Oh that you would choose life*, so that you and your descendants might live!

The CHOICES you n	nake - will
determine the	you tell

#### Phillipians 3 (NLT)

<sup>12</sup> I don't mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. <sup>13</sup> No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: *Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead*, <sup>14</sup> I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us.

Q: Where do you need to PRESS ON?

# Questions.

**Q:** Where do you usually turn for advice when you don't know what to do next?

**Q:** Where do you need wisdom right now?

Faith	Marriage
Health	Family
Time	Friends
Money	Career
Morality	Ministry

**Q:** What do you need to **STOP** doing in order to reach your goals?

**Q:** What do you need to **START** doing in order to reach your goals?

**Q:** What do you need to **KEEP** doing in order to reach your goals?

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**Prayer:** God, will you give me the <u>wisdom</u> to know what to do next and the <u>courage</u> to do it. Amen!

## 4 Questions to ask before you Choose.

## 1. Is it LEGAL?

- Does it break the law?
- Does it break my contract?
- Does it break my promise?

### 2. Is it <u>HELPFUL</u>?

- Will this help me reach my goal?
- Will this help my relationships?
- Will this help me save time and money?

## 3. Is it HIDDEN?

- Is it OK if my boss knows?
- Is it OK if my wife knows?
- Is it OK if my friends know?

### 4. Is it <u>BEST</u>?

"Based on my past experiences, my current circumstances, and my future hopes and dreams - what is the **BEST CHOICE** for me right now?" - Andy Stanley (from his book - ASK IT)

	What's your GOAL?	What's your NEXT STEP?
Faith		
Health		
Time		
Money		
Morality		
Marriage		
Family		
Friends		
Career		
Ministry		