

When we decide to step into new territory we will have to stretch our imagination – step out of our comfort zone – take the initiative and take risks. When we step out and take risks what can we expect from God?

Stepping Into New Territory Means Taking Risks What Can We Expect From God?

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

“No eye has seen, no ear has heard and no mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love Him.” 1 Corinthians 2:9 (NLT)

“For I know the plans I have for you,” says the LORD. “They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.” Jeremiah 29:11 (NLT)

What Can We Expect From God When We Take A Risk And Step Out?

1. Where God Guides _____

*“My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with His glorious riches in Christ Jesus.”
Philippians 4:19 (NASB)*

“If you’ll hold on to Me for dear life, I’ll get you out of any trouble. I’ll give you the best of care if you’ll get to know and trust Me.” Psalm 91:14 (Message)

2. When God Delays _____

“These things I plan won’t happen right away. Slowly, steadily, surely the time approaches when the vision will be fulfilled. If it seems slow, do not despair, for these things will surely come to pass. Just be patient! They will not be overdue a single day!” Habakkuk 2:3 (LB)

*“You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand.”
John 13:7 (NIV)*

*“(This happened)... so we might learn to trust, not in ourselves, but in God.”
2 Corinthians 1:9 (Ph)*

“So always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.” 1 Corinthians 15:58 (NIV)

3. What God Is Given

*"God gives seed to the farmer... He will also give you seed and multiply it.
In your lives He will increase the things you do that have His approval!"
2 Corinthians 9:10 (GW)*

*"Remember that the person who plants few seeds will have a small crop; the one who plants many seeds will have a large crop... For God loves the person who gives cheerfully."
2 Corinthians 9:6-7 (GN & NLT)*

"You won't regret it. No one who sacrifices home, spouse, brothers, sisters, parents, children – whatever – will lose out. It will all come back multiplied many times over in your lifetime. And then the bonus of eternal life!" Luke 18:29-30 (Message)

4. What God Starts

"I am sure that God, who began this good work in you, will carry it on until it is finished on the Day of Christ Jesus." Philippians 1:6 (GN)

Hope Church is built on The Great Commandment & The Great Commission

"Teacher, what is the most important commandment in the Law?" Jesus answered: Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, and mind. This is the first and most important commandment. The second most important commandment is like this one. And it is, "Love others as much as you love yourself." Matthew 22:36-39 (CEV)

"Go, then, to all peoples everywhere and make them my disciples: baptize them in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, and teach them to obey everything I have commanded you. And I will be with you always, to the end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20 (GN)

This Week's Memory Verse ...

***"Delight yourself in the LORD and he will give you the desires of your heart."
Psalm 37:4***