

# *Welcome to Journey 15*

Taking an Intentional Journey to Breathe

*SIJ - 15 Years of Celebrating Our Journey Together*



# Taking an Intentional Journey to Breathe INTENTIONAL OBSERVATIONS OF GOD'S



# God Knows Your Dreams

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With our plans, goals and dreams we must have faith and trust in our **All-Knowing God**.

- Faith in the Dream Giver
- Faith that our Dreams are a part of God's larger plan.
- Faith in the reliance and dependence on the Dream Giver to bring it to pass.



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Faith trauma is a result of having a disturbing or disappointing experience in the past that affects your ability to believe big in the future. Our faith traumas could cause us to not believe in the future. We move to safe faith.

Dr. Dharius Daniels



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**Dreaming about our life is a sign we are still in it.**

The only reason we have stopped dreaming or living is possibly because of –

- Failure (*multiple attempts*)
- Fear (*embarrassment*)
- Success (*lack of vision because you have some success*)



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We all need dreams to engage in our life.

We all need God to guide those dreams instead of us.

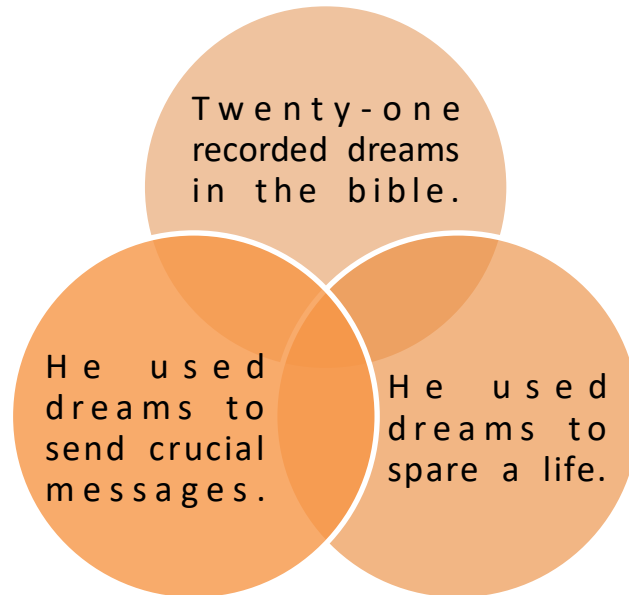
We all need to trust that He knows better about them than we do.



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God places high value on dreams.



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**God wants us to trust Him throughout our dreaming.**

Our solo instinct rears its head and we run away, but His sovereignty is thorough.





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Dream: a cherished aspiration, ambition, or ideal.



God dream: a calling involving purpose that prompted outside of personal ambition.



Prophetic dream: term usually used to reference dreams of foresight from God about future events or dreams that contain supernatural messages.



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- We must anchor our dreams in Christ.
- We must view trusting His omniscience about our dream as critical.
- We can't love our dream so much that it becomes a god.
- Remember, dreams in scripture were kingdom focused.



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### You have a Big Dream Too!

In the book, the Dream Giver by Bruce Wilkinson he states:  
God has put a driving passion in you to do something special.

*Why wouldn't He?*

You are created in His image the only person exactly like you in the universe. No one else can do **Your Dream!**



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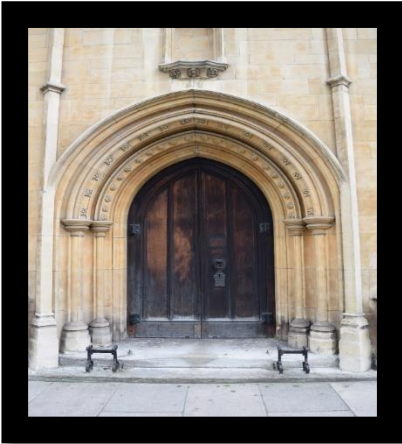
**God is not a *doorman* to our dreams.**

- Does open doors represent God's approval?
- Does closed doors represent God's restriction?

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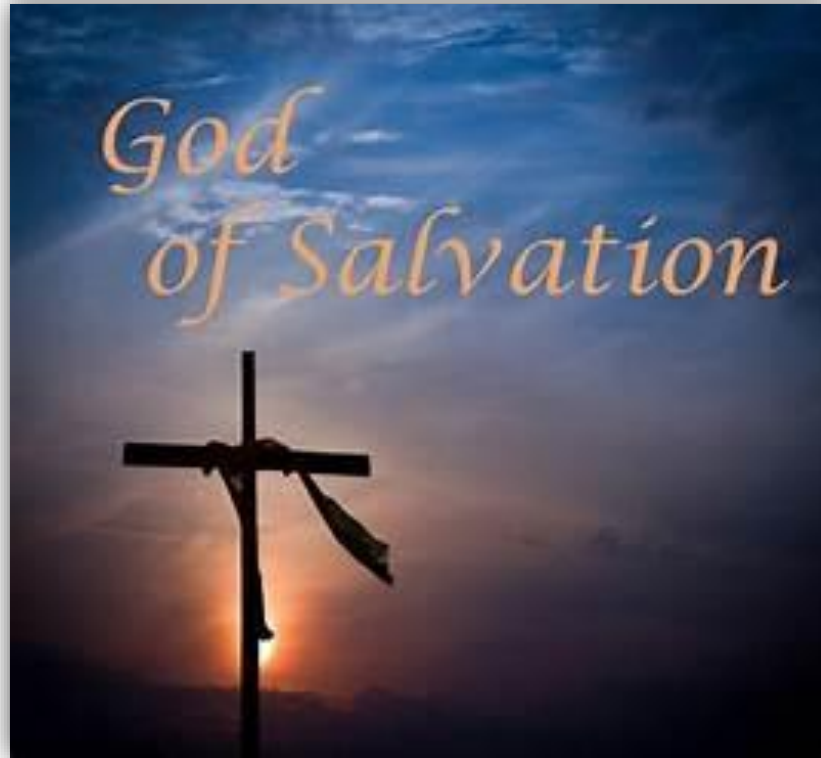
**Christ calls Himself a Door in John 10:9.**



“I am the door. If anyone enters by me, he will be saved and will go in and out and find pasture.”

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1. Don't give up your dream simply because you're weary.
2. Don't let fear keep you from taking the first step.
3. Don't let assumption or bitterness creep in if God isn't working on your timetable.
4. Don't ask other people's permission to fulfill the dreams God has for you.



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**God isn't the door holder; He is the Door!**

