"Let Go and Let God"

Conclusion to the series: "Trending Truths: That's Not in the Bible"

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Let go of your agenda, take steps of faith, and let God handle the results. (Genesis 12:1-4, 22:1-14)

1. Let go of your agenda.

"But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." (Matthew 6:33)

2. Take steps of faith in obedience.

"Was not our father Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? ²²You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did. ²³And the scripture was fulfilled that says, 'Abraham believed God, and it was credited to him as righteousness,' and he was called God's friend." (James 2:21-23)

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—⁹not by works, so that no one can boast. ¹⁰For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do." (Ephesians 2:8-10)

3. Let God handle the results.

"Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward..." (Colossians 3:23-24)

"Cast your cares on the Lord and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous be shaken." (Psalm 55:22)

We can truly "let go and let God" when our trust is in Jesus and our eternal home.

"All these people were still living by faith when they died. They did not receive the things promised; they only saw them and welcomed them from a distance, admitting that they were foreigners and strangers on earth... they were longing for a better country—a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God, for he has prepared a city for them." (Hebrews 11:13, 16)