

## Jump! Will we trust God when he doesn't tell us where we are going?

Genesis 12:1-4

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→ JUMP is about trust. Will you trust God when you don't know where the plan takes you? Will you trust God to stay pure even though it might cost you? Will you trust God even when the fears of the past are rising up? Will you trust God even if the odds are not in your favor?

When God says JUMP, what are going to do?

→ Will you JUMP when you don't know where you're going?

→ As a kid, I got in the car and we began driving. I had no idea where we were going and I didn't care. I had my books in the back seat and just read. Mom told me to look out the window and watch to see something special.

Back then, I didn't have plans, cares, or responsibilities.

→ Travelling as an adult is a different situation!

→ When God calls us to go

He sees is like we are kids – just go.

We see it like adults – I need to know where.

→ When we commit to follow, He usually doesn't tell us where. Why?

→ We don't like the location. Pre-conceptions.

Church in Norman.

→ We don't like the people there. Prejudices.

Please don't send me to...

→ We don't really want to go anyway. Plans.

I will go when this is done...or if this can happen first.

But that's not how God works. He doesn't negotiate.

→ 12:1 Go out from

Land - wealth

Relatives - comfort

Father's house – family

To a place I will show you – wait...where is this?

“Have you ever wanted to interrupt God?” God keeps going,

→ 12.2 Great Nation – Israel as a nation was required to produce God’s plan.

Great Name – Abraham was the choice of God to implement this plan.

12.3 Great Namesake – Jesus would be the offspring that would bless

12.4 Abram JUMPED!

→ God promises:

1. I will be with you. God will be with you as you go.
2. I will bring you joy. God will bring joy as you go.
3. You can be a world changer!

→ Will you JUMP today?

1. God is calling you to JUMP spiritually.
  - a. Next Steps
2. God is calling you to JUMP vocationally.
3. God is calling you to JUMP financially.
4. God is calling you to JUMP physically.
5. God is calling you to JUMP emotionally.
6. God is calling you to JUMP.