

COOL CHANGE Part 4: "When All Else Fails"

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THE BEST WAYS TO FAIL-PROOF THE CHANGES I NEED TO MAKE IS TO...

1. ...MAKE MY _____

"Is there anyone here who, planning to build a new house, doesn't first sit down and <u>figure the</u> <u>cost so you'll know if you can complete it</u>? If you only get the foundation laid and then run out of money, you're going to look pretty foolish. Everyone passing by will poke fun at you: <u>'He started something he couldn't finish</u>."" Luke 14:28-30 (MSG)

"A <u>well-thought-out plan</u> will work to <u>your</u> <u>advantage</u>, but hasty actions will cost you dearly."

Proverbs 21:5 (TVB)

2. ...KEEP MY ____

"So do not consume yourselves with questions: What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear? Outsiders make themselves frantic over such questions; they don't realize that your heavenly Father knows exactly what you need. Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and then all these things will be given to you too. So <u>do not worry about</u> <u>tomorrow</u>. <u>Let tomorrow worry about itself</u>. Living faithfully is a large enough task for today."

Matthew 6:31-34 (TVB)

"<u>First</u> get your fields ready, <u>next</u> plant your crops, <u>and then</u> build your house."

Proverbs 24:27 (ERV)

3. ...HAVE MY ____

"Here's what I'm saying: <u>Ask and you'll get;</u> <u>Seek and you'll find; Knock and the door will</u> <u>open</u>. <u>Don't bargain with God</u>. Be direct. <u>Ask</u> <u>for what you need</u>. This is not a cat-andmouse, hide-and-seek game we're in. If your little boy asks for a serving of fish, do you scare him with a live snake on his plate? If your little girl asks for an egg, do you trick her with a spider? As bad as you are, you wouldn't think of such a thing—you're at least decent to your own children. And don't you think the Father who conceived you in love will give the Holy Spirit when you ask him?"

Luke 11:9-13 (MSG)

"If you don't have all the wisdom needed for this journey, then <u>all you have to do is ask God</u> for it; and God will grant all that you need. He gives lavishly and never scolds you for asking." James 1:5 (TVB)