

MESSAGE NOTES:



Life Hacks, Part 2
Following God's GPS

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***Proverbs 3:5-6** Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.*

Trust God's _____.
Proverbs 29:25, 28:26

2. Follow God's _____.

3. Watch God _____.

Today's Music

Go Matt Crocker
Desert Song Brooke Ligertwood
Good, Good Father Anthony Brown, Pat Barrett
Lord I Need You Daniel Carson, Kristian Stanfill, Christy Nockels,
Matt Maher, Jesse Reeves
Let the Praises Ring Lincoln Brewster

Seabreeze CCL#105966
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My Next Step this week is to...

memorize Proverbs 3:5-6.
read one chapter of Proverbs daily.
ask God for direction daily.

Growth Group Homework – September 25, 2016

Life Hacks: Follow God's GPS

Along with the decision to take God seriously, we need to follow God's GPS. God offers to guide us through life and show us the straightest path from where we are to where we need to be. This will require us to trust God and follow the directions he has given in the Bible. When we do this, we will be able to look back on life and see that God lead us on the straightest path.

Warm-Up

1. When was the last time you used a Thomas Guide? How has GPS impacted the way you travel?

2. Do you think you have a good sense of navigation? Would your friends agree?

Talk it Over

3. What part of the message stood out to you and why?

4. Read Jeremiah 17:5-8 and Psalm 37:3-9. What are some of the benefits and challenges to trusting God that are listed in these passages?

How have you experienced these benefits or challenges in your own life? Can you think of a recent example?

5. Bevan explained how our primary reference in decisions is either what other people approve of or our odds of success based on the available data. Which of these do you lean toward and what does that look like for you?

6. Read 2 Corinthians 5:7 and Proverbs 16:9. One of the challenges to following God is when His commands lead us in a different direction than we want to go. What has been your experience with this?

7. To trust God and follow Him, we have to spend time in the Bible receiving personal direction for our lives. What does your time with God in the Bible look like? What is the biggest challenge you face in this area?

Bevan suggested 5 practices to learn God's directions for life. Can you think of a time where God gave you specific direction on a decision you were making? How did that work out for you?

Take it Home

8. If you could sit down with God face to face about a major decision you are needing to make what question would you ask Him?

Memorize: Proverbs 3:5-6