SERMON NOTES Title: Keys to Success (Part 2) Text: Genesis 24:1-58 Topic: Achieving Goals Teacher: Pastor Barry Time: 11/17/24; File Under: Christian Living



Once God has placed a dream in your heart one of the hardest things is getting started. The first steps in beginning to pursue your dreams are to...

1. DETERMINE WHERE YOU ARE.

- 2. DEFINE YOUR DREAM
- 3. AFFIRM THE PROMISES OF GOD
- 4. VISUALIZE THE VALUE
- 5. DESIRE PRAYERFULLY
- 6. ASSESS THE CHALLENGES

Identify the **roadblocks** 

## 7. DEVELOPE A PLAN

How do I intend to **get there**?

## 8. DISCIPLINE **YOURSELF**

Questions to ask: *How do I need to grow personally? "What will I need to change?"* 

## 9. PAY THE PRICE

Everything worth something <u>costs</u> something.

Great goals require great sacrifice.

Questions to ask: *What will it cost me?* Is it worth it? What am I willing to give?

"What will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and yet loses his soul?"

## 10. DEPEND ON PEOPLE

God often chooses to work through people.

You will never achieve very much in life until you learn to get along with others.

Success takes cooperation / teamwork.

Questions to ask: Am I a cooperative person? Which is more important my pride or the project?