

DOORS

A Hopeful Future

**When we try to imagine what's behind the door,
IT'S TIME TO RAISE THE BAR!**

We hear the phrase:

#1. "You Can Be Anything You Want To Be"

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#1. "God's Plan For Your Future Is Significance"

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to **prosper you and not to harm you**, plans to give you **hope and a future**. Jeremiah 29:11 (NIV)*

We hear the phrase:

#2. "You Can Have It Now"

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#2. "God's Timing Requires Patience and Faithfulness"

***Be patient**, then, brothers, until the Lord's coming. **See how the farmer waits** for the land to yield its valuable crop and how patient he is for the autumn and spring rains. James 5:7 (NIV)*

We hear the phrase:

#3. "You Are Special"

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#3. "You Are Special To God"

*For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb. 14 I praise you because I am **fearfully and wonderfully made**; your works are wonderful, I know that full well. 15 My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth. **Psalm 139:13-15 (NIV)***

We hear the phrase:

#4. "It's Your Choice To Make"

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#4. "Every Choice Carries With It An Outcome"

*"Everything is permissible"—but **not everything is beneficial**. "Everything is permissible"—but **not everything is constructive**. **1 Corinthians 10:23***

We hear the phrase:

#5. "Your Potential Future Looks Bright"

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#5. "Your Potential Future Looks Brighter Than You Can Possibly Imagine"

*Now to him who is able to do **immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine**, according to his power that is at work within us, 21 to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen. **Ephesians 3:20-21 (NIV)***

*I have come that they may **have life**, and have it **to the full**. **John 10:10b (NIV)***

*Yet I still **dare to hope** when I remember this: 22 The faithful love of the Lord never ends! His mercies never cease. 23 Great is his faithfulness; his mercies begin afresh each morning. **Lamentations 3:21-23 (NLT)***