

Luke 14:25-27 Mssg

One day when large groups of people were walking along with him, Jesus turned and told them, “Anyone who comes to me but refuses to let go of father, mother, spouse, children, brothers, sisters—yes, even one’s own self!—can’t be my disciple. Anyone who won’t shoulder his own cross and follow behind me can’t be my disciple.

**Before you can receive a new thing, you must release an old thing!**

Isaiah 43:18-19 NIV

“Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past.  
See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it?  
I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.

Jeremiah 29:11 NLT

For I know the plans I have for you,” says the Lord.  
“They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.

1 Corinthians 2:9 NLT

That is what the Scriptures mean when they say, “No eye has seen, no ear has heard,  
and no mind has imagined what God has prepared for those who love him.”

**Let go of my old thoughts, to think in a new way!**

Romans 12:2 NIV

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God’s will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

**Let go of what I think I’m supposed to be, to become who I truly am!**

Philippians 1:6 NLT

And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue his work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.

**Let go of what I can’t control, to allow God’s control!**

Matthew 6:31-33 NLT

“So don’t worry about these things, saying, ‘What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear?’ These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers, but your heavenly Father already knows all your needs. Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need.

**Let go of what’s comfortable, to experience the impossible!**

Luke 1:36-38 ESV

And behold, your relative Elizabeth in her old age has also conceived a son, and this is the sixth month with her who was called barren. For nothing will be impossible with God.” And Mary said, “Behold, I am the servant[a] of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word.” And the angel departed from her.