

"Into the Unknown with God"

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A year ago, I began to feel restless in my job as a researcher at Penn State. As I sought God's will, I sensed Him telling me to wait because He was preparing me for what was next. As I surrendered more and more to Him, He made it clear that my next step was to quit my job.

I was terrified to quit because I didn't have direction on what to do next, but I knew God was directing me to something new. During this time of waiting, He broke my heart for the city and for the students. He led me to meet with Steve Lutz about campus ministry, and everything clicked. I realized that everything God had been doing in my heart up until that point was preparing me for campus ministry.

When I look back at this process, I am glad I stepped out in faith. I felt like I was stepping off a cliff, but it put me in a position to experience God in a new way. He taught me about His faithfulness and His goodness, and that I can trust Him with my life because He is writing a better story. God never leads us into the unknown alone—He is always with us and is faithful to lead us each day as we seek Him.

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