guidance 1





should I stay or should I go...?

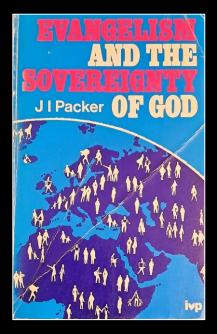


how does God guide us when we have choices to make?

Abram example

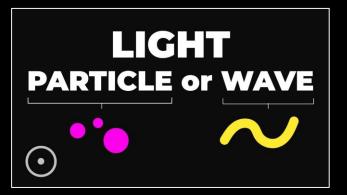
does God have a plan for your life?

[Paul] ...even as he **chose us** in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and blameless before him. In love he **predestined** us for adoption to himself as sons through Jesus Christ



Ephesians 1:4-5

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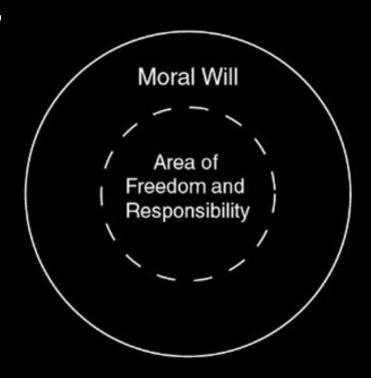


[Moses] This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now **choose** life, so that you and your children may live.

Deuteronomy 30:19

God guides through:

- 1. His sovereign will
- 2. His moral will
- 3. His wisdom
- 4. His special guidance
- 5. People



two practical considerations

1. willingness to obey

hearing from God

The mind of a man plans his ways, but the Lord directs his steps.

Proverbs 16:9





Blind Watchmaker



James 1:5

If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you...