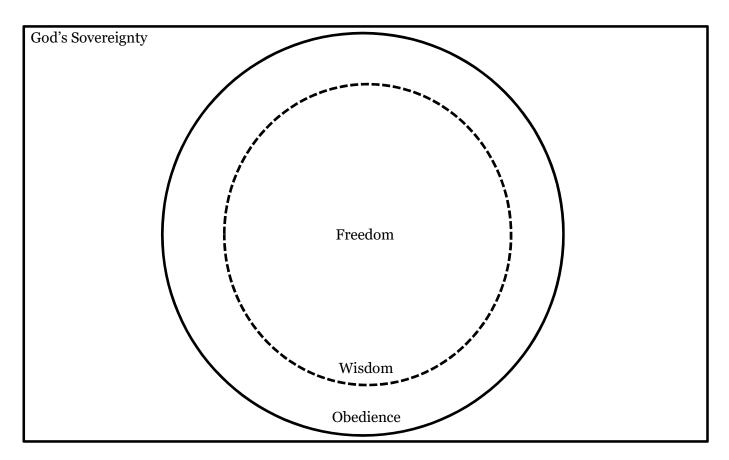
Guidance

- Just Do Something by Kevin DeYoung

Mapping the Territory



Obedience

We must strive for obedience

Matt 28:18 – All authority...has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations...,20 teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.

Obedience in the every-day

Obedience guides more than we think

Discuss - which biblical commands give boundaries for career decisions?

Obedience in ALL areas of life Eph 6:4, Heb 10:25

Wisdom

God wants us to be wise

James 1:5 If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.

Prov 4:7-8 The beginning of wisdom is this: Get wisdom, and whatever you get, get insight.

Prize her highly, and she will exalt you; she will honour you if you embrace her.

Wisdom is Word-based

2 Tim 3:16-17 All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

Wisdom weighs priorities

Wisdom is community based

Prov 15:22 - Without counsel plans fail, but with many advisers they succeed.

Jer 17:9 - The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately sick; who can understand it?

Rom 14:4 - Who are you to pass judgment on the servant of another? It is before his own master that he stands or falls.

Freedom

God loves Jazz not Robotics

There's freedom even in big decisions

1 Cor 7:25-38

...even though direct words are possible

Acts 13:1-3

Freedom from indecision

Sovereignty

God is in control

Acts 17:26 - God determines the exact times and places of our lives.

Prov 16:33 - The lot is cast into the lap, but its every decision is from the LORD.

God controls circumstance

Acts 16:7-10

God even controls evil

Gen 50:20, Acts 2:23, Matt 1:6