

Going Next Level

A Person of Prayer: Next Level Trust

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To go to the next level, we need _____ at the _____.

⁹About noon the following day as they were on their journey and approaching the city, Peter went up on the roof to pray. **Acts 10:9, NIV**

Peter became a person of _____. Jesus taught him:

“ _____, hallowed be your _____,
your _____ come; your _____ be done . . .

¹⁰He became hungry and wanted something to eat, and while the meal was being prepared, he fell into a trance. ¹¹He saw heaven opened and something like a large sheet being let down to earth by its four corners. ¹²It contained all kinds of four-footed animals, as well as reptiles and birds. ¹³Then a voice told him, “Get up, Peter. Kill and eat.”

¹⁴“Surely not, Lord!” Peter replied. “I have never eaten anything impure or unclean.” **Acts 10:10-14, NIV**

Prayer became Peter’s _____ through
which God was guiding him to the next level.

¹⁵The voice spoke to him a second time, “Do not call anything impure that God has made clean.”

¹⁶This happened three times, and immediately the sheet was taken back to heaven. **Acts 10:15-16, NIV**

God was challenging Peter to next level _____. He was
probing some of Peter’s wrong, _____ beliefs.

¹⁷While Peter was wondering about the meaning of the vision, the men sent by Cornelius found out where Simon’s house was and stopped at the gate. ¹⁸They called out, asking if Simon who was known as Peter was staying there.

¹⁹While Peter was still thinking about the vision, the Spirit said to him, “Simon, three men are looking for you. ²⁰So get up and go downstairs. Do not hesitate to go with them, for I have sent them.” **Acts 10:17-20, NIV**

Growth comes from _____ and _____ about
the parts of God’s Word that I don’t yet understand.

God’s Word sometimes ends arguments, but more often
starts _____.

²¹Peter went down and said to the men, “I’m the one you’re looking for. Why have you come?”

²²The men replied, “We have come from Cornelius the centurion. He is a righteous and God-fearing man, who is respected by all the Jewish people. A holy angel told him to ask you to come to his house so that he could hear what you have to say.” ²³Then Peter invited the men into the house to be his guests. **Acts 10:21-23^a, NIV**

Next level trust leads us to _____ on God’s promises.

What next step is God leading you to take?

MEMORY VERSE

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My next step: What next step is God leading me to take? 1. What does his Word say about my issue? 2. What is it that I need talk to God about in prayer? 3. How are God’s promises going to move me to act in faith?

What’s your next step today?

Mark it on your Communication Card.