

Connecting The Dots

Better Decisions, Fewer Regrets - Part 1

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I'm the **common denominator** between all of **my** bad decisions.

You're the **common denominator** between all of **your** bad decisions.

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The greatest threat to you is you.

"The human heart is the most deceitful of all things, and desperately wicked." Jeremiah 17:9 (NLT)

"There is a path before each person that seems right, but it ends in death." Proverbs 16:25 (NLT)

God wants you to make better decisions.

I want you to make better decisions.

Future you wants you to make better decisions.

Present you is the problem though, isn't it?

Can you connect the dots between past decisions and present realities?

"People ruin their lives by their own foolishness and then are angry at the Lord." Proverbs 19:3 (NLT)

"A prudent person foresees danger and takes precautions. The simpleton goes blindly on and suffers the consequences." Proverbs 27:12 (NLT)

"Give careful thought to the paths for your feet and be steadfast in all your ways." Proverbs 4:26 (NIV)

*"¹⁹Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses. Now I call on heaven and earth to witness the choice you make. **Oh, that you would choose life**, so that you and your descendants might live! ²⁰You can make this choice by loving the Lord your God, obeying Him, and committing yourself firmly to Him. This is the key to your life. And if you love and obey the Lord, you will live long in the land the Lord swore to give your ancestors Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob." Deuteronomy 30:19-20 (NLT)*

You can't change your past, but with God's help, you can change your future.