

**Who is in Charge?**

When the visions of man go against the plan of God

John 18:1-12

*Do you fight against discomfort and changes involved with God’s rule?* (vs. 1-3)

*Do you recognize God’s power to eliminate human protest against His rule?* (vs. 4-9)

*Do you impulsively promote your small, self-centered kingdom?* (vs. 10-12)

**Serious Questions to Ask**

* Are you attempting something to fulfill your vision for your future apart from God’s will or glory?
* Are you forcing something that God deliberately blocks?
* Are you missing the bigger picture of what God accomplishes through His Son?
* Are you impulsively moving forward in some direction of life because God does not appear to you to be powerful?
* Are you willing to accept God’s will for life even if it requires pain and delay in success?

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