

Ephesians 3:20

Discuss

We all have favorite things that are important to our lives.

- What are your favorite places to eat? Favorite movies? Favorite songs?

Perry's favorite verse, Ephesians 3:20, shows us something amazing about God.

God is able to do so much more than we could ever imagine.

- When was a time God did more in a situation than you thought He would?
- After you saw God did more than you asked or imagined, how did your perspective on life or God's ability change?

You don't have to settle for less when God has immeasurably more planned for you.

- What does not settling for less than God's best look like for you, if you're single and dating?
- If you're married, what does not settling look like for you?
- Is there any other area of your life, outside of relationships, where you might be settling for less than God's best? If so, how?

The way things are right now is not the way things will always be. God has more in store.

Read Colossians 3:1-2.

Through daily surrender to Jesus, setting our hearts and minds on Him, we'll always walk toward the immeasurably more that God has promised.

- What is one thing you could say "no" to in order to keep moving toward what God has for you?
- What's something you can say "yes" to in order to keep your hope in God's promise for immeasurably more?

Because God is at work in our lives, the best is always yet to come.

Next Steps

- Talk to a trusted friend or someone in your Group about the area in which you're most tempted to settle for less than God's best for you. Ask him or her to pray for you and hold you accountable as you trust that God has something more for you.

- Need help in your dating life or marriage? Search for “dating,” “marriage,” or “relationships” on www.newspring.cc to find more ways to set your heart and mind on the better things God has in store for you.