

# Peter

## WEEK 4: Never Say Never, to God

### INTRODUCTION

I'll bet every one of us has a story about when we have emphatically said we would never do a certain thing, only to see the day come when we did exactly the thing we said we never would. I'll never get married, never move to that part of the country and I will never own a mini van. Today, we are going to learn an awesome lesson from the life of Peter, who on two separate occasions said "**never**" to God. The lesson Peter learned changed his life for the better and it will ultimately help us as well if we choose to learn from his example.

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Share a time when you said you would "**never**" do a certain thing, and then time passed and you eventually ended up doing that very thing.
2. Has God spoken to you about doing something that you are hesitant to do? Have you predetermined that there are some things that you will never do?
3. Discuss an area of your life that you would consider "off limits" to God.
4. Read Mark 14:27-31. If Peter could rewrite verse 29 today, what words do you think he would use in place of what he originally said?
5. Read Philippians 4:13. What does this promise of God communicate to you about your so-called limitations?

### MOVING FORWARD

*"God, please help me to be open to You as You ask me to do something that is outside of my comfort zone, and then give me the courage to take the next step in doing what I should."*

### RELATED SCRIPTURE

Acts 10:9-20  
Mark 14:27-31  
Philippians 4:13