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Turning Anxieties Into Actions

(How to do what you never thought you could)
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"An **anxious heart** weighs a man down, . . ." (Prov 12:25)

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." (Phil 4:6)

Which best describes you?

I am a **drifter**.

"Let me sleep a little longer!" Sure, just a little more! And as you sleep, poverty creeps upon you like a robber and destroys you; want attacks you in full armor." (Prov 6:10-15)

I am a **driver**.

"I denied myself nothing my eyes desired; I refused my heart no pleasure. My heart took delight in all my work, and this was the reward for all my labor. Yet when I surveyed all that my hands had done and what I had toiled to achieve, everything was meaningless, a chasing after the wind; nothing was gained under the sun." (Eccl 2:10-11)

I am a **dreamer**.

"But someone may well argue, 'You say the way to God is by faith alone, plus nothing; well, I say that good works are important too, for without good works you can't prove whether you have faith or not; but anyone can see that I have faith by the way I act.' Are there still some

among you who hold that 'only believing' is enough? Believing in one God? Well, remember that the demons believe this too--so strongly that they tremble in terror! Fool! When will you ever learn that 'believing' is useless without doing what God wants you to? **Faith that does not result in good deeds is not real faith.**" (James 2:18-20)

I am a **daring-doer**.

3 Habits Of Action-Oriented People

They **think big**.

" . . . With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible." (Mat 19:26)

"For nothing is impossible with God." (Luke 1:37)

They **act small**.

"Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much. So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else's property, who will give you property of your own?" (Luke 16:10-12)

"Your **beginnings** will seem humble, so prosperous will your future be." (Job 8:7)

"Who despises the **day of small things**? . . ." (Zec 4:10)

They **lean hard**.

"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight." (Prov 3:5-6)