

## **MOVING BEYOND IDEAS AND DESIRES**

**Ideas simply mean a formulated opinion or thought. Desire is a strong feeling of wanting to have something or wishing for something to happen. As humans we generate several thoughts everytime Some are good while some are bad.**

**An idea that proffers a way forward or solve a challenge we say it's a good idea. At the other hand a thought that is not progressive or does not give a way forward from the subject matter we say it's a bad idea.**

**Desire is a strong feeling of wanting to have something or wishing for something to happen.**

**Animals don't think or have thoughts neither do they desire for anything they act by instinct but humans produce thoughts and have desires because it is one of God's attributes. Genesis 1:27**

**God had the idea of creation in the beginning before acting and because we are in the likeness of God we all have the capacity to generate ideas too.**

Creativity always starts from desire or an idea . This is where you put all together with your imagination and can see the expected result. It is the beginning or the first stage which preempt steps that brings in realization.

The story of creation in Genesis which started from the four words “ let there be light” shows us how the almighty God moved out from the realm of ideas and desire to materialization.

As children of God it is our desire to make heaven, to manifest the power of God to the fullest in the church and wherever we are. Our students want to graduate with the best grade, we want to be successful and be celebrated. It is good to have desires and ideas they have the potential of guiding us to the end as we imagine.

Everything we see, touch, feel is a product of an idea. No wonder Dr Sam Adeyemi in his book said “Ideas rule the world” and it is true. Every level attained in life is a result of the desire we had.

Unfortunately, as powerful and important as ideas and desires are, they remain ideas and desires until a deliberate effort is made by the bearer to move to the next stage which is taking action and that is where men are separated from the boys,

those who will be celebrated and those who will not be celebrated, those who will fulfill destiny and those who will not, those who will make exploit for God as a result of the level they have attained spiritually and those who will not.

Proverbs 14:23- in all toil there is profit, but mere talk tends only to poverty

This word should come to you as a wake up call to move from just having desire and ideas to the next stage of action .

Move from always wanting to be like Jesus to start acting like Jesus.

The journey that leads to realizing ideas and desires is not an easy one it is only the courageous that embark on it.

To attain a certain spiritual level, when others are Eating you are fasting, when others are sleeping and snoring, you are praying. When others are still at work you in the church for weekly activities.

To be successful in business,  
When others are playing you are working, when others are watching TV you are planning, when others are sleeping you are researching.

There is no two ways about it, to achieve that end result, we must put in a given level of work and dedication by taking action.

Action is the wheel that drives your idea and desires to the point where the world will see and enjoy the manifestation. God acted on the idea of creation beginning with "let there be light".

**Give a story on agbani darego...and other talent hunt**

**The world only recognize those who come out to act. Even the spirit realm only know those who are connected to the real source which is the almighty God.**

**Act 19:15**

**One day the evil spirit answered them, "Jesus I know, and Paul I know about, but who are you?"**

I have noticed that in the society today our problem is not information we have access to it so easily, nor is it knowledge, because when you are informed about a thing, you already have the knowledge. Our challenge is that we lack men of wisdom. Wisdom is when you apply the knowledge you have acquired into solving problems or moving to the next level

Things to do to move beyond ideas or desires

1. You need the light

God knows that to be able to create there should be light and that was the first he did. Genesis 1:14-16. This light is Jesus the sun and the moon were created in the 5th day.

“When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, ‘I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.’” -John 8:12

2. Seek guidance from the Holy Spirit.

But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come. John 16:13.

3. Know the process and trust in it. Anything we desire to achieve have a process and it is our responsibility to research for it or learn from those who have taken same route.

Ecclesiastes 8:6

For there is a proper time and procedure for every delight, though a man's trouble is heavy upon him (Daddy G. O)

4. Act with urgency. Time waits for nobody. John 9:4

As long as it is day, we must do the works of him who sent me. Night is coming, when no one can work.