

Making 'Decisions and Tough Calls'

"For the Lord gives wisdom; From His mouth come knowledge and understanding." (Proverbs 2:6)

'What exactly is a tough call?'

It still makes us groan

What is a 'TOUGH CALL'

- 1. It requires much energy & prayers
- 2. It demands a RISK
- 3. It is questioned and criticized
- 4. It costs greatly

They are not optional; they are requirements

What is a 'TOUGH CALL'

- 1. Do your homework
- 2. Set a Deadline
- 3. Seek Counsel
- 4. Make it on principals & values

They will never be painless, but we can make the process a bit easier.

MAKING
'GODLY
DECISIONS'

How we can Make Difficult 'Godly Decisions'?

Seven Keys to making difficult decisions

- Don't do what you want to do
 - 1) Jonah
 - 2) Moses
- 2. Don't follow your heart
 - "The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked; Who can know it?" (Jeremiah 17: 9)
- **3.** Ask others for advice
 - "When there is no counsel, the people fall; But in the multitude of counselors there is safety" (Prov 11:14)

Seven Keys to making difficult decisions

- 4. Don't do what feels good
 - 1) David
- 5. Don't expect God to give you all the details
- 6. Expect success and failure
 - 1) Old Testament Prophet
 - 2) St. Paul
- 7. Listen to what God wants to tell US

Let's understand

The emotions of making a tough call Is tough Decision-making 'worth all the agony, time and energy it takes'?



So go ahead and make that tough call you have been putting off ...

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