

The prophet Jonah once mistook an available ship for an 'open door'. But open doors are not always God's doors, especially when we force them open. Some opportunities lead nowhere spiritually. Behind them we find only disappointment, regret, and hollowness.

As we go through life, we will see many doors, but unless God is leading us to them and through them, they will lead nowhere. When God allows one door to close, it is because he is preparing to open a more effective door. Let God open the right doors for you. Do not turn aside to the wrong doors or opportunities, because you don't want to pursue meaningless things which cannot benefit you.

1 Samuel 12:21 "Do not turn aside; for then you would go after empty things which cannot profit or deliver, for they are nothing."