

# ***WHAT DO YOU DO WITH A DEAD END?***



It seemed like the chance of a lifetime.

I went for it.

Then suddenly, a brick wall.

I waited and waited for a door to open.

Surely God wouldn't have allowed me to go down this path if it led nowhere!

But how long am I supposed to wait for a door to open?

**When we come to a dead end....**

**It's usually a sign that we have taken things into our own hands.**

**There is only one way to go....**

**Back.**

When the Prodigal Son came to his senses he said:

***“How many of my father’s hired servants have bread enough and to spare, but I perish here with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, ‘Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son; treat me as one of your hired servants.’”***

The man swallowed his pride, retraced his steps, returned to his father, and to his amazement, received a royal welcome.



When we reach a dead end there's no point in wasting time.

**The Father waits.**

**He will give us a new start**

**... if we'll only come home.**



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Going Home

*Prayer: Lord help us to recognize when we come to dead ends. May we recognize the futility of fighting our way around them. Help us to turn back as quickly as possible and return to you, to find our way home to you our loving Father, where we find peace, love, and a new start. Amen.*

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