

# The Prophetic EDGE

## Prophetic Edge & Achievement Pt. 2:

### “Week 5: Understanding the Dream Dimension”

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**Course Summary:** The purpose of this training is two-fold: 1.) To help the student understand the reality of the dream dimension and how it works; and 2.) Create a distinction between Goals and Dreams while showing each are important.

#### I. Introduction.

- A. What is a Dream?** A series of thoughts, images, and sensations occurring in a person's mind while awake or during sleep.

**QUESTION: IN YOUR OWN WORDS DEFINE A DREAM?**

- B. What is a Dimension?** A dimension is the measurement of something in physical space.
- C. Dream Dimension-** The physical space where dreams are measured.
1. All Physical Space has an entry point & an exit point.
  2. The Prophetic Edge is Key to Entering the Dream Dimension.
  3. We should exit the dream dimension with a sense of Ownership for God given dreams and a sense of abandonment for crap that didn't come from God.
- D. Principles of the Dream Dimension.**
1. **Ownership** Precedes **Occupancy**.
  2. **Occupancy** attracts **Opposition**.
- E. The Dream Dimension** becomes the context and infrastructure for goals that will make the dream a reality.

#### II. 10 Huge Differences between Goals and Dreams

- A. Goals are something you are acting on. Dreams are something you are just thinking about.** Goals require action. Dreams can happen without lifting a finger, even while you are asleep.
- B. Goals have deadlines. Dreams are just, well, dreams.** Goals must have a deadline. They have a time limit. Dreams can go on forever.

In fact, many people maintain dreams their entire lives without ever reaching them.

- C. **Dreams are free. Goals have a cost.** While you can daydream for free, goals don't come without a price. Time, money, effort and sweat. How will you pay for your goals?
- D. **Goals produce results. Dreams don't.** Want to change your life? Your job? Your status in life? Goals can do that. A good friend of mine made six-figures on the ebook he published. He did that. Had it stayed as a dream, his life would have been as it always was.
- E. **Dreams are imaginary. Goals are based in reality.** You may dream of being Superman, but that is probably not going to happen. Goals are about what you can actually accomplish. They are grounded in the reality of our world. Goals should be big, but not supernatural.
- F. **Goals have a finish line. Dreams never have to end.** Dreams can go on forever. They don't have to have an ending point. Goals must have a specific outcome.
- G. **Dreams can inspire you. Goals can change your life.** Dreams can bring you motivation. They can inspire you. But, goals can change your life forever.
- H. **Goals must have focus. Dreams don't.** Dreams can be drifting, ever-changing thoughts. Goals must be laser-focused. They must be specific and they must be always on your mind.
- I. **Goals require hard work. Dreams just require your imagination.** Dreaming is easy. Almost everyone has a dream. But, fewer people have goals. Goals are hard and they require hard work. (See #3)
- J. **Dreams stretch your imagination. Goals stretch you.** Dreaming leads to bigger dreams. They stretch the limits of your imagination. But, goals stretch you. They increase your skills, your abilities, and change you forever.

### III. The Anatomy of an Achievable Goal.

- A. Four Keys to Setting Achievable Goals.
  1. Make certain they are highly **Desirable**.
  2. Make sure they are 100% **Believable**.
  3. Make sure you have the **Power** and **Capacity** at every point and time in the process.
  4. Stay **Connected** to the Goal and **Committed** to Your Prophetic Power.

**Assignment: Stop Right Now and Write Down  
Two Goals You would like to Achieve.**

- B. Strategies to Change Your Life using the Prophetic Edge to Achieve Your Goals.

1. **Take Responsibility.** Accept responsibility for where you are now. Recognize that you are the only person who can change your life— No one else can do it for you.
  2. **Develop Your Prophetic Power.** Your prophetic power is your ability to make choices for yourself as aligned with God's plan for your life. When the power is strong, life becomes easier. You have the definite sense that you are in charge, and that the choices are yours to make.
  3. **Clear Your Inner Clutter.** If you feel as though there are too many things happening at once, and you don't know where to start, this is a sign that you need to clear up some mental space. Otherwise you could end up constantly firefighting.
  4. **The Power of Your Unconscious.** The old fashioned Freudian idea of the unconscious (sometimes called the subconscious) mind was kind of a dungeon, where we lock up all the repressed desires (aggression, lust, selfishness, etc.) that we cannot admit too.
  5. **Focus on What You Want.** Humans are born with the ability to see patterns in things. Where there are no innate patterns, we tend to project them— Like seeing pictures in a campfire, or faces and animals in clouds.
  6. **Look at your life Appreciatively.** Social psychologist have discovered that positive motions gives benefits beyond just feeling good. When you feel good, its' easier to see the big picture, rather than getting lost in detail.
- IV. **Clear the Blockages.** The biggest obstacles to achieving our goals are within ourselves. To set out for your goals with confidence that you will achieve them, you have to clear the blockages.
- A. **Defeat Limiting Beliefs.** Anything that holds you back can be described as a limiting belief. it could be a belief about your own capabilities, about how the world works, or about how you or other people should behave.
  - B. **Deal with Problems.** Any problem has a three-part structure, which gives you three ways to tackle it: change the situation, change how you interpret i, or change your response to it. Even if the first is not possible, the two always are.
  - C. **Deal with other People.** Sometimes is can seem as if life would be perfect if you did not have to deal with difficult people around you. But do those people think of themselves as difficult? Very few people deliberately set out to be awkward.
  - D. **Deal with Criticism.** How do you respond to critical comments? Do you take them to heart, or stop them at arm's length and examine them to see if thy are true? How about compliments? Do you treat them the same way, or differently.
  - E. **Deal with Overload.**

**V. Conclusion: Create the Vision You Desire.**

- A. **Set Your Goals.** Without Goals you would be just drifting aimlessly at the mercy of whatever events come along in your life. You need to have a clear idea about where you want to be in order to take the action needed to get there.
- B. **Find a Route to Successful Goals.** Make a Goal Setting Checklist. There are many different formulas for goal-setting checklist. One of the most effective, both for precision and for engaging emotional commitment, is the formula known as, the P.O.W.E.R. process.
  - 1. P= **Prophetic** Thinking.
  - 2. O= **Own** Your Goals
  - 3. W= Specify **What** and **When**
  - 4. E= Consider all **Effects**
  - 5. R= Ensure the **Route** is Known and Feasible