



The First Move—Sacrifice (Matthew 5:38-45)

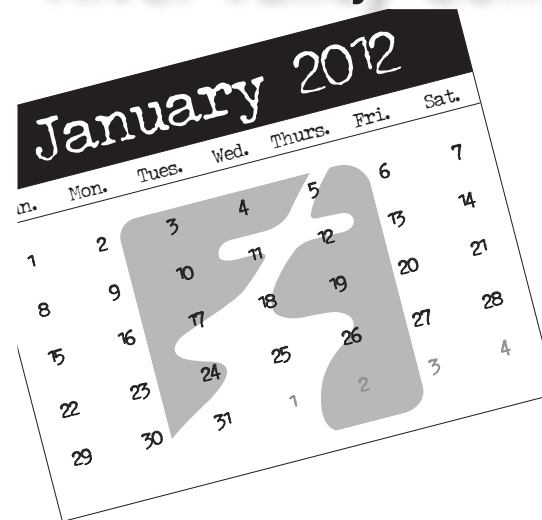
#1 in the series *Dangerous Wonder: Are You Willing to Risk It All?*
January 1, 2012

- It is normal for a church and individual Christians to experience Dangerous Wonder: God leads us to risk and then he moves in supernatural ways.
- To experience Dangerous Wonder, we must first establish the pattern of personal sacrifice.

Four Lessons about The First Move:

1. Our “sacrifice” is rooted in our gratitude for Christ’s sacrifice.
2. Our first mile is our duty; our second is our difference.
3. We are applauded on the first; Christ is revealed on the second.
4. We experience our power on the first; we experience God’s move on the second.

River Valley Community Church



The Stick-it-to-the-Fridge Calendar

Jan. 1	10:00 A.M. 11:30 A.M.	“The First Move—Sacrifice,” #1 in the Series <i>Dangerous Wonder</i> Discover River Valley
Jan. 4	7:00–8:15 P.M.	Student Ministries Combined “Rest Stop”
Jan. 5	9:30–11:30 A.M. 6:30–9:00 P.M.	Moms ‘n Kids Play Group Worship Practice
Jan. 8	10:00 A.M. 11:30 A.M.–3:00 P.M.	“The Launch Pad—Church,” #2 in the Series <i>Dangerous Wonder</i> <i>Igniter 101: Know</i>
Jan. 13–16		Youth Winter Retreat
Jan. 15	9:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M.	mini-Lecture “The Biggest Risk—Witness,” #3 in the Series <i>Dangerous Wonder</i>
Jan. 21	7:30 A.M.	3rd Saturday Pancakes and Project
Jan. 22	10:00 A.M.	“The Sharpener—Friends,” #4 in the Series <i>Dangerous Wonder</i>
Jan. 27	6:30–9:00 P.M.	Trivia Night

