Why settle for being captain when you are destined to be king

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There was a point in David's life when he was captain of all the armies of Israel. He was very successful in this role, so successful in fact that ballads were written of his victories declaring no one else could match his acclaim. David was surrounded by faithful men, who followed him without question and supported his every decision. David could have imagined himself to be in his greatest day, enjoying his success, and looking forward to retiring with fame. However, God had called him to something greater than this.

Destiny demands that we forget those things which are behind and press forward to those things which are yet before, that we might achieve our highest calling of God through Christ Jesus. Perhaps you are at some level of present success and yet God has inspired you to greater things. There may be a cost to stepping out in faith but what will it cost if you don't?

Prayer for Today

Dear God, help me to not settle for less than my greatest offering to You. Give me the grace to reach my highest calling and experience my greatest potential in service to Your Kingdom.

Scriptures for Today

Philippians 3:13-14 Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. (NKJV)

2 Timothy 4:7 I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. (KJV)