

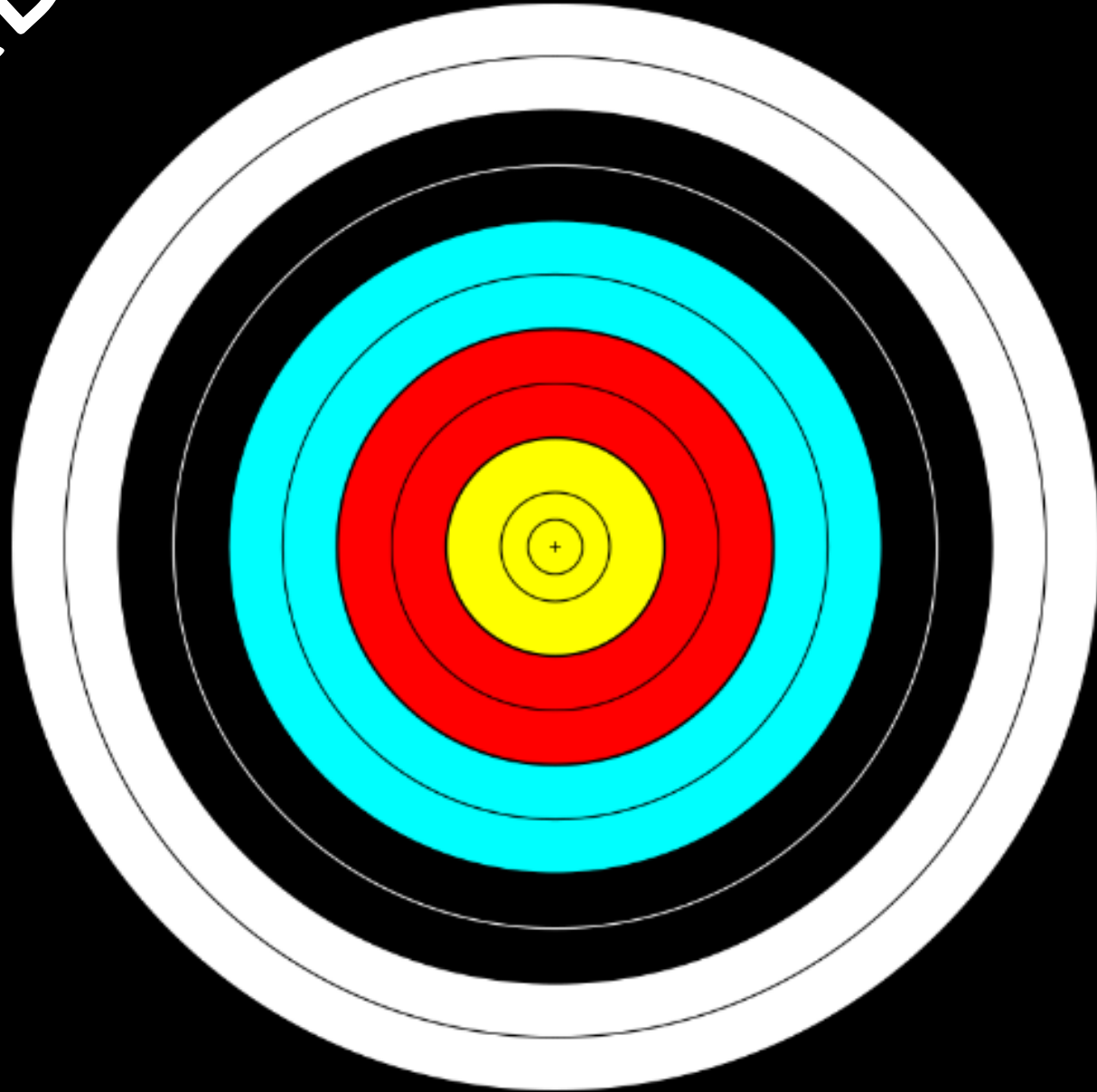
If at First You Don't Succeed...

2 Peter 1:3-10

# Recap

- Marriage as God Intended
- Godly Leadership
- Godly Submission
- Expectation Management

STANDARD  
MARK



GOAL  
TARGET

# Options

- Try to Attain on our own
- Change the Standard
- Something Else...

# 2 Peter 1:3-10

Seeing that His divine power has granted to us everything pertaining to life and godliness, through the true knowledge of Him who called us by His own glory and excellence. For by these He has granted to us His precious and magnificent promises, so that by them you may become partakers of the divine

Nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world by lust. Now for this very reason also, applying all diligence, in your faith supply moral excellence, and in your moral excellence, knowledge, and in your knowledge, self-control, and in your self-control, perseverance, and in your perseverance, godliness, and in your godliness, brotherly kindness, and in your

Brotherly kindness, love. For if these qualities are yours and are increasing, they render you neither useless nor unfruitful in the true knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. For he who lacks these qualities is blind or short-sighted, having forgotten his purification from his former sins. Therefore, brethren, be all the more diligent to make certain about His calling and choosing you; for as long as you practice these things, you never will stumble;

# The Something Else...

- Conversion
  - 2 Cor. 5:17
  - Rom. 10:9-10



# The Something Else...

- Companion
  - John 16:7
  - John 14:26
  - John 15:26

# The Something Else...

- Coordinates
  - Rom. 15:4
  - 1 Cor. 10:11
  - 2 Tim. 3:16-17

# The Something Else...

- Connection
  - Gal. 6:2
  - 1 Cor. 12:25-27
  - I John 1:7
  - James 5:16
  - Heb. 10:24-25

# So...

- What do you need?
- What do you lack?
- What are you missing?
- What must you do next?