



# MARKET INSIGHTS – FINDING INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES AHEAD!

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Jim has also been previously selected three times by *Pittsburgh Magazine* as one of the Pittsburgh area's FIVE STAR Wealth Managers, a list that represents the most elite financial advisors in Pittsburgh.

With over 20 years of experience, Jim assists all types of clients with their financial planning and investment needs. Jim's extensive skill set includes providing financial advice to retirement-focused clients, medical and dental practices, and businesses.

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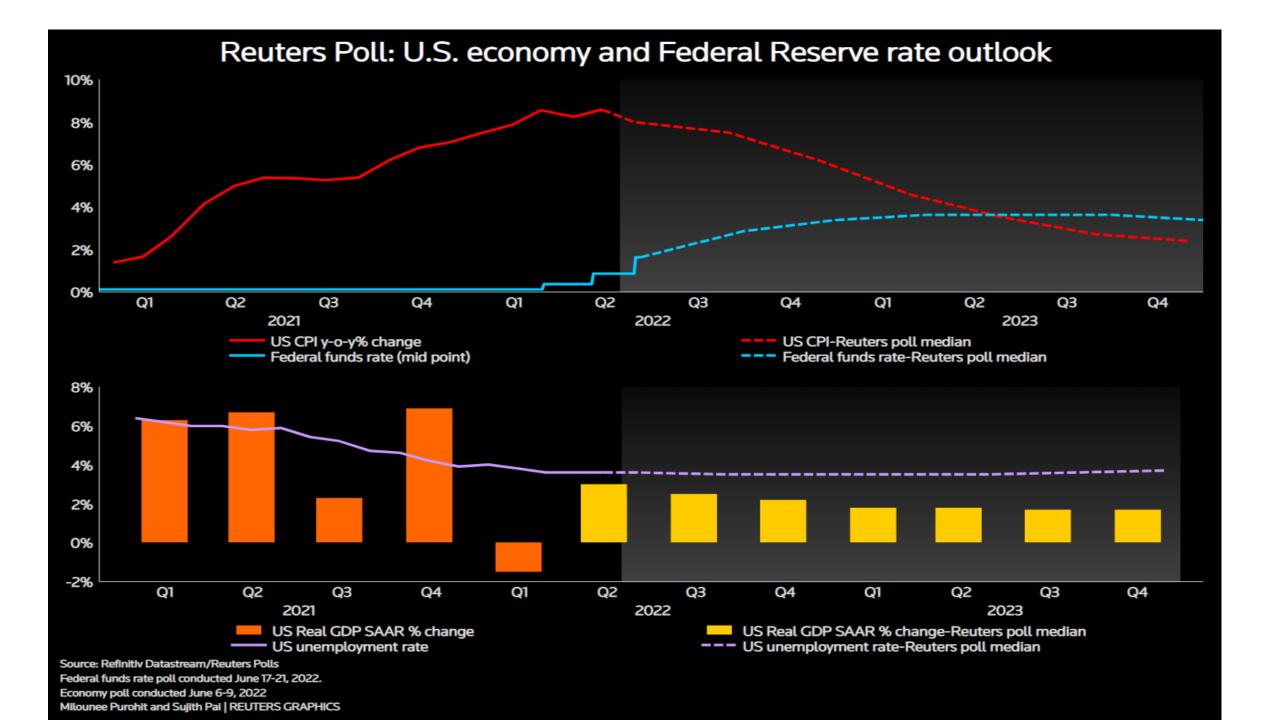
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# FEDERAL RESERVE

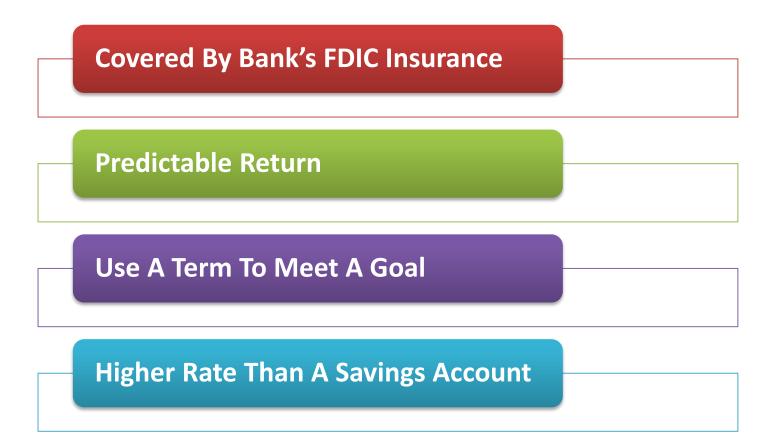
### FEDERAL RESERVE (FED) MEETING

- 1. Date Of Next Meeting: December 13 and 14
- 2. Smaller Interest Rate (.50%) Increase Is Possible
- 3. Lag Of Six-Eight Months Until Interest Rate Increase Filters Through Economy
- 4. Recent Four .75% Increases Are The Most Aggressive Since The 1980s.
- 5. Markets Project 5.0 5.25% Terminal Rate or Rate That Fed Stops Increasing
- 6. Current Interest Rate: 3.75% 4.00%
- 7. Labor Market Is Strong



# DO CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSITS MAKE SENSE?

#### **CD ADVANTAGES**



#### **CD DISADVANTAGES**

# Less Liquidity Than Savings Accounts

**Early Withdrawal Penalties** 

Locking In A Lower Interest Rate If Interest Rates Keep Rising

**Inflation Risk** 

# DO CDs MAKE SENSE?

CDs Are Not Great To Use During Inflationary Environment

The Difference Between Certain Money Market Rates and CDs Is Not Very Large To Justify Locking Up Your Money.

If Determined To Use CDs, Consider CD Laddering Strategy

# LENGTH OF BEAR MARKETS

### BEAR MARKET LENGTH

21 Bear Markets Since 1928

**Average Length Is 388 Days** 

Longest: 929 Days 2000-2002 Downturn

**Shortest: 33 Days, Covid Downturn 2020** 

2022 Bear Market Start: January 3, 2022

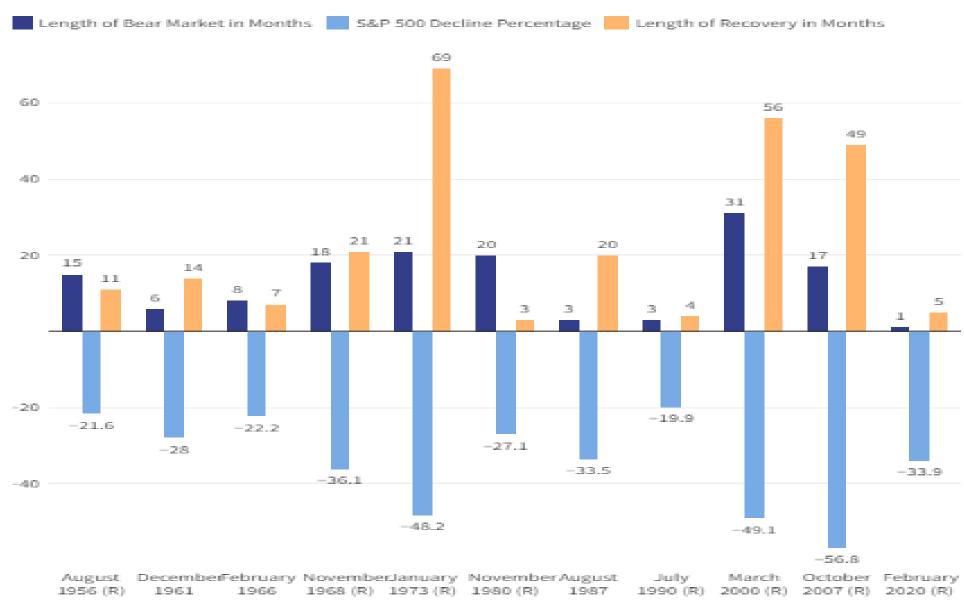
Table 1: Bear markets are quicker than bull markets

History of US equity bear markets (S&P 500)

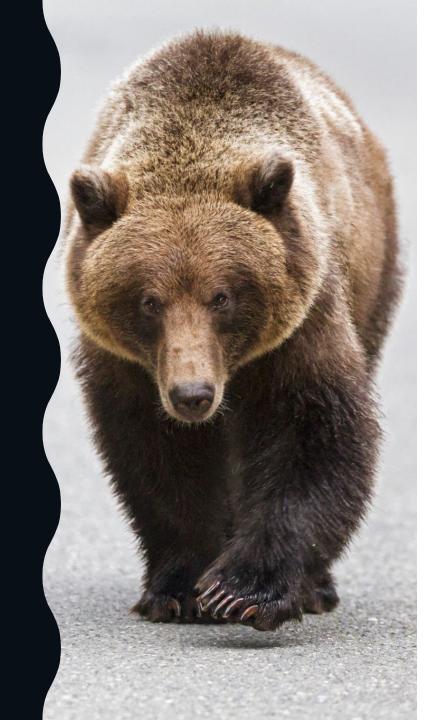
Peak	Trough	Decline	Recovery	Event (s)	
				Crash of 1929, 1st part of Great	
09/1929	06/1932	86.2%	03/1937	Depression	
03/1937	04/1942	60.0%	05/1946	2nd part of Great Depression, WWII	
10/2007	03/2009	56.8%	02/2020	Global Financial Crisis	
06/1911	12/1920	51.0%	12/1924	WWI, Post-War Auto Bubble Burst	
03/2000	10/2002	49.1%	10/2007	Dot-com bubble burst	
				Inflationary Bear Market, Vietnam,	
01/1973	10/1974	48.2%	08/1987	Watergate	
11/1968	05/1970	36.1%	01/1973	Start of Inflationary Bear Market	
01/1906	10/1907	34.2%	08/1908	Panic of 1907	
02/2020	03/2020	33.9%	03/2020	COVID-19 Crash of 2020	
08/1987	10/1987	33.2%	07/1990	Black Monday	
4/1899	06/1900	30.4%	03/1901	Cornering of Northern Pacific Stock	
05/1946	06/1949	29.6%	08/1956	Post-war Bear Market	
				Height of Cold War, Cuban Missile	
12/1961	06/1962	28.0%	02/1966	Crisis	
10/1892	07/1893	27.3%	03/1894	Silver Agitation	
11/1886	03/1888	22.0%	05/1889	Depression, Railroad strikes	
04/1903	09/1903	21.7%	11/1904	Rich Man's Panic	
8/1897	03/1898	21.1%	08/1898	Outbreak of Boer War	
				Enforcement of the Sherman Anti-	
09/1909	07/1910	20.6%	02/1911	Trust Act	
5/1890	07/1891	20.1%	02/1892	Barings Brothers Crisis	

Source: BofA Global Investment Strategy, Ibbotson, SBBI Yearbook, Bloomberg

#### S&P 500 Bear Markets and Recoveries

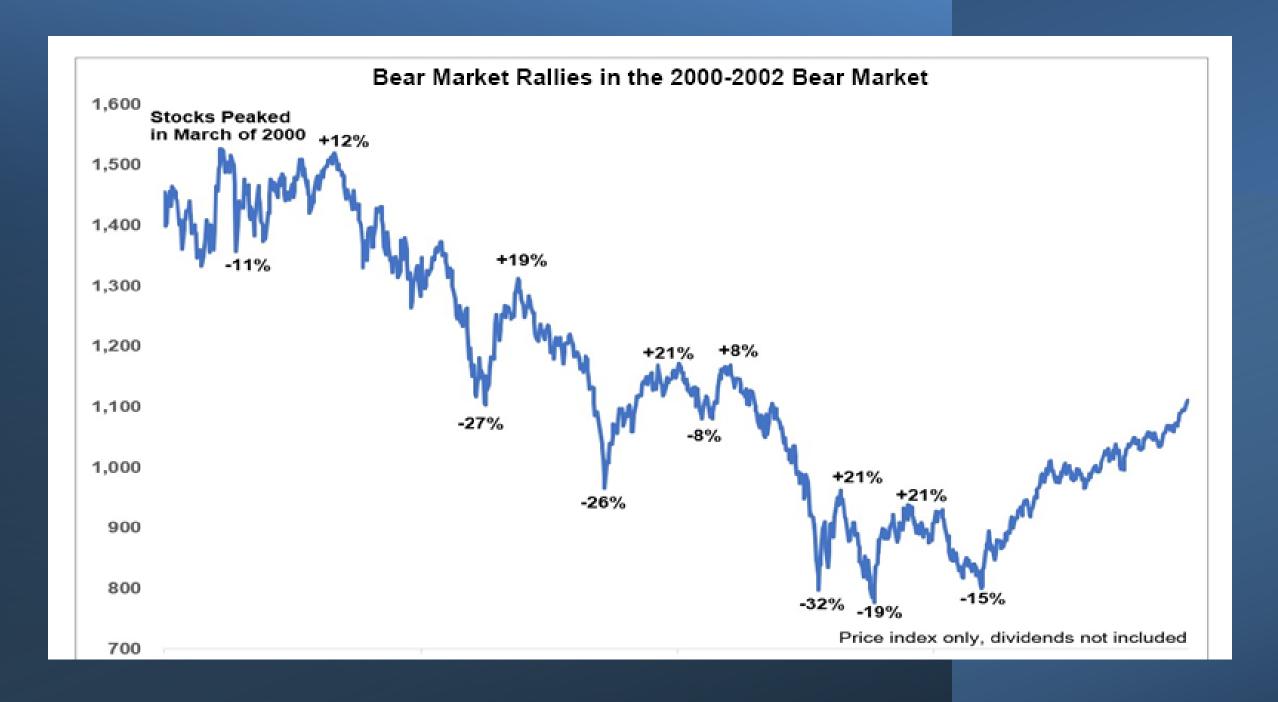


# BEAR MARKET RALLY



# WHAT IS A BEAR MARKET RALLY

- 1. Time Of Optimism That Raises Stock Prices Temporarily In The Middle Of A Bear Market
- 2. After Temporary Rise, The Market Pushes Prices Lower Than Before
- 3. Every Bear Market Since 1900 Has Had At Least A Rally Of 5.0% Or More Before Declining To Its Ultimate Bottom







### TAX LOSS HARVESTING

# RECOGNIZING CAPITAL LOSSES

- Tax-Loss Harvesting
- Fully Deductible Against Capital Gains
- Deduct Up To \$3,000.00 Against Ordinary Income

#### **RECOGNIZING CAPITAL GAINS**

	10% And 12% Tax Brackets	22% Up To 35% Tax Brackets	37.0% Tax Bracket		
Short-Term (One Year Or Less)	Ordinary Income Tax Rate				
Long-Term (Longer Than One Year)	0%*	15%*	20%		

<sup>\*</sup>To The Extent Taxable Income Remains In These Brackets. Consult Your Tax Advisor About How This Applies To Your Situation.

#### **Tax-Loss Harvesting**

#### **Investment A**

+ \$50,000 Capital Gains

> Potential tax owed **\$20,400** (\$50,000 x 40.8%\*)

\$21,624 (\$20,000 + \$1,224)

#### **Investment B**

- **\$75,000**Capital Loss

Use loss to offset \$50,000 gain. Potential tax saved \$20,400 (\$50,000 x 40.8%\*)

Apply \$3,000 to reduce ordinary income. Potential tax saved \$1,224 (\$3,000 x 40.8%)

Remaining \$22,000 of tax losses may be applied to long-term gains or income in future tax years

<sup>\*</sup>A maximum federal income tax rate of 37%, plus 3.8%. Source: BNY Mellon Wealth Management. June 2022.

### **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**



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