## Blah to Beautiful?

## After flattish years, stocks tend to be up big.

| Year | S\&P 500 Returns <+/-5\% | Following Year Return |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1934 | $-2.3 \%$ | $47.2 \%$ |
| 1939 | $-0.9 \%$ | $-10.1 \%$ |
| 1953 | $-1.1 \%$ | $52.4 \%$ |
| 1960 | $0.5 \%$ | $26.8 \%$ |
| 1970 | $4.0 \%$ | $14.3 \%$ |
| 1990 | $-3.1 \%$ | $30.5 \%$ |
| 1994 | $1.3 \%$ | $37.6 \%$ |
| 2005 | $4.9 \%$ | $15.8 \%$ |
| 2011 | $2.1 \%$ | $16.0 \%$ |
| 2015 | $1.4 \%$ | $?$ |
| Average |  | $25.6 \%$ |

