

5. I MUST HAVE AN _____ PASSION FOR GOD.

"Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven." **Matthew 5:16 (NKJV)**

"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him." **Colossians 3:17 (NIV)**

The Greatest Definition of a Successful Life:

"I have brought you glory on earth by finishing the work you gave me to do." **John 17:4 (NIV)**

TO BE SUCCESSFUL, WE NEED GOD, GROUP, AND

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS:

- I will memorize **1 John 1:9 (GNB)**
- I will accept Christ for the first time or recommit my life to Christ
- I will join the New Life church family
- I will sign up to receive the Purifying My Heart Resource

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HOW TO PREPARE MYSELF FOR GOD'S USE CONSECRATED TO THE LORD

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"...The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone, and, a stone that causes people to stumble and a rock that makes them fall. They stumble because they disobey the message—which is also what they were destined for. But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light." **1 Peter 2:7-9 (NIV)**

"Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites." **Joshua 1:2 (NIV)**

"Be dressed for service and keep your lamps burning, as though you were waiting for your master to return from the wedding feast. Then you will be ready to open the door and let him in the moment he arrives and knocks. The servants who are ready and waiting for his return will be rewarded. I tell you the truth, he himself will seat them, put on an apron, and serve them as they sit and eat!" **Luke 12:35-37 (NLT)**

1. I MUST _____ MY HEART.

"If only you would prepare your heart and lift up your hands to him in prayer! Get rid of your sins and leave all iniquity behind you. Then your face will brighten in innocence. You'll be strong and free of fear. You will forget your misery. It will all be gone like water under the bridge." **Job 11:13-16 (NLT)**

Then Joshua told the people, "Purify yourselves, for tomorrow the Lord will do great wonders among you." **Joshua 3:5 (NLT)**

MEMORY VERSE: "But if we confess our sins to God, he will keep his promise and do what is right: he will forgive us our sins and purify us from all our wrongdoing." **1 John 1:9 (GNB)**

"If you keep yourself pure, you will be a special utensil for honorable use. Your life will be clean, and you will be ready for the Master to use you for every good work." **2 Timothy 2:21 (NLT)**

2. I MUST _____ MY BODY.

Sanctify = to dedicate for special purposes

"Do not let any part of your body become an instrument of evil to serve sin. Instead, give yourselves completely to God, for you were dead, but now you have new life. So use your whole body as an instrument to do what is right for the glory of God."

Romans 6:13 (NLT)

"Don't you realize that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in you and was given to you by God? You do not belong to yourself, for God bought you with a high price. So you must honor God with your body." **1 Corinthians 6:19-20 (NLT)**

"It is senseless for you to work so hard from early morning until late at night, fearing you will starve to death; for God wants his loved ones to get their proper rest."

Psalms 127:2 (LB)

"Do not be drunk with wine, which will ruin you, but be filled with the Spirit." **Ephesians 5:18 (NCV)**

3. I MUST _____ MY SCHEDULE.

"Teach us to number our days and recognize how few they are; help us to spend them as we should." **Psalms 90:12 (LB)**

a) Make A Plan

- _____ **WHAT'S IMPORTANT**
- _____ **HOW MUCH TIME IS NEEDED**
- _____ **IT**

b) Be Ruthless with Distractions (3 Metaphors)

• **LIKE A _____ - I MUST STAY FREE**

"Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us." **Hebrews 12:1 (NIV)**

• **LIKE A _____ - I MUST STAY FLEXIBLE**

"Soldiers don't get tied up in the affairs of civilian life, for then they cannot please the officer who enlisted them." **2 Timothy 2:4 (NLT)**

• **LIKE A _____ - I MUST STAY FOCUSED**

Jesus replied, "No one who puts a hand to the plow and looks back is fit for service in the kingdom of God." **Luke 9:62 (NIV)**

But Jesus told him, "Anyone who lets himself be distracted from the work I plan for him is not fit for the Kingdom of God." **Luke 9:62 (LB)**

4. I MUST _____ MY FAITH.

"Strengthen yourselves so that you will live here on earth doing what God wants, not the evil things people want." **1 Peter 4:2 (NCV)**

"But you, dear friends, by building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit." **Jude 20 (NIV)**

"Don't waste time arguing over foolish ideas and silly myths and legends. Spend your time and energy in the exercise of keeping spiritually fit." **1 Timothy 4:7 (LB)**