

Fruit of the Spirit in Action... Making a Difference

Sunday May 17, 2020

Series: Galatians– Living Above the Conflict

“Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice; and he fell on his face at Jesus’ feet, giving him thanks. Now he was a Samaritan.” *Luke 17:15–16 ESV*

“Then Jesus answered, “Were not ten cleansed? Where are the nine?” *Luke 17:17 ESV*

Focus On My Graduation Day !

“And let us not grow weary of doing good, for in due season we will reap, if we do not give up.”
Galatians 6:9 ESV

Three Helps to Staying Focused on Ministry !

1. Stay Focused on Serving Jesus

“And let us not grow weary of doing good...” *Galatians 6:9a ESV*

“Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.” *Hebrews 12:1–2 ESV*

“Consider him who endured from sinners such hostility against himself, so that you may not grow weary or fainthearted.” *Hebrews 12:3 ESV*

2. Stay Focused on My Spiritual Reward!

“...for in due season we will reap..”

Galatians 6:9b ESV

“His master said to him, ‘Well done, good and faithful servant. You have been faithful over a little; I will set you over much. Enter into the joy of your master.’”

Matthew 25:23 ESV

3. Stay Focused on Doing God’s Will (for my life)!

“...if we do not give up.”

Galatians 6:9c ESV

“Meanwhile the disciples were urging him, saying, ‘Rabbi, eat.’ But he said to them, ‘I have food to eat that you do not know about.’”

John 4:31–32 ESV

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Will I Make a Difference for Jesus Today?

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