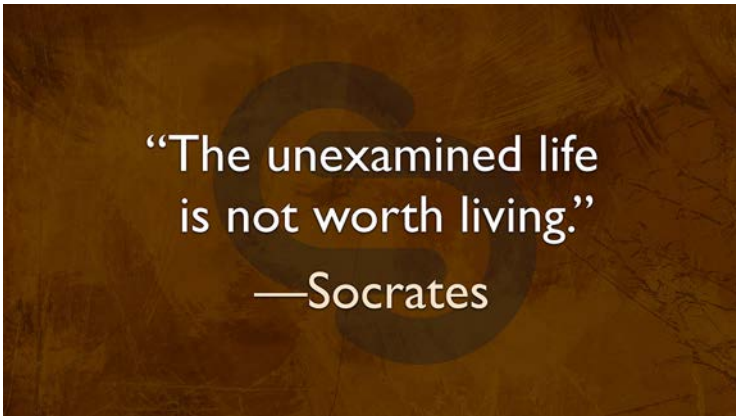




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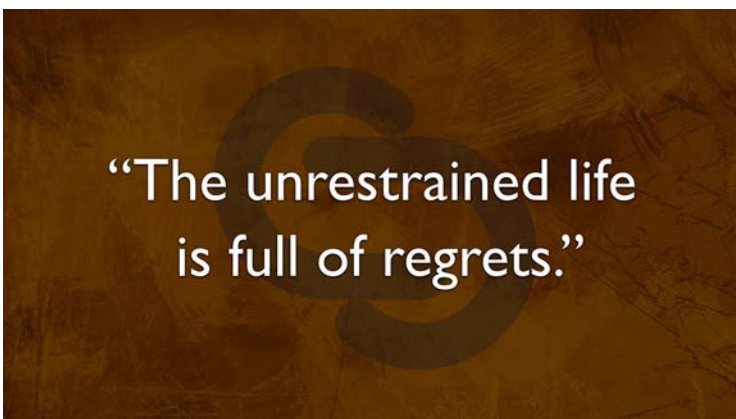
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Where do men resist and resent restraint?

- Appetite

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... ²and put a knife to your throat if you are given to gluttony... ¹⁹Listen, my son, and be wise, and set your heart on the right path: ²⁰Do not join those who drink too much wine or gorge themselves on meat, ²¹for drunkards and gluttons become poor, and drowsiness clothes them in rags...

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²⁹Who has woe? Who has sorrow? Who has strife? Who has complaints? Who has needless bruises? Who has bloodshot eyes? ³⁰Those who linger over wine, who go to sample bowls of mixed wine. ³¹Do not gaze at wine when it is red, when it sparkles in the cup, when it goes down smoothly! ³²In the end it bites like a snake and poisons like a viper.

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³³Your eyes will see strange sights, and your mind will imagine confusing things. ³⁴You will be like one sleeping on the high seas, lying on top of the rigging. ³⁵"They hit me," you will say, "but I'm not hurt! They beat me, but I don't feel it! When will I wake up so I can find another drink?"
—Proverbs 23:2, 19-21, 29-35

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Where do men resist and resent restraint?

- Appetite
- Anger

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Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret—it leads only to evil. —Psalm 37:8

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The wise fear the Lord and shun evil,
but a fool is hotheaded and yet feels
secure. A quick-tempered person
does foolish things, and the one who
devises evil schemes is hated.

—Proverbs 14:16-17

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Where do men resist and resent restraint?

- Appetite
- Anger
- Wealth

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“Do not wear yourself out
to become rich; be wise
enough to restrain yourself.”

—Proverbs 23:4

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Where do men resist and resent restraint?

- Appetite
- Anger
- Wealth
- Lust

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The lips of a seductive woman are oh so sweet,
her soft words are oh so smooth. But it won't
be long before she's gravel in your mouth, a pain
in your gut, a wound in your heart... So, my
friend, listen closely; don't treat my words
casually. Keep your distance from such a woman;
absolutely stay out of her neighborhood.

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You don't want to squander your wonderful
life, to waste your precious life among the
hardhearted. Why should you allow strangers
to take advantage of you? Why be exploited by
those who care nothing for you? You don't
want to end your life full of regrets, nothing but
sin and bones, saying, “Oh, why didn't I do what
they told me? Why did I reject a disciplined life?

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Why didn't I listen to my mentors, or take my teachers seriously? My life is ruined! I haven't one blessed thing to show for my life!"... Mark well that God doesn't miss a move you make; He's aware of every step you take. The shadow of your sin will overtake you; you'll find yourself stumbling all over yourself in the dark. Death is the reward of an undisciplined life; your foolish decisions trap you in a dead end. —Proverbs 5:3-4, 7-14, 21-23

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"For she has cast down many wounded, and all who were slain by her were strong men."

Proverbs 7:26

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"It's not just weak men who fall, but strong men in the wrong place at the wrong time with the wrong thoughts and for the wrong reasons." —John MacArthur

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How can men develop and demonstrate restraint?

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¹⁶But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

¹⁷For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do.

—Galatians 5:16-17

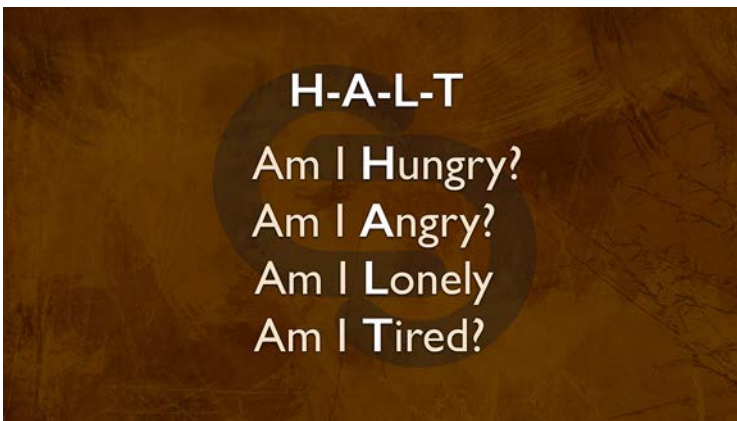
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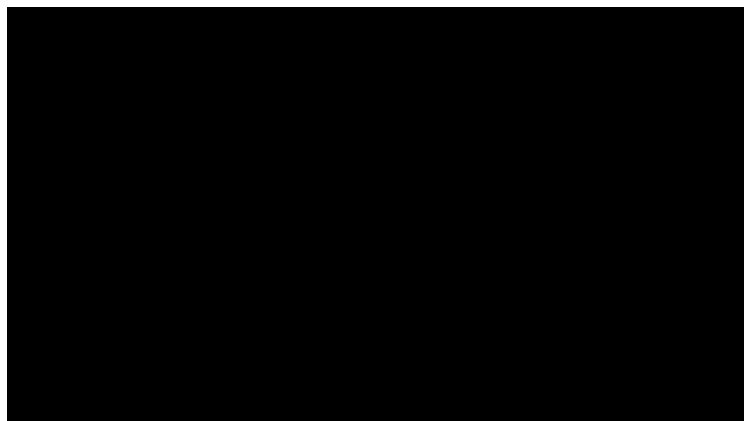
GOD IS FAITHFUL.
HE WILL NOT LET YOU BE TEMPTED BEYOND WHAT YOU CAN BEAR. BUT WHEN YOU ARE TEMPTED, HE WILL ALSO PROVIDE A WAY OUT SO THAT YOU CAN STAND UP UNDER IT.



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