

Extreme Makeover Series

“Time To Change”

Philippians 3:12-14

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Introduction:

- A. Often when we try to make progress we take “ _____ steps forward and _____ steps back.”
- B. On our journey to freedom, there are two obstacles we must conquer:
1. We must not _____.
 2. We must not let _____ stop us.
- C. Real life-change is a _____ not an _____.

I. Principle #1 - Lay Claim to the _____.

- A. Our first step in life-change is not _____ something, but _____ something. (Heb. 11:6; Mt. 19:26; Rom. 6:6-7; Phil. 4:13; Heb. 4:15-16)
- B. The process of life-change begins as we claim those promises and _____ upon them. (2 Cor. 10:5; Rom. 12:2)

II. Principle #2 - Play on A New _____.

- A. We need to be closely _____ with people who are going to help us reach our spiritual goals. (Heb. 3:13; Gal. 6:1)

III. Principle #3 - Walk in the _____.

- A. We must pray to be _____ with and _____ by the Spirit. (Rom. 8:6-14; Gal. 5:16-18)

IV. Principle #4 - Stay in the _____.

- A. Everybody gets _____ down; successful people refuse to _____ down. (Heb. 10:36; 12:1-3)

Conclusion:

- A. The only way that any of us can finish the Christian Race is with our _____ help.
- B. We need to _____ God’s _____ for a change.

Answer Key: Intro.A. three, two. B.1. travel, alone. B.2. discouragement. C. process, event. I. Promises. I.A. doing, believing. II. Team. II.A. connected. III. Spirit. III.A. filled, controlled. IV. Game. IV.A. knocked, stay. Concl.A. Father’s. B. embrace, love.