



So We Would Know

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2. _____ is an ominous responsibility.
3. The complete purpose of our lives is to _____ !
4. Jesus put aside His rightful position, power, authority and glory for three higher purposes:
 - a. _____ of Himself
 - b. _____ to God
 - c. _____ of ungrateful man
5. The way I live my life ... my attitude ... boils down to the purpose for which I live. Who or what is my life _____ towards?

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6. Jesus focused on two things:

- a. Glory to God in His _____
- b. The Glory that was His in heaven ... when He got _____.

7. Life will not always be going well so we need to _____ on where we are going.

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2 Timothy 4:7 I have fought a good fight, I have finished the race, and I have remained faithful. ⁸ And now the prize awaits me — the crown of righteousness that the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give me on that great day of His return. And the prize is not just for me but for all who eagerly look forward to His glorious return. NLT

8. When I really, absolutely, positively know that I have been given _____ in _____, it should help me give any and all glory back to God.

9. Life is a matter of focus more than a matter of endurance. If you simply endure you will wear out. If you keep focused on purpose you will _____ the _____.

Hebrews 12:1 Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a huge crowd of witnesses to the life of faith, let us strip off every weight that slows us down, especially the sin that so easily hinders our progress. And let us run with endurance the race that God has set before us. ² We do this by keeping our eyes on Jesus, on whom our faith depends from start to finish. He was willing to die a shameful death on the cross because of the joy He knew would be His afterward. Now He is seated in the place of highest honor beside God's throne in heaven.

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