

## “God and I are going to...”

“We should work as if everything depended upon our efforts, and pray as if everything depended upon God” Saint Augustine

### Philippians 2:12-13

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My Part: \_\_\_\_\_

God’s Part: \_\_\_\_\_

God gives us the \_\_\_\_\_ to do what He wants us to do.

Make the next right \_\_\_\_\_.

God is \_\_\_\_\_ you.

“Christ in you, the hope of glory.”—Colossians 1:27

“I am crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but it is Christ who lives in me.”—Galatians 2:20

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Don’t \_\_\_\_\_ to places you wouldn’t want him to go with you.

Don’t \_\_\_\_\_ you wouldn’t want to do with Him.

### Philippians 1:6

“<sup>6</sup> being confident of this, that He who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus.”

### MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO...

- Memorize Philippians 2:12-13 this week.
- Let God work in me to will and to act in order to fulfill His good purpose.
- Do my part and work out my salvation (Sanctification or in other words living a life that is pleasing to God)
- Turn to God and receive His forgiveness and new life by accepting Jesus Christ and trusting my life in His hands.

# Romans 6:1-4, 11-14



<sup>1</sup> What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? <sup>2</sup> By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer? <sup>3</sup> Or don't you know that all of us who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?

4 We were therefore buried with him through baptism into death in order that, just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.

11 In the same way, count yourselves dead to sin but alive to God in Christ Jesus.

12 Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body so that you obey its evil desires.

13 Do not offer any part of yourself to sin as an instrument of wickedness,

but rather offer yourselves to God as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer every part of yourself to him as an instrument of righteousness. <sup>14</sup> For sin shall no longer be your master, because you are not under the law, but under grace.

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Hebrews 11:6 “without faith it is **impossible** to please God.”

Without faith in Jesus it impossible to live a Godly life, but with Him it is possible.

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We both have work to do.

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My Part: work out

God's Part: work in

Ephesians 2:8-9

Paul says “For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.”

God gives us the  
**Energy / power** to do  
what He wants us to do.

## Hebrews 12:1–2

<sup>1</sup> 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, <sup>2</sup> fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith.

Our job:

- Throw off
  - Everything that hinders
  - Sin that entangles us
- Run with perseverance

Jesus' job:

- Pioneer our faith
- Perfect our faith

Make the next right **decision**.

God is **in** you.

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