



Created to Become Like Christ

"For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son" Romans 8:29

"that we should no longer be children,...[but] may grow up in all things into Him who is the head—Christ" Ephesians 4:15

MY 3rd PURPOSE IN LIFE IS _____

"Discipleship"

"And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose." Romans 8:28

THREE UNEXPECTED TOOLS GOD USES

1. TROUBLE TO TEACH US TO _____ HIM.

"tribulation produces perseverance; and perseverance, character; and character, hope." Romans 5:3-4

"Then they came to a place which was named Gethsemane; and He said to His disciples, "Sit here while I pray."...and He began to be troubled and deeply distressed. Then He said to them, "My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even to death..." Mark 14:32-34

"He said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You will." Mark 14:36

- **Keep a _____**

"Now Moses wrote down the starting points of their journeys at the command of the LORD." Num. 33:2

- **Remember the _____**

"For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, is working for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory," 2 Corinthians 4:17

2. TEMPTATIONS TO TEACH US TO _____

"Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil." Matthew 4:1

"Then Jesus said to him, "Away with you, Satan! For it is written, "You shall worship the LORD your God, and Him only you shall serve."" Matthew 4:10

- **Keep focused on _____**

"whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, ...meditate on these things." Philippians 4:8

- **Find spiritual _____**

"Two are better than one, ...for if they fall, one will lift up his companion. But woe to him who is alone when he

falls, for he has no one to help him up.” Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

3. TRESSPASSES TO TEACH US TO _____

“And those who passed by blasphemed Him...Likewise the chief priests also, mocking with the scribes and elders...Even the robbers who were crucified with Him reviled Him with the same thing.” Matthew 27:39-44

*“Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do.””
Luke 23:34*

- **Remember God has _____**
“...forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32
- **Remember God is _____**
“But as for you, you meant evil against me; but God meant it for good, in order to bring it about as it is this day, to save many people alive” Gen. 50:20

***“if indeed we suffer with Him,
that we may also be glorified together.”
Romans 8:1***