

"Having An Eye on Eternity, Do Not Lose Heart" (2 Corinthians 4:16-18)

The main proposition we can take away from this passage is that the right focus results in the right endurance which results in the right response in time regardless of circumstances.

* The negatives in Paul's life included... (4:8-9)

1. Being _____ on every side

* hard pressed

2. Being _____ as to what to do

* perplexed

3. Being _____ on the way

* persecuted

4. Being _____ in the process

* struck down

* The adequate grace in Paul's life included...

1. NOT being _____

* crushed

2. NOT being in _____

* despair

3. NOT being _____

* forsaken

4. NOT being _____

* destroyed

* What does it mean to "lose heart"?

* Not Losing Heart Requires....

I. Daily Spiritual _____ (4:16)

II. Diligent Spiritual Recognition of the _____ of Trials (4:17)

* Affliction

* Light

* Momentary

* Working for

* Weight

III. Deliberate Spiritual _____ on the Eternal (4:18)

* Look

* What does this mean to you?