

"WHILE DOING GOOD"

(Galatians 6:1 – 10)

INTRODUCTION - (v9) "And let us not grow weary **while doing good**,
for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart."

"Not grow weary" / "not lose heart" - worn out, tired out, burned out; drained.
Yes, get tired from "doing good; **but, not of** "doing good."
Refresh and re-charge; then, get up and get back to "doing good."

"While going good" - (v10) "Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all,
especially to those who are of the household of faith."

"For in due season we shall reap" - don't quit and don't give up on "doing good."
(1 Corinthians 15:58) "... knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."

Note other admonitions: (Luke 18:1) "pray, and not lose heart"
(2 Corinthians 4:1) "we do not lose heart" (2 Thessalonians 3:13) "do not
grow weary in doing good" (Hebrews 6:12) "do not become sluggish"
(Hebrews 12:3) "For consider Him ... lest you become weary and discouraged"

ATTITUDES AND ACTIONS TO ENCOURAGE US

1. PHRASE: "Obstacles are what you see when you take your eyes off the goal."

(Matthew 6:33) "Seek first" (Colossians 3:1-2) "Seek" "Set your mind"
You and I will walk in the direction in which we are looking.
Too many people do not want to pay the price for success; however,
they willingly pay the price for failure.

2. EXAMPLE OF APOSTLE PAUL

Obstacles: (2 Corinthians 4:8-10) "hard pressed ... perplexed ... persecuted ...
struck down" Note also: (Chapter 6:3-5 and 11:23-28)
Goal: (Philippians 3:12) "I press on" (v14) "I press toward the goal ... "
(2 Timothy 4:7-8) "fought the good fight, finished the course, kept the faith"

3. EXAMPLE OF JESUS

Obstacles: (John 6:66) "many of His disciples went back"
(John 7:1) "Jews sought to kill Him" (Matthew 26:21) "you were not willing"
(Matthew 26:21) "one of you will betray Me"
Goal: (John 5:30) "I do not seek My own will" (John 6:38) "not to do My own
will" (Luke 22:41-42) "nevertheless not My will, but Yours be done"

4. (1 Cor. 15:58) "YOUR LABOR IS NOT IN VAIN" (text) "WE SHALL REAP"