

## **LIFE AUDIT - PART 2**

Text: Philippians 3:1-12

- 1. Examine where you've been**
- 2. Establish where you are**
- 3. Embrace where you are going.**

### **1. E\_\_\_\_\_ where you've been**

Luke 9:62

Illustration: City of Regret

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*Firstly*, recognize it for what it is - the past.

*Secondly*, recognize Satan's hand in it.

*Thirdly*, change the way you respond to past memories.

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### **2. Establish where you are.**

"the first responsibility of a leader is to define reality"— Max Dupree

*"not that I have already obtained all this..."*

*"He was not simply exchanging one religion for another; it was not one system of rites and ceremonies giving place to a superior system; or one set of doctrines, rules and regulations making way for a better one... He had come in contact with a divine Person, the once crucified, but now glorified Christ of God. He had been won by that Person forever, and for His sake he counted all else but loss... Christ, and Christ alone, meets every need of the soul."* Dr. Harry Ironside

"That I may gain Christ" - What does he mean?

It means *KNOWING* four things.

i. Knowing His **P**\_\_\_\_\_

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ii. Knowing His **P**\_\_\_\_\_

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iii. Knowing His **P**\_\_\_\_\_

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iv. Knowing His **P**\_\_\_\_\_

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Reality lets you **stand**, dreams let you **soar**.

'sometimes you have to look reality in the eye ..... and deny it.'  
Garrison Keifer

**3.E**\_\_\_\_\_ **where you are going.**

*Do you see what this means—all these pioneers who blazed the way, all these veterans cheering us on? It means we'd better get on with it. Strip down, start running—and never quit! No extra spiritual fat, no parasitic sins. Keep your eyes on Jesus, who both began and finished this race we're in. Study how he did it. Because he never lost sight of where he was headed—that exhilarating finish in and with God—he could put up with anything along the way: Cross, shame, whatever. And now he's there, in the place of honor, right alongside God. When you find yourselves flagging in your faith, go over that story again, item by item, that long litany of hostility he ploughed through. That will shoot adrenaline into your souls! (Heb. 12:1-2)*

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"There are many things that will catch my **eye**, but there are only a few things that will catch my **heart**. It is those things I will pursue. "