

# How to Finish Well

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## I. Introduction.

- A. Not all believers finish well.
- B. There are certain things one must believe to finish well.

## II. God is in control of your life.

- A. What people mean for evil God means for good. (Genesis 50:20; Romans 8:28)
- B. The alternative is bitterness.

## III. The Bible is important.

- A. The Word of God needs to be taken in on a regular basis.
- B. The life is confused without a regular dose of the Word of God.

## IV. The individual is important. (I Corinthians 12)

- A. God made each person special.
- B. Weaknesses are as much strength as gifts because they make a person depend on the body of Christ.
- C. The alternative is despair.

## V. The life of the believer is service.

- A. We are called to be servants.
- B. The alternative is inner conflict.

### **Application questions:**

1. How does an understanding of God's control help one in the face of suffering?

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2. What role does the Bible play in your life? How can you encourage this discipline further?

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3. How can you serve your community in a greater way? Explain.

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