

Spiritual Resolve  
Resolutions for 2013  
Philippians 3:12-14

Today's Challenge: I will seek \_\_\_\_\_'s desire for me in 2013.

If God were to make my New's Year's resolutions, they might be:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

In Philippians 3:12, Paul is talking about a goal he is trying to reach. Who set this goal for Paul? \_\_\_\_\_

Paul did not focus on the \_\_\_\_\_ of when this goal would be completed, but instead focused on endurance.

Paul simply had to keep his \_\_\_\_\_

conditioned and be \_\_\_\_\_ to God's calling.

Paul's failures were part of the \_\_\_\_\_ that God was doing in Paul's life.

Just like Paul in Philippians 3:13, I don't always have to

understand God's \_\_\_\_\_ or

\_\_\_\_\_ for my life. I just need to trust and

\_\_\_\_\_.

Paul saw his past as a \_\_\_\_\_ to get to the \_\_\_\_\_.

Paul's New Year's resolution was set by \_\_\_\_\_.

God's resolution is far \_\_\_\_\_

easier to \_\_\_\_\_ and longer

\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ holds the timing and knows how the \_\_\_\_\_ will unfold, not me.

Proverbs 16:33 says.... We may throw the dice, but the \_\_\_\_\_ determines how they fall.

Steps I can take this year

(1) Recognize that God does have a plan for you, just as He did for Paul.

(2) Stay in God's Word

(3) Do not strive for perfection, instead, trust the pefector.

(4) Spend time each day with the Lord.

(5) Do not focus on mistakes, but remember that your past is simply a journey to the present.

(6) Surrender areas of your life that you have not surrendered.