Visions and Dreams, 4

"Dream Killers"

Proverbs 29:18 (KJV)

Vision = Goals / Dreams / Hope / Desire

- Proverbs 13:12 "Hope deferred makes the heart sick; but when the desire comes, it's a tree of life."
- Mark 11:24 (ref)

Psalms 22:9 (KJV)

- 1) God put hope in our hearts as children
- 2) Over time...set backs,

betrayals,

opposition

3) Vision Assassins

Hope Stealers and Snatchers

Dream Killers (Blockers and Stoppers)

[Dream Killers] - "God in Jesus has provided victory over all of these."

- #1 Family
- #2 Friends
- #3 Failure
- #4 Fatigue
- #5 Fear

#1 FAMILY

Mark 6:3 & 4 (KJV) (NLT)

Country / Kin / Own house

Genesis 12:1 (KJV)

Country / Kindred / Own house

Genesis 37:17 (Joseph)

"His brothers hated him"

"Here comes the dreamer"

- "It doesn't have to be this way!"
- "Families can support one another"

#2 FRIENDS

- We are to be friendly to everyone
- Jesus was a friend to sinners and publicans
- II Corinthians 6:14 (ref)
- I Corinthians 15:33 (ref)
- Proverbs 13:20 (ref)

#3 FAILURE (a real dream killer)

Proverbs 24:16 (KJV)

Moral Failures?

Vocational Failures?

Example - Wright Brothers?

Example - Thomas Edison?

Example - Moses?

Failing is a part of the human condition

Failure is an unaccepted address where demons and doubt hang out!!

#4 FATIGUE

#5 FEAR