

## Biblical Leadership

### Personal Vision:

“Your destiny (personal vision) is the customized life calling God has ordained and equipped you to accomplish in order to bring Him the greatest glory and achieve the maximum expansion of his kingdom.”

“When your life is filled with purpose, you measure what you have done according to what you were created to do.”

Tony Evans  
*Discover Your Destiny*

### Discovering Personal Vision:

#### 1 – Be willing to do what God wants you to do!

Isaiah 6:8, “Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, ‘Whom shall I send, and who will go for Us?’ Then I said, ‘Here I am. *Send me!*’”

Nehemiah 2:5, “I said to the king, ‘If it please the king and if your servant has found favor before you, *send me* to Judah, to the city of my fathers’ tombs, that I may rebuild it.”

Romans 12:1-2, “I urge you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service of worship. And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.

#### 2 – Pray!

Nehemiah 1:4, “...and I was fasting and praying before the God of heaven.”

Nehemiah 1:6, “...hear the prayer of your servant which I am praying before you now, day and night...”

Nehemiah 2:4, “...So I prayed to the God of heaven.”

Nehemiah 4:9, “But we prayed to our God...”

Nehemiah 2:11-12, “...I did not tell anyone what my God was putting into my mind to do for Jerusalem.”

Daniel 9:4, 20ff, “I prayed to the Lord God...Now while I was still speaking in prayer, then the man Gabriel...came to me...and He gave me instruction...”

#### 3 – Practice!

Involvement opens the door for God to show you more!

“He gives you enough for you to take the next step on the path to your destiny. But as you take that step, remember that you are heading to something that has the potential to be so much larger than what you think right now.” Tony Evans

Ephesians 5:15-16, “Be careful how you walk, not as unwise men but as wise, making the most of your time, because the days are evil. So then do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.”

#### 4 – Persevere!

Don’t give up when the going gets rough. Your personal vision fuels your fire and helps you stay the course.

Romans 8:25, “If we hope for what we do not see, with perseverance we wait eagerly for it.”

## PRAY – PREPARE - PERSEVERE

### Think about it...

- 1 – What way(s) has God blessed you that He wants you to share with others?
- 2 – Have you ever taken a step of faith to follow God’s leading?
- 3 – Do you have a dream (vision) for what God wants you to do with your life?
- 4 – What lights your fire for God?

