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LIFE
LESSONS
FROM ALMOST 50
YEARS OF SERVING
JESUS

DANIEL 6:1-4

It pleased Darius to appoint 120 satraps to rule throughout the kingdom, **2.** with three administrators over them, one of whom was Daniel. The satraps were made accountable to them so that the king might not suffer loss. **3.** Now Daniel so distinguished himself among the administrators and the satraps by his exceptional qualities that the king planned to set him over the whole kingdom. **4.** At this, the administrators and the satraps tried to find grounds for charges against Daniel in his conduct of government affairs, but they were unable to do so. They could find no corruption in him, because he was trustworthy and neither corrupt nor negligent.





- REMOVING "WHAT IF..." REGRETS

PHILIPPIANS 3:13-14

13. Brothers and sisters, I do not consider myself yet to have taken hold of it. But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, **14.** I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus.

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8 LIFE LESSONS I'VE LEARNED



1. ENJOY JESUS

JOHN 17:3

Now this is eternal life: that they know you, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom you have sent.



2 PURSUE YOUR DESTINY

PSALM 139:16

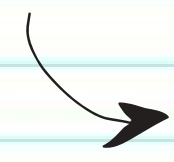
Your eyes saw my unformed body; all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.



3. CULTIVATE FRIENDSHIPS

JOHN 15:15

I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you.





4. ADJUST WITH SEASONS

ECCLESIASTES 3:1

There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens:



5. GUARD YOUR HEALTH

3 JOHN 2

Dear friend, I pray that you may enjoy good health and that all may go well with you, even as your soul is getting along well.



6. LOVE BY HUMBLLY SERVING

JOHN 13:17

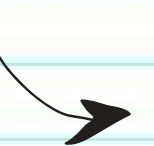
Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.



7. REMEMBER BREVITY OF LIFE

PSALM 39:4-5

4. "Show me, Lord, my life's end and the number of my days; let me know how fleeting my life is. 5. You have made my days a mere handbreadth; the span of my years is as nothing before you. Everyone is but a breath, even those who seem secure.

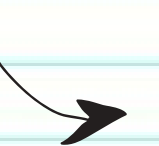


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PSALM 90:12

Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom.





MENE. TEKEL. PERES.



God hath
numbered thy
kingdom, and
finished it



Thou art
weighed in the
balances, and
art found
wanting



Thy kingdom is
divided, and
given to the
Medes and
Persians

(DANIEL V.17-31)

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8. SHARE THE GOSPEL CONSISTENTLY

LUKE 19:10

For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."



JEREMIAH 29:11

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."



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