THE SECRETS TO PAUL'S SPIRITUAL SUCCESS Philippians 3:12-16

1. Dissatisfaction

Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected...Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended... (12a, 13a)

2. Determination

...but I press on that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me. (12)

3. Devotion

Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do... (13)

4. Direction

...forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead, (13)

5. Dedication

I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. (14)

6. Discipline

Therefore let us, as many as are mature, have this mind; and if in anything you think otherwise, God will reveal even this to you. Nevertheless, to the degree that we have already attained, let us walk by the same rule, let us be of the same mind. (15-16)