FORGING AHEAD IN 2021

2 Timothy 2:1-4 January 3, 2021

We need a _____ greater than what we possess.

While our resources are _____, God makes His _____ resources available to us through Jesus.

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father. And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If ye shall ask any thing in my name, I will do it." John 14:12-14

We must follow the _____ of other godly men

and women.

"But thou hast fully known my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, charity, patience, Persecutions, afflictions, which came unto me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra; what persecutions I endured: but out of them all the Lord delivered me." 2 Timothy 3:10-11

"Brethren, be followers together of me, and mark them which walk so as ye have us for an ensample." Philippians 3:17

As Christians, we must also seek to _____ by example.

"Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity." 1 Timothy 4:12

Make it a habit to ______ with wise, godly

Christians who can help you grow.

"Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be yet wiser: teach a just man, and he will increase in learning." Proverbs 9:9

We need the appropriate ______ to complete the mission.

Go - _____ - Baptize - _____

"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: 20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen." Matthew 28:19-20

Every Christian should go through some form of

Disciple: Committed ______ of Jesus Discipleship: The ______ of becoming a committed follower of Jesus

Salvation is the _	of a moment, but discipleship
is the	of a lifetime.

We must recognize the _____ ahead.

"A sower went out to sow his seed: and as he sowed, some fell by the way side; and it was trodden down, and the fowls of the air devoured it. 6 And some fell upon a rock; and as soon as it was sprung up, it withered away, because it lacked moisture. 7 And some fell among thorns; and the thorns sprang up with it, and choked it. 8 And other fell on good ground, and sprang up, and bare fruit an hundredfold. And when he had said these things, he cried, He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." Luke 8:5-8

We must _____ a path and _____ to it.

"And Jesus said unto him, No man, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God." Luke 9:62

Seek the Lord daily.

Surround yourself with wise, godly friends.

Determine to make this year a year of personal growth and discipleship.

Setup boundaries in your life that keep you from going off track.