

# Take It Home: The Goals Series

## **Building a good foundation for setting good goals**

1. Deny Self – Matthew 16:24-25
2. Seek the Kingdom of God First – Matthew 6:33 Proverbs 3:6
3. Believe God's Will is Best – 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 4:2 1<sup>st</sup> John 2:17 Romans 12:2

## **Discovering Your Purpose**

1. God has the plan - Jeremiah 29:11
2. God knows all about you ask Him about YOU – Psalm 139
3. Knowing God Helps us discover our purpose
4. How God has made you is always on display
  - a. How others are seeing you?

## **Understanding Goals**

1. Short Term Goals
  - a. Daily – weekly
  - b. Do not have a long suspense.
  - c. The build up to long term goals
2. Long Term Goals
  - a. Monthly – yearly
  - b. Consists of a series of short term goals
3. Types of Goal Setters
  - a. Inactive – nonchalant about life/ lots of dreams but no plans to achieve/ unstable
  - b. Reactive – only seek goals when pushed/ environment and people determine your goals
  - c. Proactive – Initiates change/self-starter/dedicated to the process
4. Scripture Philippians 3:14

**Homework:** Read these scriptures to really get them in your spirit. I recommend writing out the scriptures on index cards. On the back of each index card, write a paraphrase of the scriptures. And ask God how to apply it to your life.

1. Proverbs 15:22
2. Proverbs 19:21
3. Isaiah 14:24
4. Jeremiah 29:11
5. Philippians 2:5
6. Ecclesiastes 3:1
7. Ephesians 5:15
8. Proverbs 12:5
9. Philippians 3:14
10. Matthew 16:24-25
11. Matthew 6:33
12. Proverbs 3:6
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15. Romans 12:2