

REBUILD

LESSONS FROM THE BOOK OF NEHEMIAH

Drawing a Conclusion

REBUILD: Lessons from the Book of Nehemiah #7

Sunday, October 18 | Tommy Duke

REBUILD PRINCIPLE:

- TO _____ IN GOD'S REBUILD, I HAVE TO REMAIN _____
:;> _____ TO HIS PURPOSE.

(See Nehemiah Chapter 6)

"...Sanballat and Geshem sent to me, saying, 'Come, let us meet together among the villages in the plain of Ono.' But they thought to do me harm." – Nehemiah 6:2

Memory Verse:

"...being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;" – Philippians 1:6

IF I AM TO SEE GOD'S PROJECT THROUGH TO COMPLETION, I MUST:

- _____ ON MY VITAL TASKS AND _____.

"So I sent messengers to them, saying, 'I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down. Why should the work cease while I leave it and go down to you?'" – Nehemiah 6:3

"But Jesus said to him, 'No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.'" – Luke 9:62

- IGNORE _____ TO DRAW MY _____ AWAY FROM
GOD'S ASSIGNMENT.

"But they sent me this message four times, and I answered them in the same manner. Then Sanballat sent his servant to me as before, the fifth time, with an open letter in his hand." – Nehemiah 6:4-5

- NEVER LET _____ STEAL MY _____.

"Then I sent to him, saying, 'No such things as you say are being done, but you invent them in your own heart.' For they all were trying to make us afraid, saying, 'Their hands will be weakened in the work, and it will not be done.' Now therefore, O God, strengthen my hands" – Nehemiah 6:8-9
"For this reason he was hired, that I should be afraid and act that way and sin, so that they might have cause for an evil report, that they might reproach me." – Nehemiah 6:13

“No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way of escape, that you may be able to bear it.” – 1 Corinthians 10:13

- **_____ AND REMAIN FAITHFUL TO _____ NO MATTER WHAT.**

“Afterward I came to the house of Shemaiah the son of Delaiah, the son of Mehetabel, who was a secret informer; and he said, ‘Let us meet together in the house of God, within the temple, and let us close the doors of the temple, for they are coming to kill you; indeed, at night they will come to kill you.’ And I said, ‘Should such a man as I flee? And who is there such as I who would go into the temple to save his life? I will not go in!’” – Nehemiah 6:10-11

- **STAY ON TASK UNTIL MY ASSIGNMENT _____ OR GOD CLEARLY _____ ME.**

“So the wall was finished on the twenty-fifth day of Elul, in fifty-two days. And it happened, when all our enemies heard of it, and all the nations around us saw these things, that they were very disheartened in their own eyes; for they perceived that this work was done by our God.” – Nehemiah 6:15-16

- **_____ IN WHAT GOD HAS CALLED ME TO DO, EVEN WHEN _____.**

“Also in those days the nobles of Judah sent many letters to Tobiah, and the letters of Tobiah came to them. For many in Judah were pledged to him, because he was the son-in-law of Shechaniah the son of Arah, and his son Jehohanan had married the daughter of Meshullam the son of Berechiah.” – Nehemiah 6:17-18

“I have glorified You on the earth. I have finished the work which You have given Me to do.” – John 17:4

MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO:

- Memorize Philippians 1:6.
- Commit today to stay focused on and faithful to that which God has called me to do (in my life, family, work, school, and church).
- Pray for God to empower, sustain, and complete His rebuilding work at FBC.
- Sign me up for Fall Group # _____.

- Helping with Trunk or Treat on Oct 31.
- Helping with OCC Boxes (Today at 4:45pm).

NEXT WEEK:

REBUILD Part 8 – Studying the Results

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