Growing Weary

Galatians 6:7-10

Exhortation To Do Good, Titus

- 1:16, "...disqualified for every good work."
- 2:14, "...zealous for good works."
- 3:1, "...to be ready for every good work,"
- 3:8, "...be careful to maintain good works.
- And not grow weary, <u>2 Th 3:13</u>, <u>Heb 12:1-3</u>

Lesson

- Reason for not growing weary
- Causes of weariness
- Remedy for weariness

Reasons for not growing weary

- Reap what we sow
- Glorify God, Matt 5:16
- Make the church grow
- Secure our own salvation, Phil 2:12

Causes of weariness in doing good

- Conflict with the ungodly
- Ingratitude of those we serve, Luke 17:11-19
- Indifference of others who should be serving
- Size and nature of the tasks to be done
- Opposition to plans for doing the Lord's work
- Fatigue
- Failure to see results

It is Never a Waste of Time Doing Good!

- Reward comes in the end of the harvest, the end of time. Matt 13:39, Luke 14:12-14, Jas 5:7
- We live in a hardened age and results come slowly, Ezek 2:3-8, 3:6-9
- Our responsibility is to plant and water. God gives the increase. <u>1 Cor 3:5-17</u>, <u>1 Cor 4:2</u>

Remedy for Weariness in Doing Good

- Prayer
- Study your Bibles, Rom 15:4
- Brotherly encouragement, Heb 10:24-25
- Trust in God's promises
- 1 Pet 5:5-7

CONCLUSION

- 1 Cor 15:58, "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."
- Gal 6:9, "And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart."