

2 Timothy 4:6-8 *For I am already being poured out like a drink offering, and the time has come for my departure. I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. Now there is in store for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will award to me on that day -- and not only to me, but also to all who have longed for His appearing.*

Inspired by the life of John Wooden, a devout Christian who lived by these traits and put them into his success pyramid:

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| 1. Enthusiasm | 10. Condition |
| 2. Cooperation | 11. Skill |
| 3. Loyalty | 12. Team Spirit |
| 4. Friendship | 13. Poise |
| 5. Industriousness | 14. Confidence |
| 6. Self-Control | 15. Competitive Greatness |
| 7. Alertness | 16. Success |
| 8. Initiative | 17. Faith |
| 9. Intentness | 18. Patience |

Text: John 21:1-21

I. For the Vision for Tomorrow we must FOCUS on Jesus and His vision.

John 21:15 *When they had finished eating, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you truly love Me more than these?"*

What was God thinking of when He first made you?

Jeremiah 1:5 *Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.*

II. We can lose focus and get sidetracked by the CARES of life, the DISAPPOINTMENTS of life, and the FEARS and INSECURITIES which can handicap us.

John 21:3 "I'm going out to fish," Simon Peter told them, and they said, "We'll go with you." So they went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing.

Where have you been placed to be a person of influence?

III. The vision is for us to focus on LOVING OTHERS.

John 21:15 "Yes, Lord," he said, "you know that I love you." Jesus said, "Feed My lambs."

What are you eating and what are you feeding others?

IV. Jesus doesn't give us all the DETAILS of His vision, but we are to FOLLOW Him.

John 21:19 Jesus said this to indicate the kind of death by which Peter would glorify God. Then He said to him, "Follow me!"

The Vision for Tomorrow calls us to:

1. walk by faith
2. be a disciple of Jesus Christ
3. love one another
4. be givers
5. live our S.H.A.P.E.
6. grow up
7. be empowered and to lead by God's Spirit
8. be a part of a community called church
9. be under authority
10. serve