BEING CHRISTIAN IN A HOSTILE WORLD

The Weight and Wait of Glory

2 Peter 3:14-18

1.	As Christians, we make it our <u>life's goal</u> to be ready
	to meet our God.

2. As Christians, we must avoid being deceived by growing in Jesus.

MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

- 1. How much does our view of the future impact our behavior in the present? Give some examples to support your opinion.
- 2. When you think about standing face-to-face with God and having your life review, what thoughts and feelings come to mind? (Romans 14:10; 1 Corinthians 3:10-15; 2 Corinthians 5:6-10) What does the truth that God holds us all accountable for how we live teach us about God himself?
- 3. God is at peace with us because of the sacrifice of Jesus. (Romans 5:1-2) What would it be like to stand before Him and learn that you had lived a life of conflict against God's will for you? (2 Peter 3:14; Matthew 6:19-34)
- 4. How can this group meaningfully challenge you to keep the coming Kingdom of Jesus in focus and continue to radically pursue God's will for your life? (Hebrews 10:24-25)

MEMORY VERSE

"So then, dear friends, since you are looking forward to this, make every effort to be found spotless, blameless and at peace with him."

2 Peter 3:14