

## RESTART YOUR PURPOSE Charging Up for Christmas

The Lord says, "Forget about what has happened before. Do not think about the past. [Instead] look at the new thing I am going to do."  
Isaiah 43:18-19 (NCV)

### HOW TO MAKE A FRESH S.T.A.R.T. IN 2017

**S**TOP \_\_\_\_\_

A man who refuses to admit his mistakes can never be successful. But if he confesses and forsakes them, he gets another chance.  
Prov. 28:13 (LB)

#### COMMON CAUSES OF FAILURE

➤ **We don't** \_\_\_\_\_

A sensible man watches for problems and prepares to meet them. The fool never looks ahead and suffers the consequences.  
Prov. 27:12 (LB)

➤ **We don't** \_\_\_\_\_

Plans fail without good advice. Prov. 15:22 (NCV)

➤ **We** \_\_\_\_\_

If you give up when trouble comes, it shows that you are weak.  
Prov. 24:10 (NCV)

**T**AKE \_\_\_\_\_

You have experienced many things. Were all those experiences wasted? I hope not!  
Gal. 3:4 (ICB)

#### ASK:

➤ **What have** \_\_\_\_\_ ?

➤ **What are** \_\_\_\_\_ ?

➤ **Who** \_\_\_\_\_ ?

## **A**CT IN FAITH

According to your faith will it be done to you. Matt. 9:29

We should make plans – counting on God to direct us.  
Prov. 16:9 (LB)

Being afraid of people can get you into trouble.  
Prov. 29:25 (NCV)

If you are a follower of Christ Jesus... All that matters is your faith that makes you love others. You were doing so well until someone made you turn from the truth.  
Gal. 5:6-7 (CEV)

**R**EFOCUS \_\_\_\_\_

Be careful how you think; your life is shaped by your thoughts.  
Prov. 4:23 (GN)

Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will know what God wants you to do, and you will know how good and pleasing and perfect his will really is.  
Rom. 12:2 (NLT)

Happy are those who... are always meditating on God's Word... They are like trees along a river... that do not dry up. They succeed in everything they do.  
Psa. 1:1-3 (GN)

**T**RUST GOD \_\_\_\_\_

You will not succeed by your own strength or power, but by My Spirit,' says the Lord.  
Zech. 4:6 (NCV)

When someone becomes a Christian, he becomes a brand new person inside. He is not the same any more. A new life has begun!  
2 Cor. 5:17 (LB)

We keep on praying for you, asking our God to enable you to live a life worthy of his call. May he give you the power to accomplish all the good things your faith prompts you to do. 2 Thes. 1:11