

Growth Killers: Living in the Future

James 4:13-17

Faith Baptist Church 9-13-15

-Philippians 3:12-14

-Matthew 6:31-34

It's a mistake to make _____ plans. -Romans 1:18

It's a mistake to place your hope in your _____ future.

-Philippians 3:19-21

It's a mistake to live for _____.

-Matthew 6:24

-1 Timothy 6:6-10

It's a mistake to live in the future.

-We have far less _____ than we want to admit.

-We are far more _____ than we want to admit.

For believers in Jesus Christ, life is about discovering _____ will, not imposing our own.

-His _____ will is clear in the Bible and applies to all believers.

-His _____ will is discovered by Spirit-led believers who are already seeking to obey His revealed will.

Life is a _____, not a guarantee.

_____ our plans should start with God's will, not our own.

Godless plans reveal sinful _____.

The time for obedience is _____.

Life Application Questions:

1. In what areas of your life have you failed to include God in your plans?
2. What future events are you placing your hope in? How certain are they?
3. Are there parts of God's revealed will that you're not obeying?
4. Have you ever experienced clear direction from God? Did you obey? How did things turn out?