

## What's your plan for living a profoundly effective life for God?

### HOW DO YOU TRULY MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR THE GLORY OF GOD?

Use The Four Priorities Planner as a guide to live intentionally, by God's grace and in His strength, following Jesus every step of the way.

### GOD IS SO GRACIOUS TO GIVE US NEW BEGINNINGS.

Lamentations 3:22-23 tells us that God's compassion and mercy is "new" every single day. And today is a new beginning— whether you are doing this on the first month of a new year, or on a regular Tuesday. This is your chance to *begin again!*

### LET'S GET STARTED!

Grab a pen, a journal or notebook, your calendar, and anything else you use to document your life (i.e. your phone). **Print this guide, fold it down the middle, and focus on one step at a time!**



## STEP 1: REFLECT & REMOVE

### THINK THROUGH THE PAST YEAR:

- What did you learn last year?
- What did God do in your life?
- How did you grow? What did you waste?
- What did you lose? What did you gain?

**In your journal, make 2 columns for "Reflect" and "Remove ."**

Then, with the questions above in mind, prayerfully look back at your calendar and photos to reflect on your year. Ask the Holy Spirit to help you remember and show you what needs to be removed.

Do this in small bites, focusing on a small section of time. *Remember, if you're new to this – you won't recall everything – and you don't need to.* Just notice what stands out and write it down.



## STEP 2: RECALIBRATE & REFOCUS

### PAUSE, PRAY AND LISTEN:

Ask the Holy Spirit to help you think through the questions below, and then record in your journal what he shows you.

### WHERE DO YOU WANT TO BE ONE YEAR FROM TODAY?

- **[Priority 1]** How do you want to grow and develop in your faith and love for God?
- **[Priority 2]** How do you want to grow and develop so that you can become the person who God created you to be?
- **[Priority 3]** How do you want to grow and develop in your relationships?
- **[Priority 4]** What kind of an impact do you want to make on the world you live in?



## STEP 3: RESET YOUR AIM

Here's the fun part! Let's do a brain dump.

In your journal, draw a square. Then, split it into 4 quadrants and label each quadrant:

<p><b>PRIORITY 1: SPIRITUALLY</b></p>	<p><b>PRIORITY 2: PERSONALLY</b> (MENTALLY, PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY)</p>
<p><b>PRIORITY 3: RELATIONALLY</b></p>	<p><b>PRIORITY 4: THE WORLD</b></p>

Review where you want to be one year from today (Step 2) and then write down the actions in each quadrant for what you think needs to happen to help you get there.

**Don't worry - you won't tackle all these ideas at the same time!**

Perfect people don't exist - but we do want to progress forward. For now, just focus on getting your ideas on paper.



## STEP 4: RECLAIM YOUR YEAR

Remember, progress - not perfection - is the aim.

You can easily overwhelm yourself with too many new ideas, so let's start small. Once you've incorporated one into your life, consider adding another!

**Ready? Ask the Lord to help you with where to focus first.**

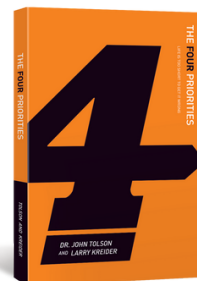
Choose one new idea from your box (step 3). In your journal, write down the specifics for how you plan to add it to your life.

**Be very specific - consider these elements as you write it down:**

- What are you going to do?
- How will you do it?
- When will you start?
- Who will you share this with to encourage you to stay on track?

**That's it! Now get to it!** This is the year that God wants to do exceedingly, abundantly more than you could ever ask or think. (Ephesians 3:20-21) So, *let Him!*

**"MAKE A CAREFUL EXPLORATION OF WHO YOU ARE AND THE WORK YOU HAVE BEEN GIVEN, AND THEN SINK YOURSELF INTO THAT. DON'T BE IMPRESSED WITH YOURSELF. DON'T COMPARE YOURSELF WITH OTHERS. EACH OF YOU MUST TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR DOING THE CREATIVE BEST YOU CAN WITH YOUR OWN LIFE." GALATIANS 6:4-5 MSG**



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