



July 16, 2023 • Acts Part 25b - Take up your Cross

Scripture References

2 Corinthians 11:24-27 • Romans 8:17-18 • 2 Timothy 4:5-8
James 1:12 • John 12:26 • Luke 9:23-24 • Romans 3:23-28
Romans 8:28-29 • Psalms 139:23-24 • James 2:14; 17-18
John 12:24 • 1 Corinthians 15:36 • 2 Corinthians 5:18-20
Colossians 4:2-6

- 1) The Bible speaks of believers receiving eternal rewards. It uses the term “crowns;” the crown of _____, the crown of _____, the crown of never-ending glory and honor.
- 2) As believers, we must never _____ that the cross is not just the symbol of Christ’s voluntary death, but also of our own voluntary death.

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- 3) God loves you and _____ you just as you are, but he loves you too much to _____ you that way.
- 4) We follow Jesus by laying down our own lives and _____ taking up the cross of our own sacrifice.
- 5) A _____ Faith produces good deeds. Faith and good deeds go together like the two blades of scissors. Without both blades your scissors will not work.
- 6) A _____ must die in order to produce new life.
- 7) The Bible says it is our _____ to reach out to people with the good news of reconciliation with God.
- 8) Sometimes we do things we don’t want to do because we know they’re _____.
- 9) The main ability God looks for in his people is their _____.
- 10) When someone does something amazing for you, a natural response is “_____?”