

Hebrews 12:1 ESV "Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,"

Is it okay to be dissatisfied with where we are? Is it good to cry out for more? Is it good to have your eye on the future? Is it right to live with longing? Does your Faith produce expectancy? Spiritual dissatisfaction can ignite right living.

John 10:10 AMP The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance **Ito the full, till it overflows**.

It is the desire for **more** that makes me want to follow (and learn and hear and imitate) my Lord, Jesus, because I want to experience all that He has for me.

More: Connection More: Understanding More: Influence More: Time More: Fun More: Rest

What I have also realized that this process is never-ending. If you are on a journey of continued growth, you will constantly come to a place that no longer serves you. Relationships that no longer serve you, beliefs that need to be re-examined, ways of life and ways of coping that no longer fit.

Be brave enough to listen. Close the doors that need to be closed and make space for the greatness ahead. God's plans for you are great and fulfilling and always MORE than you can imagine.

Ephesians 3:20-21 AMP "Now to Him who is able to *[carry out His purpose and*] do superabundantly more than all that we dare ask or think *[infinitely beyond our greatest prayers, hopes, or dreams*], according to His power that is at work within us, to Him be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations forever and ever. Amen."

If I desire more, how do I attain it? By laying aside ALL that hinders me.

Hebrews 12:1-2 AMP Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses *I* who by faith have testified to the truth of God's absolute faithfulness*I*, stripping off every unnecessary weight and the sin which so easily and cleverly entangles us, let us run with endurance and active persistence the race that is set before us, *Ilooking away from all that will distract us and I* focusing our eyes on Jesus, who is the Author and Perfecter of faith *I* the first incentive for our belief and the One who brings our faith to maturity*I*, who for the joy *I* of accomplishing the goal *I* set before Him endured the cross, disregarding the shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God *I* revealing His deity, His authority, and the completion of His work *I*. What hinders me?

What do I need to Remove?

Replace with:

More: Connection

More: Understanding

More: Influence

More: Time

More: Fun

More: Rest

And the Greatest Hope we have as believers, is that we will be complete and without a desire for MORE when we experience eternal life in heaven. Until then:

