



Lesson 26B | "WE ARE IN IT TO WIN IT" | February 6, 2022

"Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily beset us and let us run with patience the race that is set before us...Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God." (Hebrews 12:1-2)

"But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved."

(St. Matthew 24:13)

Word Definitions

1. We: Believers
2. Are: Present tense showing firm determination; present action;
3. In: Within the bounds of; showing location;
4. It: Direct object; the race; the course of action; the path;
5. To: With the resultant condition - in order to;
6. Win: To reach with difficulty; to gain; to acquire;
7. It: The prize; the reward; something that is the best; without equal; most desirable;

LESSON OUTLINE



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I. In It to Win

Old Testament

Ecclesiastes 9:11

New Testament

II Corinthians 3:18
Romans 12:1-2
James 1:12
Revelation 2:10
I Corinthians 9:24
Hebrews 11:13
Hebrews 11:16
Hebrews 11:6

II. The Race

Psalms 30:5

Hebrews 12:1-2
Philippians 3:13-14
St. Mt. 16:38-44
St. Mt. 10:22
St. John 15:18-20
Hebrews 12:4
Hebrews 13:6

III. Are You Tired?

Proverbs 3:5-6

Romans 8:28
Romans 8:37-39
Acts 20:24
Ephesians 6:10-12
II Cor. 11
II Cor. 12:9-10
Hebrews 10:23
II Cor. 4:7
St. John 14
II Peter 1:11



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CROWNS IN HEAVEN

1. Crown of Life: James 1:12, Revelation 2:10
2. Crown of Righteousness: II Timothy 4:8
3. Crown of Rejoicing: I Thess. 2:19
4. Crown of Glory: I Peter 5:4
5. Incorruptible Crown: I Cor. 9:24-25

Questions To Consider

1. Do you understand the definition of IT and IT?
2. What will you win? Are you in the race to win Salvation?
3. What is the difference between a "Gift" and a "Prize?"
4. What do you do when you get tired?
5. Talk about remaining steadfast and unmovable - and staying grounded in the Word in the midst of the issues of life.
6. What do you see as some of the weights that might slow you down personally as you run this Christian race?
7. Talk about how weights might become sins.
8. How does your Vertical Relationship help you to handle horizontal issues?

Weight: something that may not be a sin, but it might keep you from following the Lord with your whole heart.

Sin: Offense against God; anything that becomes more important than God.