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*Moving Forward with Favor*  
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1. I will \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ favor in 2021.

Psalm 5:12 *Surely, Lord, you bless the righteous; you surround them with your favor as with a shield. (NIV)*

2. \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.

2 Corinthians 5:21 *God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. (NIV)*

Isaiah 66:2 *“Has not my hand made all these things, and so they came into being?” declares the Lord. “These are the ones I look on with favor: those who are humble and contrite in spirit, and who tremble at my word. (NIV)*

3. \_\_\_\_\_ of whatever is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ a hold of \_\_\_\_\_.

a. Pride and Arrogance

Philippians 3:5-14 *I was circumcised when I was eight days old. I am a pure-blooded citizen of Israel and a member of the tribe of Benjamin—a real Hebrew if there ever was one! I was a member of the Pharisees, who demand the strictest obedience to the Jewish law. I was so zealous that I harshly persecuted the church. And as for righteousness, I obeyed the law without fault. I once thought these things were valuable, but now I consider them worthless because of what Christ has done. Yes, everything else is worthless when compared with the infinite value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have discarded everything else, counting it all as garbage, so that I could gain Christ and become one with him. I no longer count on my own righteousness through obeying the law; rather, I*

*become righteous through faith in Christ. For God’s way of making us right with himself depends on faith. (NLT)*

b. Bitterness and Resentment

Hebrews 12:15 *Look after each other so that none of you fails to receive the grace of God. Watch out that no poisonous root of bitterness grows up to trouble you, corrupting many. (NLT)*

c. Regrets and Worries

Philippians 4:6-7 *Don’t worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. Then you will experience God’s peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus. (NLT)*

1 Peter 5:7 *Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you. (NLT)*

d. Unhealthy Relationships

1 Corinthians 15:33 *Do not be misled: “Bad company corrupts good character. (NIV)*

e. Guilt and Shame

1 John 1:9 *If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. (NIV)*

Philippians 3:12-14 *I don’t mean to say that I have already achieved these things or that I have already reached perfection. But I press on to possess that perfection for which Christ Jesus first possessed me. No, dear brothers and sisters, I have not achieved it, but I focus on this one thing: Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead, I press on to reach the end of the race and receive the heavenly prize for which God, through Christ Jesus, is calling us. (NLT)*

5 Habits of Foundational Well-being: \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_

1. Physical activity
2. Nutrition
3. Stress management
4. Sleep
5. Social engagement

Ecclesiastes 5:18 *Even so, I have noticed one thing, at least, that is good. It is good for people to eat, drink, and enjoy their work under the sun during the short life God has given them, and to accept their lot in life. (NLT)*

4. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ !

Philippians 1:20 *For I fully expect and hope that I will never be ashamed, but that I will continue to be bold for Christ, as I have been in the past. And I trust that my life will bring honor to Christ, whether I live or die. For to me, living means living for Christ, and dying is even better. (NLT)*

Conclusion:

R- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ you are!

E- \_\_\_\_\_ the negativity.

S- \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_.

E- \_\_\_\_\_ more.

T- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ God.

Let's \_\_\_\_\_ in 2021 with \_\_\_\_\_ !

All scripture references are NIV unless otherwise noted.

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