

"You stiff-necked people, with uncircumcised hearts and ears! You are just like your fathers: You always resist the Holy Spirit! Was there ever a prophet your fathers did not persecute? They even killed those who predicted the coming of the Righteous One. And now you have betrayed and murdered Him – you who have received the law that was put into effect through angels but have not obeyed it."...At this they covered their ears and, yelling at the top of their voices, they all rushed at him, dragged him out of the city and began to stone him. While they were stoning him, Stephen prayed, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit." Then he fell on his knees and cried out, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them." When he had said this, he fell asleep. (Acts 7:51-53, 57-60, NIV)

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. *(2 Timothy 4:7, NIV)* 

## TO FACE A BOTTOM OF THE NINTH THAT ISN'T GOING MY WAY:

- 1. I have to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. I have to \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_.

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