



What If I Took Control Of My Life?

Ephesians 5:15-17

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So be very careful how you live. Live wisely, not like fools. I mean that you should use every opportunity you have for doing good, because these are evil times. So don't be foolish with your lives, but learn what the Lord wants you to do. (*Ephesians 5:15-17, ETRV*)

An Out-of-control Life...

1. ...is a _____ life.
2. ...is a life filled with _____.
3. ...leaves little to no _____ for the _____.
4. ...does nothing to build the _____ of _____.

I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. (*Philippians 3:14, ESV*)



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When I Take Control Of My Life:

1. I experience less _____.
2. There is less _____ in my life.
3. I live a life _____ of _____.

To Take Control Of My Life:

1. I use _____.
 - I start building _____ into my daily life.
Every morning, Lord, I lay my gifts before You and look to You for help. And every morning You hear my prayers. (*Psalms 5:3, ETRV*)
 - I make new _____.
 - I give the best _____ my best _____.
 - I choose a better way to _____.
2. I live in _____ for _____.

Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth. (*Colossians 3:2, ESV*)

"Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in Heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." (*Matthew 6:19-21, ESV*)