How To Overcome Procrastination Avoidance and Neglect

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- Procrastination = Putting Off Until Tomorrow What We Ought To Be Doing Today

- “The Tragedy Of Life Is Not That It Ends So Soon, But That We Wait So Long To Begin It.”
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- Today God Is Doing A Work
- Today His Church Is Growing
- Today He Is Readying His Church

- God Is Moving Today We Can't Afford To Put Him Off Until Later
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(Josh 18:1-3 NIV) The whole assembly of the Israelites gathered at Shiloh and set up the Tent of Meeting there. The country was brought under their control, (2) but there were still seven Israelite tribes who had not yet received their inheritance. (3) So Joshua said to the Israelites: "How long will you wait before you begin to take possession of the land that the LORD, the God of your fathers, has given you?"
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- Looking Out Over The Land Of Promise But Not Entering
- Having The Keys To The Promise Yet Not Unlocking The Door To Enter
- The Israelites Procrastinated They Neglected The Word Of God
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- A Posture Of Procrastination Is Hard To Shake
- Harmful Effects Can Occur When We Neglect A Problem Area
- "If You Want To Make An Easy Job Hard, Just Keep Putting It Off"
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- Learn To Tackle Your Problems Before Your Problems Tackle You

- The Longer You Wait To Take The Land -- The Harder It Is Going To Be For You To Possess
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- When We Fail To Deal With Little Problems They Grow Into Big Problems

- We Are In A Battle -- We Have Lost Already If We Don't Stand And Fight
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(Heb 12:1 NIV) Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us.
Three Things That We Can Replace Procrastination With

1. Better Priorities
2. Commitment Flavored With Courage
3. Direction And Focus From God