YES, YOU CAN . . . BE SUCCESSFUL

God's plan for success is . . .

- Universal
- Achievable
- Measureable
- Vital

Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.

Joshua 1:8

THERE ARE TWO KEYS TO THE DOOR OF SUCCESS

PONDER GOD'S WORD

KEEP THIS BOOK OF THE LAW ALWAYS ON YOUR LIPS; MEDITATE ON IT DAY AND NIGHT,

Joshua 1:8a

What we are to ponder . . .

Keep this Book of the Law . . .

Take this <u>Book of the Law</u> and place it beside the ark of the covenant of the Lord your God. There it will remain as a witness against you.

Deuteronomy 31:26

And Joshua recorded these things in the Book of the Law of God.

Joshua 24:26

When we are to ponder . . .

always on your lips; meditate on it day and night

Fix these words of mine in your hearts and minds; tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Teach them to your children, talking about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates,

Deuteronomy 11:18-20

PONDER GOD'S WORD + PERFORM GOD'S WILL

SO THAT YOU MAY BE CAREFUL TO DO EVERYTHING WRITTEN IN IT.

Joshua 1:8b

What we ponder directly affects how we perform.

- It teaches me. (consciously) James 1:22-25
- It transforms me. (unconsciously) 2 Corinthians 3:18

When the child of God
Looks into the Word of God
And sees the Son of God
They are changed by the Spirit of God
Into the image of God
For the glory of God

PONDER GOD'S WORD

PERFORM GOD'S WILL

PROSPER GOD'S WAY

THEN YOU WILL BE PROSPEROUS AND SUCCESSFUL.

Joshua 1:8

Isaiah 6:8b, 9a, 11-12

Jeremiah 1:9-10

Ezekiel 3:4-5, 7, 11

OUR APPROACH TO SUCCESS WILL DETERMINE OUR ACTIVITY IN LIFE AND OUR ASSESSMENT ON HOW SUCCESSFUL WE ARE.

EITHER WE MEASURE SUCCESS ACCORDING TO GOD'S SCALE OR WE MEASURE IT ACCORDING TO OUR OWN SCALE.

AND THE TWO ARE OPPOSED TO ONE ANOTHER reekside