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# FALL CONSECRATION 30+/30 CHALLENGE

FOCUS *INWARD*, FOCUS *UPWARD*, FOCUS *OUTWARD*

## THEME:

"CALLED UP, CAUGHT UP,  
CONSUMED & CONSTRAINED"

"Whom have I in heaven but thee?  
and there is none upon earth that I desire  
beside thee. My flesh and my heart faileth:  
but God is the strength of my heart,  
and my portion for ever."

Psalms 73:25-26 (KJV)

• STAGE (1)  
CALLED UP  
CAUGHT UP

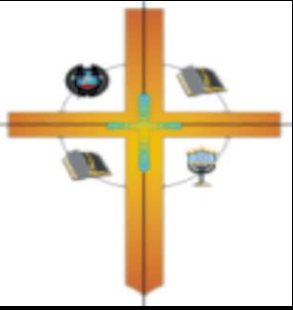
• STAGE (2)  
CONSUMING  
VISION

• STAGE (3)  
COMPELLING  
CONSTRAINTS



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## The 5 W's and the All Important "C"



### WHAT?

The **"30+/30 Challenge"** is a simple enhancement to the believer's current personal devotional activities.

### WHO?

Christ followers who desires to strengthen and improve the quality of their spiritual life; and increase/enhance their service to the Lord.

### WHY?

The **"30+/30 Challenge"** is one of a variety of personal spiritual consecration approaches designed to renew/improve the quality of our spiritual life of the participant.

### WHEN?

Day one of the **"30+/30 Challenge"** begins the moment you personally commit to participate in the spiritual exercise.

### WHERE?

The activities of the **"30+/30 Challenge"** can be engaged in at home; at work; at school; in traffic; while waiting for an appointment, or anywhere time a window of times is available. Recall, the goal is to "draw nigh" to the Lord through the means He has so directed us through Scripture.

### COST (\$\$\$)?

Your commitment to engage in a minimum of 30 minutes of the additional "30+/30" devotional activities for 30 days.



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## THE APPROACH



The **30+/30 Challenge** is divided into *three stages* of *10 days*, each focusing on three specific themes/topics of Scripture study listed as follows:

### **STAGE(1):** Focus Inward

Topic(s) – **CALLED UP & CAUGHT UP**

### **STAGE(2):** Focus Upward

Topic(s) – **CONSUMING VISION**

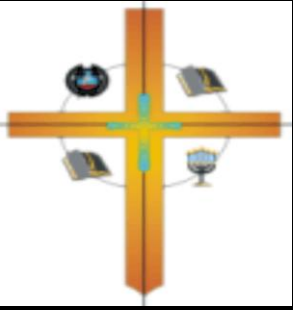
### **STAGE(3):** Focus Outwards

Topic(s) – **COMPELLING CONSTRAINTS**



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## THE COMMITMENT



The believer electing to participate in the 30+/30 Challenge will commit to performing the following activities:

- Search the Scripture to discover and document the text and passages that focus on the key topics. This will involve the activity of “journaling” so the participant will need to secure a notebook or formal journal to list the Scripture and application notes studied each day.
- Set a spiritual goal to complete by the end of the 30+/30 exercise that will be blessing not just for yourself, but also for someone in need.
- Affirm your commitment to participating in the challenge by sharing your recorded key Scripture with an accountability partner. It is always a blessing to share with others that which the Lord has shared with us. This can be communicated by word of mouth; e-mail message; a Facebook posting; or an old-fashion letter. The important thing to publicly affirm your commitment.
- Invite others to join in the challenge.
- When entering the final phase of the challenge, commit to “give yourself away,” (i.e. time, talent, treasure) and reach out to, or render service to someone or some organization (i.e. your church, etc.) that promotes the cause of the Kingdom. Remember the goal is to sacrifice, stretch and move outside the sphere of our “comfort zone.”
- Submit (testify) a “praise report” of your experience.

