



## ELEMENTS THAT EDIFY CHRISTIAN LIFE

<sup>9</sup>For we are both God's workers. And you are God's field. You are God's building. <sup>10</sup>Because of God's grace to me, I have laid the foundation like an expert builder. Now others are building on it. But whoever is building on this foundation must be very careful. <sup>11</sup>For no one can lay any foundation other than the one we already have Jesus Christ."

[1 Corinthians 3:9-11](#) nlt

### Introduction:

<sup>23</sup>All things are lawful for me, but not all things are helpful; all things are lawful for me, but not all things edify." [1 Corinthians 10:23](#)

### 1. \_\_\_\_\_.

<sup>12</sup>As an eagle stirs up its nest, Hovers over its young, spreading out its wings, taking them up, Carrying them on its wings," [Deuteronomy 32:11](#)

<sup>25</sup>And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near."

[Hebrews 10:25](#) nlt

<sup>58</sup>So, my dear brothers and sisters, be strong and immovable. Always work enthusiastically for the Lord, for you know that nothing you do for the Lord is ever useless."

[1 Corinthians 15:58](#) nlt

<sup>23</sup>Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup>And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, <sup>25</sup>not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching." [Hebrews 10:23-25](#)

### 2. \_\_\_\_\_.

<sup>1</sup>One day Jesus told his disciples a story to show that they should always pray and never give up." [Luke 18:1](#) nlt

<sup>46</sup>and said to them, Why do you sleep? Rise and pray that you may not enter into temptation!" [Luke 22:46](#) web

Prayer is not to entertain us, it has the power to edify us ...

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*“<sup>8</sup>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 niv*

*“<sup>1</sup>Blessed is the man Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly, Nor stands in the path of sinners, Nor sits in the seat of the scornful; <sup>2</sup>But his delight is in the law of the Lord, And in His law he meditates day and night.”* *Psalm 1:1-2*

Here are four actions that will help to meditate on the Word of God ...

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*“<sup>16</sup>Let the message about Christ, in all its richness, fill your lives. Teach and counsel each other with all the wisdom he gives. Sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts.”* *Colossians 3:16 nlt*

**Conclusion:**

*“<sup>30</sup>Son of man, your people talk about you in their houses and whisper about you at the doors. They say to each other, Come on, let’s go hear the prophet tell us what the Lord is saying!”*  
*Ezekiel 33:30 nlt*

*“<sup>22</sup>But be doers of the word, and not only hearers, deluding your own selves.”*  
*James 1:22 web*