

# It's Too Soon to Quit

2 Corinthians 4:16-18 “Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. 17 For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. 18 So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.” NIV

## **Reality #1: Life Happens \_\_\_\_\_**

1 Corinthians 15:31 “I die every day...” NIV

## **Reality #2: Externals are \_\_\_\_\_**

2 Corinthians 4:16 “Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away...” NIV

1 John 2:15-17 “Do not love this world nor the things it offers you, for when you love the world, you do not have the love of the Father in you. 16 For the world offers only a craving for physical pleasure, a craving for everything we see, and pride in our achievements and possessions. These are not from the Father but are from this world. 17 And this world is fading away, along with everything that people crave. But anyone who does what pleases God will live forever.” NLT

## **Reality #3: We Need Daily \_\_\_\_\_**

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### **1. Renew Your \_\_\_\_\_**

Ephesians 4:23 “Instead, let the Spirit renew your thoughts and attitudes.” NLT

### **2. Renew Your \_\_\_\_\_**

Psalms 46:10 “Be still, and know that I am God...” NIV

### **3. Renew Your \_\_\_\_\_**

Proverbs 17:22 “A cheerful heart is good medicine, but a broken spirit saps a person's strength.” NLT

Psalms 23:1-3 “The Lord is my shepherd. I am never in need. 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside peaceful waters. 3 He renews my soul.” GWT