

**#NOFOMO Part 3:** "The Law of Attraction"

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<sup>"</sup>Don't fret or worry. In<u>stead of worrying, pray</u>. Let petitions and praises shape your worries into prayers, letting God know your concerns. Before you know it, a sense of God's wholeness, everything coming together for good, will come and settle you down. It's wonderful what happens when Christ displaces worry at the center of your life. Summing it all up, friends, I'd say you'll do best by filling your minds and meditating on things true, noble, reputable, authentic, compelling, graciousthe best, not the worst; the beautiful, not the ugly; things to praise, not things to curse. Put into practice what you learned from me, what you heard and saw and realized. Do that, and God, who makes everything work together, will work you into his most excellent harmonies.

Philippians 4:6-9 (MSG)

## FEAR OF MISSING OUT ON MY VERY BEST LIFE DISAPPEARS WHEN I...

# 1. ...CAREFULLY CHOOSE MY SOURCES

"Who has impeded your progress and kept you from obeying the truth? You were off to such a good start. I know for certain the pressure isn't coming from God.

He keeps calling you to the truth. You know what they say, 'Just a little yeast causes all the dough to rise,' so even the slightest detour from the truth will take you to a destination you do not desire. Galatians 5:7-9 (TVB)

"Stop imitating the ideals and opinions of the culture around you, but be inwardly transformed by the Holy Spirit through a total reformation of how you think. This will empower you to discern God's will as you live a beautiful life, satisfying and perfect in his eyes."

Romans 12:2 (TPT)

*"If you want to grow in wisdom, spend time with the wise. Walk with the wicked and you'll eventually become* 

Proverbs 13:20 (TPT)

#### 2. ...INSTANTLY CHECK MY FOCUS

just like them."

"Don't run from tests and hardships, brothers and sisters. As difficult as they are, you will ultimately find joy in them; if you embrace them, your faith will blossom under pressure and teach you true patience as you endure. And <u>true patience</u> brought on by <u>endurance will equip you to</u> <u>complete the long journey and cross the finish</u> <u>line—mature, complete, and wanting nothing</u>."

James 1:2-4 (TVB)

"<u>Set your gaze</u> on the path before you. With <u>fixed</u> <u>purpose</u>, looking straight ahead, <u>ignore life's</u> <u>distractions</u>."

Proverbs 4:25 (TPT)

"With every step you take, think about what He (God) wants, and he will help you go the right way." **Proverbs 3:6** (ERV)

## 3. ...STRATEGICALLY CHANGE MY HABITS

"Don't keep hoarding for yourselves earthly treasures that can be stolen by thieves. Material wealth eventually rusts, decays, and loses its value. Instead, stockpile heavenly treasures for yourselves that cannot be stolen and will never rust, decay, or lose their value. <u>For your heart will</u> <u>always pursue what you value as your treasure</u>." **Matthew 6:19-21** (TPT)

"<u>Watch what God does, and then you do it</u>, like children who learn proper behavior from their parents. Mostly what God does is love you. Keep company with him and learn a life of love. Observe how Christ loved us. His love was not cautious but extravagant. He didn't love in order to get something from us but to give everything of himself to us. Love like that."

Ephesians 5:1-2 (MSG)