

Ministry Mountain: Maturity in Christ (Hebrews 12:1-3)

Training Objective

He leaves having his eyes opened to what sin he struggles with and what could take him out of the race that God has marked out for him. He also gives some goals to avoid those sins.

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1. Look at Hebrews 12:1-3 - ask what the therefore is there for. (Heb. 11)
2. Draw a mountain with a cross at the top and tell him that God desires for him to fix his eyes on Jesus and ask them what would keep him from keeping his eyes on Jesus and running as hard and fast as he could. (The non sins and the sins that will hinder and distract him from following and becoming the man that God would want him to be) and then list them out on the back.
3. Ask them the top 2-3 that they are most struggling with now or that they could see being the biggest hindrances to them running the race.
4. Go to a big hill and jump on their back and tell them to run the hill and while they are running ask them "What am I?" Have them yell out the sins or hindrances that are holding or going to hold them back.
5. Brainstorm verses that directly apply to those sins and hindrances.
6. Have them memorize those 2-3 verses.

Materials

1. How to live the Spirit filled life by Bill Bright
2. Depends on what sins they are struggling with.

Scriptures

1. Hebrews 12:1-3
2. Acts 20:24
3. Philippians 3:13
4. 1 Corinthians 6:11
5. Others based on their answers