



**No Growth - Distraction**

**Let your eyes look directly forward and your gaze be straight before you. Ponder the path of your feet; then all your ways will be sure. Do not swerve to the right or to the left; turn your foot away from evil.**

*Proverbs 4:25-27*

**Devil**-----1 Peter 5:8

**Interrupt (to stop)** - -----Proverbs 15:4

**Setback**-----Romans 8:28

**Time**-----Ephesians 5:16

**Reaction**-----Ephesians 4:26

**Angry**-----Ecclesiastes 7:9

**Corruption (to influence)** - 2 Peter 2:19

**Talk**-----Ephesians 4:27

**Interfere (to steer)**-----Hebrews 13:18

**Obstruction (to block)** -----Romans 16:17

**Neglect**-----Hebrews 2:3

Distraction is an opposing source that intends to disrupt the mission of the person. This source could be something or someone at any time during the process of an individual endeavor.

For a believer, it is the devil that devise such opposition to eliminate any potential success. Distraction comes in many different forms that the enemy may use on anyone. One way to distract people is by interruption. A believer would be praying peacefully, and the phone rings. This believer either pauses or stops praying to answer. Then to restart, time is lost and may tempt the person to respond and be upset. Another way to distract people is by corruption. To make a person go or do it differently from the plan they have already made. The enemy will attempt the believer to say something to God or anyone that they will regret.

Other forms of distraction are interference, which is to steer away from an idea into another direction. Obstruction is another, which is to block individual progress. Finally, another form is neglect. This person that abandons the plan entirely. Distraction is a tool the evil one will use to stop godly people or anyone creating success.

**Prayer: Dear God, help me not to be distracted from acknowledging you. Thank you God.**