



Sermon Series

Like Sands  
through the  
Hourglass ...

What the Bible  
says about the  
Days of Your Life

Message 2

## Making EVERY DAY Count

*“Teach us to number our days carefully so that we may develop wisdom in our hearts.” (Ps. 90:12)*

*“Pay careful attention, then, to how you walk—not as unwise people but as wise—making the most of the time [redeeming the time]...” (Eph. 5:15-16)*

### How to Make Every Day Count:

1) \_\_\_\_\_ the day with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

*“This is the day the Lord has made: let us rejoice and be glad in it.” (Ps. 118:24)*

2) \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_ of the day.

*“In the morning, LORD, you hear my voice; in the morning I plead my case to you and watch expectantly.” (Ps. 5:3)*

*“Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, he got up, went out, and made his way to a deserted place; and there he was praying.” (Mark 1:35)*

3) \_\_\_\_\_ on Him and stay \_\_\_\_\_ to Him during the day.

*“Give us today our daily bread.” (Matt. 6:11)*

*“Lord, God of my master Abraham, he prayed, ‘make this happen for me today, and show kindness to my master Abraham.’” (Gen. 24:12)*

*“Give your servant success today, and grant him compassion in the presence of this man... Then the king asked me, ‘What is your request?’ So I prayed to the God of the heavens and answered the king....” (Neh. 1:11, 2:4-5)*

4) Make \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the day.

*“Pay careful attention, then, to how you walk -- not as unwise people but as wise -- making the most of the time.” (Eph. 5:15-16)*

*“Don’t be deceived: God is not mocked. For whatever a person sows he will also reap.” (Gal. 6:7)*

5) Don’t \_\_\_\_\_ today by \_\_\_\_\_ about \_\_\_\_\_.

*“Therefore don’t worry about tomorrow, because tomorrow will worry about itself...” (Matt. 6:34a)*

*“Don’t worry about anything; instead, pray about everything....” (Phil. 4:6a, NLT)*

6) Don’t miss any \_\_\_\_\_ to be a “\_\_\_\_\_” today.

*“Conduct yourselves with wisdom toward outsiders, making the most of the opportunity. Let your speech always be with grace, as though seasoned with salt, so that you will know how you should respond to each person.” (Col. 4:5-6, NASB)*

*“It will lead to an opportunity for your testimony.” (Luke 1:13, NASB)*

*“So then, while we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, and especially to those who are of the household of the faith.” (Gal. 6:10, NASB)*

*“But encourage each other daily, while it is still called today, so that none of you is hardened by sin’s deception.” (Heb. 3:13)*

7) Take time for \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_ of the day.

*“After dismissing the crowds, he went up on the mountain by himself to pray. Well into the night, he was there alone.” (Matt. 14:23)*

*“Search me, O God, and know my heart; try me and know my anxious thoughts; and see if there be any hurtful way in me, and lead me in the everlasting way.” (Ps. 139:23-24, NASB)*

*“I will both lie down and sleep in peace, for you alone, Lord, make me live in safety.” (Ps. 4:8)*