

## A Better Way of Life (1 Peter 2:11-12)

*How is success measured today?*

*Which stage of life are you at?*

*What are your temptations at this stage?*

### 1. Avoid **F** \_\_\_\_\_ **Desires** (v. 11)

#### ***Strangers & Pilgrims***

Romans 7:21-24; Galatians 5:19-21

Temptation = P \_\_\_\_\_ ourselves, R \_\_\_\_\_ against God  
“Flesh”:

- a. **Keeps us from doing what we W** \_\_\_\_\_
- b. **Not S** \_\_\_\_\_, **living only to P** \_\_\_\_\_ **it is sinful**

Our resources for victory:

- 1) **Christ’s A** \_\_\_\_\_ Romans 7:24-25; 8:3-4
- 2) **The Spirit’s P** \_\_\_\_\_ Romans 8:5-12
- 3) **Total C** \_\_\_\_\_ Romans 6:6-7
- 4) **The life of dependent P** \_\_\_\_\_ Matthew 26:41
- 5) **L** \_\_\_\_\_ **to the Holy Spirit** Galatians 5:16; 5:24-26
- 6) **A new M** \_\_\_\_\_ Romans 13:14

#### ***Result:***

### 2. The **W** \_\_\_\_\_ of a **G** \_\_\_\_\_ **Life** (v. 12)

“Good” = honest, honorable, righteous, pure, lovely decent, noble

Why do good: be a **W** \_\_\_\_\_ to unbelievers.

Matthew 5:16

Our witness to the world is determined by how we **L** \_\_\_\_\_.

St Francis of Assisi: *Preach the gospel, and when necessary, use words.*