

Principle Five

Happiness is a by-product of faithfulness to God
and not a goal

Key Verse: 1 Timothy 6:6

- I. Aim for _____ – Philippians 4:4
 1. Joy is a product of a _____ heart relationship with God
 2. Joy is a result of the _____ dwelling in us
 3. Rejoice in the Lord, not _____
 4. Joy is dependent on being where _____ wants you to be and doing what He wants you to do
- II. _____ for joy
 1. _____ : things don't bring joy – Luke 12:15
 2. _____ : fear is not joyful – 2 Timothy 1:7;
Philippians 4:6
- III. Avoid _____ – Philippians 4
 1. Overcome worry by proper _____ (pray without ceasing) – Philippians 4:6
 2. Overcome worry by _____ thinking –
Philippians 4:8
 3. Overcome worry by _____ right – Philippians 4:9

Don't search for happiness; search for God!