**Running The Race**

**I Corinthians 9:23-27**

1. You have to be dedicated. I Cor 9:23; Matthew 22:37; Matthew 6:33
2. You have to plan. I Cor 9:24; Matthew 7:24-28
3. You have to be disciplined. I Corinthian 9:25; Ephesians 5:5-12
4. You have to endure. I Corinthian 9:26-27; Hebrews 12:1-3
5. You will be rewarded for how you run the race. I Corinthians 9:25; Matthew 25:31-46, Revelation 22:11-13

**Revelation 22:11-13**

**11**Let the one who does wrong, still do wrong; and the one who is filthy, still be filthy; and let the one who is righteous, still practice righteousness; and the one who is holy, still keep himself holy.” **12**“Behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward *is* with Me, to render to every man [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Revelation%2022%3A11%2D13&version=NASB1995#fen-NASB1995-31094a)]according to what he has done. **13**I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end.”