

EVERYBODY HAS THREE THINGS P – P – F

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Psalm 118:24 This is the Day the Lord has made; I will rejoice and be glad in it.

In his book "Today Matters" John Maxwell says people often...

1. _____ Yesterday
† The Good Old Days
2. _____ Tomorrow
† Someday
3. _____ Today
† Not Yet

People will often think about their life and say...

1. _____ I will... then they list the things they'll do.
2. They'll also look back and _____ or _____ for the past

POWER POINT _____

is the Most Important Day You Have – It's the only day you have.
Tomorrow's success or failure will often be determined by the plans and decision we make today

Yesterday is a _____

Tomorrow is a _____

Today is _____

Use Today Wisely

- † Hebrews 3:13 But encourage one another **DAILY**, as long as it is called **TODAY**, so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness.

Joshua Made Wise Choices Concerning His Today

- † Joshua 24:15 if serving the LORD seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve... But as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD."

From The Sermon on the Mount Jesus said this about TODAY

- † Matthew 6:34 (Message) "Give your entire attention to what God is doing right now, and don't get worked up about what may or may not happen tomorrow. God will help you deal with whatever hard things come up when the time comes."

THREE THINGS ABOUT YESTERDAY

1. We can't _____ yesterday
 2. We can _____ from yesterday
 3. Today is _____ by yesterday – both good & bad
- † Successful people _____ from the past and let go of it
- † Unsuccessful people _____ for the past and get stuck in it

TWO THINGS ABOUT OUR FUTURE

1. Our future will be a mixture of **GOOD** and **BAD**.
2. No matter what happens in our future God is **WITH US**.

THERE ARE TWO WAYS TO FACE THE FUTURE

1. Without God – _____
2. With God – _____

"God will not allow man to have knowledge of things to come; for if he had fore knowledge of his prosperity, he would be careless; and if he had understanding of his adversity he would be despairing and senseless."

Saint Augustine

FIVE THINGS WE KNOW ABOUT TODAY

1. Today is the **ONLY** day we have.
2. Today is the **MOST IMPORTANT** day we have.
3. Today you get to **START OVER**.
4. Today you get to **SET UP TOMORROW**.
5. Today you get to **DO THE RIGHT THING**.

Dream Big – Then Do It

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A PAST – A PRESENT – A FUTURE