
TABLE OF CONTENTS

Introduction	11
1. God's Priorities for Your Life	14
2. Discovering God's Purpose . . . And Doing It	18
3. Success According to God	22
4. Using Your Gifts to Serve	26
5. Pleasing God First	30
6. The Direction of Your Thoughts	34
7. Keeping Money in Perspective	38
8. Too Quick to Judge?	42
9. Doing What Needs to be Done	46
10. Living With the Living Word	50
11. God's Perfect Love	54
12. The Power of Perseverance	58
13. At Home in God's Church	62
14. Beyond Busyness	66
15. Acceptance for Today	70
16. Asking and Accepting	74
17. Trusting Your Conscience	78
18. Beyond Doubt	82
19. Living Courageously	86
20. Value-based Decisions	90
21. A Healthy Lifestyle	94
22. Integrity Matters	98
23. In a World Filled with Temptations	102

24. The Beliefs That Shape Your Values	106
25. Patience and Trust	110
26. Finding the Balance	114
27. Enthusiasm for Life	118
28. The Words We Speak	122
29. Making Choices That Please God	126
30. Making Praise a Priority	130
31. Above and Beyond Our Worries	134
32. The Wisdom to Be Humble	138
33. The Source of Strength	142
34. Walking in Truth	146
35. Our Problems = God's Opportunities	150
36. Your Plans . . . And God's	154
37. A Passion for Life	158
38. Actions Speak Louder	162
39. Joyful Living	166
40. The Wisdom To Be Thankful	170
41. The Right Kind of Fear	174
42. The Joys of Friendship	178
43. Mountain-moving Faith	182
44. Sharing Your Testimony	186
45. Behavior That Pleases God	190
46. The Right Kind of Attitude	194
47. Celebrating Life	198
48. Tackling Tough Times	202
49. Keeping Money in Perspective	206
50. He Is Here	210

51. The Cheerful Giver	214
52. The Bread of Life	218
53. Laughing With Life	222
54. Mistakes: The Price of Being Human	226
55. Accepting His Peace	230
56. The Power of Prayer	234
57. Real Repentance	238
58. Sharing the Good News	242
59. Making the Most of Our Talents	246
60. The Right Kind of Wisdom	250
61. Cheerful Christianity	254
62. Spiritual Maturity, Day by Day	258
63. The Positive Path	262
64. Renewal Day by Day	266
65. Finding Contentment in a Discontented World	270
66. The Optimistic Christian	274
67. Christ-centered Leadership	278
68. The Disciplined Life	282
69. Entrusting Our Hopes to God	286
70. He Rules	290
71. Today's Work	294
72. The Power of Encouragement	298
73. Making Forgiveness a High Priority	302
74. Kindness in Action	306
75. The Gift of Eternal Life	310
Topical Index	316