

**“... and greet no one along the
road” (Luke 10:4)**

STAYING FOCUSED



1. Avoid looking back

- “No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.” (Luke 9:62)

2. Review priorities and goals

- **“He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me.”**

(Matthew 10:37)

3. Review your gains or losses in view of the goal set

- **“Yet indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ.” (Philippians 3:8)**

4. Set aside quiet time

- “In returning and rest you shall be saved; In quietness and confidence shall be your strength.” (Isaiah 30:15)

5. Avoid attachments

- **Example: Abraham (in dealing with family, place, and son)**

6. Be aware when intending to start a spiritual work

- **Example: While going to the church on Sunday, praying at home, reading the Bible, etc.**