

## NEVER GIVE UP! OK?

2 Corinthians 4:16-18

Introduction. \_\_\_\_\_

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I. **FIRST, NOTICE AN \_\_\_\_\_ AND FORCEFUL STATEMENT (2 Corinthians 4:16a) “*For the cause we faint not . . .*”**

II. **SECONDLY, NOTE AN \_\_\_\_\_ AND FAMILIAR STRUGGLE (2 Corinthians 4:16b) “. . . *but though our outward man perish . . .*”**

The “*outward man*” is perishing because of two sources:

A. First, it comes from a fallen \_\_\_\_\_ (Romans 8:22-23).

B. Secondly if comes from fallen \_\_\_\_\_

## III. **THIRDLY, CONSIDER AN \_\_\_\_\_ AND FACTUAL SECRET (2 Corinthians 4:16c-18).**

Let’s examine this very inviting and factual secret and see that it involves at least three important realizations:

A. First, we are given \_\_\_\_\_ strength for every day (4:16c) “. . . *and yet our inward man is renewed day by day.*”

B. Secondly, nothing we \_\_\_\_\_ in this life will last forever. (4:17-18).

C. Thirdly, everything we \_\_\_\_\_ in life has meaning (4:17b) “. . . *worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory.*”