

BE CAREFUL WHEN YOU FEEL YOU HAVE ARRIVED!

"Going on to perfection", (Heb. 6:1) is a must for the Christian life, but it is not without dangers.

The danger of feeling you have arrived is that you stop growing, and the Christian should never stop growing.

The satisfaction of achievement should be coupled with the will and determination to never stop growing.

The satisfaction of achievement should be coupled with a challenge of reaching a greater height. Have an ultimate goal in your life, but don't let it become the final goal. When you have achieved it, there will be another goal that you can not see unless you are reaching for a higher plain.

In life, we must realize there is no final summit, but there is a higher one; it can only be seen after obtaining the previous goal Paul wrote, "... I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things ahead. I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus" (Phil. 3:13-14).

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