

Today's Theme:

## **Why Am I Here?... ...To Run My Race For Him”**

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Series: “Why Am I Here?” Part 6

“You were running the race so well. Who has held you back from following the truth?” Gal.5:7

### **It's Easy To Be Cynical & Afraid- When You Appear To Be Losing Ground**

Psa. 73:1-10

#### **1. Why Do Believers Seem To Face So Much Resistance While Unbelievers Prosper?**

- If you go along to get along, you're playing into the hands of the Evil One himself!
- We're on mission... to help people far from God to find Him, and the rest of the world is not!

Psa. 73:11-14

#### **2. When You Get Cynical, You Can Question Your Choice To Follow Him.**

- Not hard to become discouraged as a Jesus Follower in this present climate!

Psa.73:15-16

#### **3. When Obedience Doesn't Get Immediate Results, We Find Ourselves Resentful Of Unbelieving People!**

### **But That's Not The Real Story... He Was Fooled Into Thinking He Was Losing!**

Psa.73:17-20

#### **4. Almost Ready To Quit, He Turned Back To God & Then The Truth Opened His Eyes! Gal.5:7**

- When your scared or getting cynical, you've gotten your eyes off of Jesus!
- Reality Is: Unbelievers Are On Track For A Total Loss! 1 Thes. 5:2-3

#### **5. The Answer To Giving In or Giving Up Is A Reality Check On How The Race Is Going!**

Psa.73:21-25

- Only Believers win this race- believe it!
- Self-focus destroys joy- get bitter & not better!
- Who Am I Running This Race For Anyway?

### **Why Are You Here? ...To Run Your Race For Him!**

Psa.73:26-28

#### **Who Are You Following?**