

3, 5, 6 - Inlrs: white crosses on black tray. Hope been
up white crosses of failure, disaster - Θ has set up white cross.
Why He includes failure, ^{Polin, Dillan} sounds in Bible: to warn us, make us aware.

But doesn't have to be this way: Text - Roadbuilder
Description of Successful life Smooth roads, make
straight = take the curves out

Promise Conditional - Formula for Success ^{Father the occasion, addressed to you}

I - A Prohibition we are to Obey - vs 5 -
vs 7 - Don't = support yourself = Trust

lying helplessly face downward - fall flat on your face - "no visible means of support"
- self-trust or Savior - Trust
→ man's greatest folly: leaning on own understanding -
"I can handle my affairs - can cope."
→ This excludes Θ = a declaration of independence from Θ

II - A Precept we are to Observe - vs 6

1 - Acknowledge Him: See (vision) be aware of -
fellowship - unsuspected discovery ② ordering our life
under a constant ① consciousness of His presence ② in
accordance w/ His will ③ in dependence on His help.
→ the presence of Θ in every part of our lives Regard take notice
→ a Θ -reference to life: Job, family, income, health, Law

How? - detail
① must believe that Θ rules the world ② live in communion
③ in each particular case admit that the matter is in His hands ^{by Him}
④ sincere dependence upon Θ for direction & help

2 - In all thy ways - life is made up of trifles, character
formed made of 1000's bricks, one by one - life is 1000 details & decisions - Power of a habit, behavior pattern
* if haven't learned habit of committing to daily, momentous steps to Him, won't be able to in the big moment of decision
- can't swim creek, can't swim Eng. Channel
- weight 15lb - 20lb ~ 200lb - Piano - scale
→ we wait till big one comes along - unable to commit to Θ enough to worry about, its big enough to commit to Θ Why?

III - A Promise in operation = direct = to bring to appointed
showing way, clearing obstacles - Θ won't leave you in God's
doubt or road blocked - He Θ directs each man as if He
was only me to be directed. "I am w/ you" - Fier Fervance
At us a destination in mind. Isa 40:3, 4