

# 7 things you simply must do.

Week 2—Take Small Steps

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Last Thursday I bumped into a friend and I noticed that he looked thinner. So I said “Steve, you’ve lost weight.” He said “45 pounds.” I said “How’d you do it?” He said “I cut back on sweets and breads and little by little I lost 3 pounds a month over 18 months.” People don’t loose 45 pounds all at once, they loose it one pound, one less cookie, one small step at a time.

**Always remember that small \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_ produce big \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Successful people always apply three habits when taking small steps:**

- They \_\_\_\_\_ their \_\_\_\_\_.
- They take \_\_\_\_\_ for it.
- They do \_\_\_\_\_ instead of \_\_\_\_\_.

## KEY SCRIPTURE

### ***Philippians 1:5***

I am sure that God, who began a good work in you, will continue his work until it is finally finished.

### ***Philippians 2:12***

Work out your salvation with fear and trembling.

### ***Nehemiah 1:6***

Lord, I confess the sins we Israelites, including myself and my father’s house have committed against you. We have acted very wickedly toward you. We have not obeyed the commands you gave your servant Moses.

### ***Nehemiah 4:10***

Our strength is giving out and there is so much rubble that we can’t rebuild the wall.

### ***Nehemiah 1:4***

When I learned about these things I sat down and fasted and prayed before the God of heaven.

### ***Nehemiah 4:14***

Remember the Lord and fight for your brothers.

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