

Losing The Flight Path

1 John 2:17

Intro Payne Steward's plane 199

Text: The Christians flight plan is the will of God!

The world is passing away. LOST!

God's plan for your life

Happy, useful, safe, abundant life

Or

**Loss of influence, power, usefulness, and spiritual
happiness.**

*******WE LOSE THE FLIGHT PATH WHEN WE NEGLECT
SIMPLE Christian duties.**

**Duties - Church attendance, Tithing, Consecration, Serving
God daily**

**2 Men - one attends church, supports God's work, serves God
well.**

**The other seldom goes to church, gives little or nothing,
will not serve God.**

**Which one lives closer to God? Which has greater influence
for God? Which one has no future after death?**

Christian life or not?

*******WE LOSE THE FLIGHT PLAN WHEN WE neglect Bible reading.**

Gift of God. To help us strengthen and keep us on the right track.
Build up the church, not tear it down. It shows- grow in grace

******* we lose the flight path when we lose our temper!**

Boil over like a pot of water. Lose our Christian spirit.

Billy Sunday said, "Discharging a shotgun only takes a second, but it destroys everything near it."

*******We lose our flight plan with an unforgiving spirit.**

Don't let the sun go down upon your wrath. Never told to get even
ILL. Christ on the cross. Sick man, dying, called in enemy. Forgiveness, Fellowship "-JUST REMEMBER, IF I GET WELL, THE OLD GRUDGES STILL HOLD."

*******We lose the flight plan when we quit serving God..**

Some say, "The church doesn't need me." If you are not in your place, you are weakening the Church. Faithfulness! No retirement.

The church needs every single member.

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We lose our flight path when we seek happiness everywhere except in Jesus Christ and His service.

The world is filled with unhappy people. No stabilizing influence, no hope. Looking for happiness in all the wrong places.

*******We lose our flight plan when we fail to trust God completely.**

Trouble - worry - trust

We don't trust the promises of God.

Remember past experiences.

*******We lose our flight plans when we deliberately sin.**

Conclusion:God's plan - no pilot error

"THY word have I hid in my heart , that I might not sin against you."