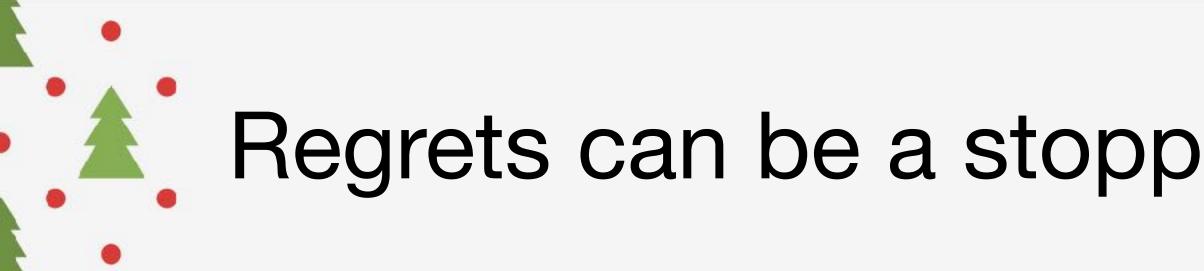


REGRETS ARE GOOD

Then the word of the Lord came to Samuel, saying, "I regret that I have made Saul king, because he has turned back from following Me and has not carried out My commands." 1 Samuel 15:10-11





Regrets can be a stopping stone or a stepping stone.



And Samuel said to him, "The Lord has torn the kingdom of Israel from you this day and has given it to a neighbor of yours, who is better than you. And also the Glory of Israel will not lie or have regret, for he is not a man, that he should have regret." 1 Samuel 15:28-29





But for Samuel regret became a stopping stone.

And Samuel did not see Saul again until the day of his death, though **Samuel mourned** for Saul. 1 Samuel 15:35

Now the Lord said to Samuel, "How long are you going to mourn for Saul, since I have rejected him from being king over Israel? **1 Samuel 16:1**





God understands regret.

35 And Samuel did not see Saul again until the day of his death, though Samuel mourned for Saul. And the Lord regretted that He had made Saul king over Israel.

1 Samuel 15:35





How do we turn regrets into stepping stones?

...but one thing *I* do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. Therefore, all who are mature, let's have this attitude... Philippians 3:13-15





Be like God and choose a better king.

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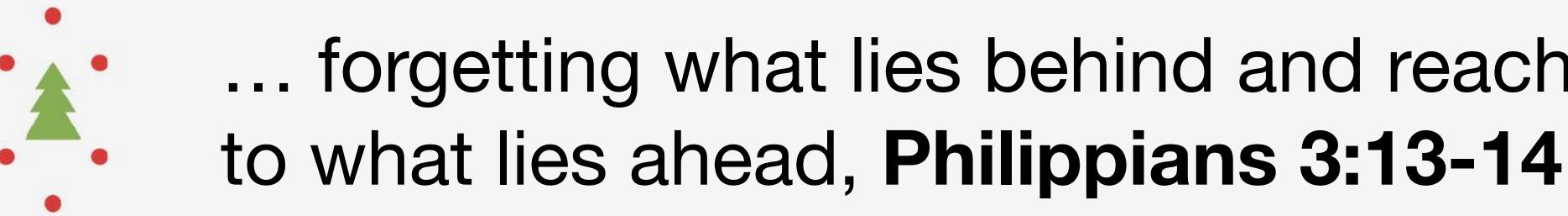


Because of Jesus, God looks at you without regrets.

Therefore if anyone is in Christ, this person is a new creation; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come... He made Him who knew no sin to be sin in our behalf, so that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

2 Corinthians 5: 17, 21





... forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward



Don't waste your regrets turn it into stepping stones.

