Develop great patience for retrial

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You may already have heard that success is more than a one step process and that success most often belongs to those who are able to endure that process. Life is filled with trial and error, which demands we constantly take inventory, weed out those elements of life which may cause failure, and try again.

Our Christian walk is no different. The life of a believer demands that when we fall, we get back up, brush ourselves off and go forward once more. Just because something did not work does not mean it will not work. It may only mean we need to work it again. What ideas or attempts have you abandoned in the past simply because they did not work the first time ... you may need to try again.

Prayer for Today

Dear heavenly Father, help me to grow fruits of the Spirit in my life, especially the fruits of patience and self control. Teach me to harness my fears and never give up attempting something You have given me to do.

Scriptures for Today

Philippians 3:14 I press on towards the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus. (NIV)

Proverbs 24:16 For a righteous man may fall seven times And rise again, But the wicked shall fall by calamity. (NKJV)

Habakkuk 2:3 For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay. (NIV)