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A Thought for Today About Perfection

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“None of us are normal, even after we are Christians if we mean by that being perfect. What is possible, however, is for us to live in the fullness of life in the circle of who we are, constantly pressing on the border lines to try to take further steps.”

**- American Presbyterian apologist Francis Schaeffer
(written in a letter February 22, 1980)**

Claiming perfection will make us a laughingstock . . . aiming for perfection will make us like the Lord.
Trying to do too many things will make us frazzled . . . trying to do one thing will make us focused.
Dwelling on our past will make us guilty . . . anticipating God’s future will make us glad.

***“Not that I am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own
because Christ Jesus has made me his own.
One thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead,
I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.”
(Philippians 3:12-14 ESV)***



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