

# Beyond Our Generation

Part two of the series, "Beyond: Living Beyond Ourselves"

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## **We must live beyond our generation and invest in the faith of the next generation.**

*"We will not hide them from their children, but tell to the coming generation the glorious deeds of the Lord, and his might, and the wonders that he has done. <sup>5</sup>He established a testimony in Jacob and appointed a law in Israel, which he commanded our fathers to teach to their children, <sup>6</sup>that the next generation might know them, the children yet unborn, and arise and tell them to their children, <sup>7</sup>so that they should set their hope in God and not forget the works of God, but keep his commandments; <sup>8</sup>and that they should not be like their fathers a stubborn and rebellious generation, a generation whose heart was not steadfast, whose spirit was not faithful to God." (Psalm 78:4-8 ESV)*

## **Failing to do so will have consequences.**

*"And the people served the Lord all the days of Joshua, and all the days of the elders who outlived Joshua, who had seen all the great work that the Lord had done for Israel. <sup>8</sup>And Joshua the son of Nun, the servant of the Lord, died at the age of 110 years. <sup>9</sup>And they buried him within the boundaries of his inheritance in Timnath-heres, in the hill country of Ephraim, north of the mountain of Gaash. <sup>10</sup>And all that generation also were gathered to their fathers. And there arose another generation after them who did not know the Lord or the work that he had done for Israel. <sup>11</sup>And the people of Israel did what was evil in the sight of the Lord and served the Baals. <sup>12</sup>And they abandoned the Lord, the God of their fathers, who had brought them out of the land of Egypt. They went after other gods, from among the gods of the peoples who were around them, and bowed down to them. And they provoked the Lord to anger." (Judges 2:7-12 ESV)*

## **We can live beyond our generation by investing in the next generation with our:**

1. Time
2. Talent
3. Treasure

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