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### I. Problems- Watch perceptively [1-3, 7-8, 10-12]

A. Anger [1, 7]

-Ephesians 4:26-27

B. Mockery [2]

1. What are these feeble Jews doing? Insecurity of who they are
2. Will they restore it for themselves? Insecurity of what they can do
3. Will they sacrifice? Insecurity of their religion
4. Will they finish up in a day? Insecurity of a deadline
5. Will they revive the stones out of the heaps of rubbish, and burned ones at that? Insecurity of their resources

C. Confusion [8]

D. Threat [8, 11-12]

E. Discouragement [6, 10]

F. Negativism/Pessimism [12]

G. Fear [11, 14]

### II. Power- Walk prayerfully [4-6, 9, 14]

A. Pray [4-6, 9]

B. Focus [6]

C. Worship [14]

### III. Progression- War productively [13-20]

A. He stopped the work [15]

B. He armed the people [13]

C. He arranged the people into family groups at vulnerable parts of the wall [13]

D. He encouraged them [14]

E. He divided the people into two groups as workers and warriors [16-18]

F. He devised a plan for an unexpected attack [18-20]

G. He accelerated the pace of the building [21]  
-Nehemiah 4:17

### IV. Perseverance- Work purposefully [21-23]

-Psalm 57:7-8