

A Biblical View on Work

Misconceptions of Work

1. Work is the result of the _____.
2. Work is _____, but ministry is _____.
3. Work affords me the ability to live _____.

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THE GOSPEL CHANGES EVERYTHING!!
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The Potential Pitfalls of Work

Idolatry

Idleness

How to Work Biblically

1. Work to _____ God. *Matthew 23:37*
2. Work to _____ others. *Matthew 23:39*
3. Work to Reflect God's _____. *Genesis 1:26-28, 2:15*
4. Work for _____. *2 Thessalonians 3:10, Ephesians 4:28*
5. Work for _____. *1 Timothy 6:17, Ecclesiastes 5:18-19*
6. Work to _____ and _____ the Gospel. *Titus 2: 9-10, 1 Peter 2:9*

True Success

Do your best. Don't just clean – polish. Don't just type it up – put it in a folder. Don't merely make the sale – make a friend. Don't merely serve Christ – share Christ. Don't merely serve – sacrifice. Work in such a way that Christ is obvious; your work is unusual. When other employees want you to ratchet it down, tell them it's not about the job. ... it's about Jesus. Don't call attention to yourself – show all that you serve Christ. — **Chris Mueller**