



MESSAGE NOTES

“Work”

Colossians 3:23-24

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The Bible teaches that work is a form of worship and service to God:

1. Work for the Lord

You don't need to quit your job to work for the Lord. In fact, we are all called to work for the Lord no matter what our Job is.

Colossians 3:23-24 - “Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, 24 since you know that you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are serving.”

All work should be done as if it is being done for the Lord, not just for human bosses or clients.

2. Working is More Than Just Survival

Ephesians 4:28 - “Anyone who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with their own hands, that they may have something to share with those in need.”

Through work, people can do more than just support themselves; they can also help others.

3. Seek God's Wisdom

Proverbs 16:3 - “Commit your work to the Lord, and your plans will be established.”

By dedicating your work to the Lord, your efforts will be supported and guided by God.

Conclusion

Work is not just for survival but it's a calling and an act of worship that reflects our faithfulness to God. Through our work, we can positively impact the world around us, contributing to society and serving those in need. My prayer is for us to live according to the Bible's values of work, serving with dedication and seeking to glorify God in all we say and all we do.