

Sunday, March 8
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PART - #8



i am...a steward of time, talent and treasure

I am a _____

Matthew 25:14-30

I am _____

And he became the father of the circumcised, who are not only circumcised but who also follow in the footsteps of the faith our father Abraham had while he was still uncircumcised. ~ Romans 4:12

Stewardship Traps

1. Idol _____

The one who works his land will have plenty of food, but whoever chases fantasies lacks sense. ~ Proverbs 12:11

The slacker craves, yet has nothing, but the diligent is fully satisfied. ~ Proverbs 13:4

Sheol and Abaddon are never satisfied, and people's eyes are never satisfied. ~ Proverbs 27:20

2. _____

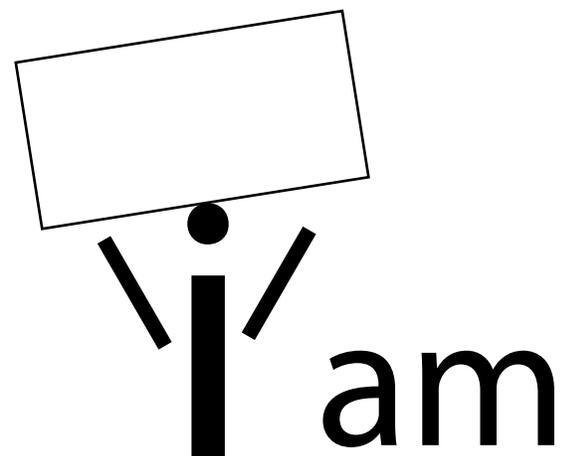
⁶Go to the ant, you slacker! Observe its ways and become wise. ⁷Without leader, administrator, or ruler, ⁸it prepares its provisions in summer; it gathers its food during harvest. ⁹How long will you stay in bed, you slacker? When will you get up from your sleep? ¹⁰A little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the arms to rest, ¹¹and your poverty will come like a robber, your need, like a bandit. ~ Proverbs 6:6-11

⁴Idle hands make one poor, but diligent hands bring riches. ⁵The son who gathers during summer is prudent; the son who sleeps during harvest is disgraceful. ~ Proverbs 10:4-5

There is profit in all hard work, but endless talk leads only to poverty. ~ Proverbs 14:23

3. I don't have _____ or
_____ to offer

⁶Remember this: The person who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the person who sows generously will also reap generously. ⁷Each person should do as he has decided in his heart—not reluctantly or out of necessity, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸And God is able to make



every grace overflow to you, so that in every way, always having everything you need, you may excel in every good work. ⁹As it is written: He scattered; He gave to the poor; His righteousness endures forever. ¹⁰Now the One who provides seed for the sower and bread for food will provide and multiply your seed and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹You will be enriched in every way for all generosity, which produces thanksgiving to God through us. ~ **2 Corinthians 9:6-11**

⁸For you are saved by grace through faith, and this is not from yourselves; it is God's gift—⁹not from works, so that no one can boast. ¹⁰For we are His creation, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared ahead of time so that we should walk in them. ~ **Ephesians 2:8-10**

4. _____

Luke 12:22-34

Stewardship Solution: _____

Therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, I urge you to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God; this is your spiritual worship. ²Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may discern what is the good, pleasing, and perfect will of God. ³For by the grace given to me, I tell everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he should think. Instead, think sensibly, as God has distributed a measure of faith to each one. ~ **Romans 12:1-3**

Whatever you do, do it enthusiastically, as something done for the Lord and not for men... ~ **Colossians 3:23**

¹⁹“Don't collect for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal. ²⁰But collect for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves don't break in and steal. ²¹For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. ~ **Matthew 6:19-21**

But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things will be provided for you. ~ **Matthew 6:33**