



## "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Matthew 25







#### Ahead

Introduction

Starting Well

Living Well

Suffering Well

Ending Well

Specials/Testimonies





# Starting Well



"If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth."

- Colossians 3:1-2







# Living Well

# Living Well: The Body







Sleep Food Exercise





#### The Good:

- Connecting people.
- Helpful content.

#### The Bad:

- Time wasted.
- Unhelpful content.

#### The Ugly:

- Ungodliness.
- Wicked content.



"For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you."

- 1 Chronicles 29:14



# "Why are relationships important?"



"Let us make man in our image, after our likeness."

- Genesis 1:26



## Relationship Theology



**Complement**Genesis 2:18-25



Love
Exodus 20:12-17



Diversity & Unity
1 Corinthians 12:12-20



The Gospel
John 3:16



## Relationship Cautions



Companions
Proverbs 24:24



Compliments
Proverbs 27:6



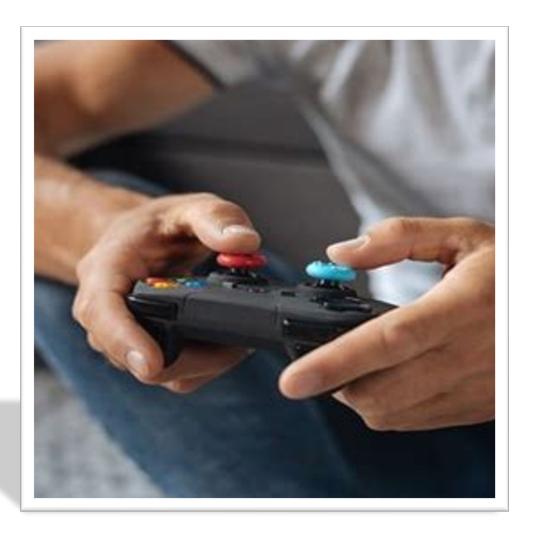
**Effort**Philippians 4:2-3



Influence
1 Corinthians 15:33









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#### We all have time.



I don't have time.



We all take time.



We all take time.

I can't take the time.



We all take time.

We all spend time.



We all take time.

We all spend time.

I can't afford the time.



We all take time.

We all spend time.

We all have enough time.



# "How do you manage your time?"

#### Time Considerations



**Identity**Ephesians 1:3-14





"I have been crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."

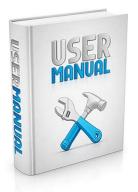
- Galatians 2:20



#### Time Considerations



**Identity**Ephesians 1:3-14



Purpose
Ephesians 2:10





"And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

- Colossians 3:17



#### Time Considerations



**Identity**Ephesians 1:3-14



Purpose
Ephesians 2:10



**Intention**Ephesians 4:11-16





"Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today."

- Luke 19:5



#### Time Considerations



**Identity**Ephesians 1:3-14



Purpose
Ephesians 2:10



Intention
Ephesians 4:11-16



**Wisdom**Ephesians 5:15-17





"If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him."

- James 1:5





# "How do you manage your time?"





## Time Helps



**Priorities** 





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Identify "big" time blocks.

## Time Helps





**Priorities** 

Balance



## Time Spectrum



• "All the time in the world"

"No time to spare!"

#### Time Spectrum



All the time in the world"No Quantity

No Quality

"No time to spare!"



"For everything there is a season, and a time for every matter under heaven."

- Ecclesiastes 3:1



#### Time Helps







**Priorities** 

Balance

Goals





- Daily (Bible, Connections, Errands).



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    - Yearly (Learned, Break).



#### Time Helps









Priorities Balance Goals Pace







66 Plodding wins the race. 99



Aesop





"The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance, but everyone who is hasty comes only to poverty."

- Proverbs 21:5



#### Time: Recap



- Consider identity, purpose, intention & wisdom.
- Time use/spent/had is time management.
- Your time reflects your priorities.
- Balance your time appropriately.
- Set goals, but pace yourself.

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"Redeeming the Time" Ephesians 5:16





## Questions?