

Monday, 14 April 2014

Ephesians 5:15-17

Look carefully then how you walk, not as unwise but as wise, making the best use of the time, because the days are evil. Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is.

Lord, how do I spend my day? Do I fritter away precious time on FaceBook and specious e-mails? Do I organize and allot my time to maximize the time spent with You and Your Word? Or in pursuit of those tasks and ministries You have assigned to me?

Lord, I need help in being a better steward of my time.

Tuesday, 15 April 2014

Colossians 3:23-24

Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord and not for men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.

Lord, keep me from the "good enough" syndrome. Help me to focus on each task, to execute each assignment as if You were standing at my shoulder watching every move. As You are but I need to be aware of Your presence and to never forget that every action is to bring glory and honor to Your Name.

Wednesday, 16 April 2014

Psalm 90:1-2

A Prayer of Moses, the man of God. Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.

An eternal dwelling place. Is this what You were

referring to when You said that the Kingdom of Heaven is available to me now? If so and I believe it to be true, it means that I labor within Your dwelling place the Kingdom of God. What a splendidly appointed and equipped workshop.

Thursday, 17 April 2014

Psalm 90:3-6

You return man to dust and say, "Return, O children of man!" For a thousand years in your sight are but as yesterday when it is past, or as a watch in the night. You sweep them away as with a flood; they are like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the morning: in the morning it flourishes and is renewed; in the evening it fades and withers.

My life, in the eternal span, is but an instant in Your eyes but You know my every thought, my every action. Thank You for the love and grace that tends my every moment and gives me the opportunity to glorify You.

Friday, 16 April 2014

Psalm 90:7-12

For we are brought to an end by your anger; by your wrath we are dismayed. You have set our iniquities before you, our secret sins in the light of your presence. For all our days pass away under your wrath; we bring our years to an end like a sigh. The years of our life are seventy, or even by reason of strength eighty; yet their span is but toil and trouble; they are soon gone, and we fly away. Who considers the power of your anger, and your wrath according to the fear of you? So teach us to number our days that we may get a heart of wisdom.

I have but two choices: to squander my time away or to pass it laboring in Your vineyard. Teach me through Your Holy Spirit to number my days in a way that develops wisdom and advances the Kingdom. It is only

through Your Spirit that my wish to serve becomes productive in Your eyes.

Saturday, 19 April 2014

Psalm 90:13-17

Return, O LORD! How long? Have pity on your servants! Satisfy us in the morning with your steadfast love, that we may rejoice and be glad all our days. Make us glad for as many days as you have afflicted us, and for as many years as we have seen evil. Let your work be shown to your servants, and your glorious power to their children. Let the favor of the Lord our God be upon us, and establish the work of our hands upon us; yes, establish the work of our hands!

Let me see the joy of my salvation, that my labors result in the peace that passes all understanding, in that state of knowing that I am serving in the sweet spot of Your glorious will. May Your Name be glorified through me.

Lord's Day, 20 April 2014

Psalm 119:156

Great is your mercy, O LORD; give me life according to your rules.

It is Your mercy that I have life in the Kingdom; it is Your grace that provides the rules that define where the boundaries of the Kingdom are; it is Your love that brought me into this scared place. You are indeed, the merciful God.

VOICES TOGETHER

Daily Meditations from the Psalms



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