

Not to Quit!

If we lose the reason 'why?' we will always quit when the opposition comes against us. Why do we do what we do? Why do we live like we live? Why do we give? Why do we love? Is there a cause? Are we foolish for giving of our time, of our talent, and of our treasure to Jesus? The world would definitely say you are foolish for living this way.

"This way of living is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God." 1Corinthians 1:18 NKJV

Then Jesus raises the bar even more when He says, 'Give ALL of your time, ALL of your talent, and ALL of your treasure to me!' But never forget, *"the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men." 1Corinthians 1:25 NKJV*

But really, shouldn't we live as good 'stewards'? Shouldn't we just live a 'balanced' life? Let's not get too excessive in our walk with God! That would make us a cult, wouldn't it? And what about the return on our investment? Shouldn't we be careful in our giving?" Absolutely! We are stewards in this life, amen? But it is God's time, talent and treasure within us that we are stewarding, not our own! Remember, stewardship involves being faithful with that which belongs to another! God has blessed you with His inheritance! Be faithful! The most 'balanced' thing you can do is always put Jesus Christ first place in your life.

How do you place a value on a soul? How can you compare that which is eternal with that which is temporal? Your time, your talent, and your treasure are all temporary. Better to invest in that which is eternal with your temporary! It will give you an eternal reward! Invest your time, your talent, and your treasure. They have purpose: use these things in your life to touch an empty vessel. When you share the love of Jesus with someone, what if they get 'saved'? What if they become a Samuel, or another David? What if it is a young teenager? What if they save their generation? God always holds His best warriors in reserve for the greatest of battles!

So why are we here? If you forget the 'why?' it is easy to quit. But if you remind yourself every day of the 'why', it will give you more strength, more courage, and more determination not to quit!

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