Booklet #2

Love the Lord with All Your Heart Mind, Soul & Strength

Love with Action/Not Words



Mark.7:6 This people honor me with their lips, but their heart is far away from me.

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The Lord Jesus Christ gives to those committed to Him success and peace without grief (Pro.10:22). However people committed to Jesus Christ don't remember a very important commandment stated by Him. As a result, many of God's children are miserable, frustrated, empty, and dejected. Those committed to God and His Son Jesus Christ must remember...

Mark12:29 The Lord our God is One Lord; 30 Love the... Lord, with all your heart, mind, soul, and strength.

This is the most important command God gave and those committed to Christ, must do their best to adhere to it. This can be challenging at times because we live in such a fast paced world. Many people are held to obligations such as jobs, school, children, and other daily activities. While these things are important, never get too busy to spend time with Jesus Christ daily. Commit yourself to giving God some of your best time daily.

Ex.5:9 Let the labor be heavier on the men, and let them work...that they pay no attention to false words.

One of the drawbacks of overworking, cluttering daily schedules, or mismanaging time is that it doesn't allow a person to spend any quality time with God. This is what Pharaoh attempted to do to the Israelites (then God's chosen people).

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God sent Moses to Pharaoh commanding him to release His people from long workdays, but Pharaoh refused. He responded by working them harder. He increased the daily workload believing they would not think about God if they were busy working.



How many people work too hard until they don't have time to think or even spend time with God? How can Jesus Christ talk to you if you are too busy to listen to what He is telling you? How can Christ release you from your problems if you are too busy to spend time with Him, so He can tell you how to overcome life's challenges?

This method worked on the people, but not against the messenger. When God Almighty sent another message to the people through Moses, the people refused to listen because they were too busy working (Ex.5:21). Satan is always trying to get people's mind off the word of God. If you cannot remember the word of God, how can you do His will?

Luke 10:41 the Lord answered...Martha, you are worried about so many things 42 but only a few things are necessary; Mary has chosen the good part, which shall not be taken away.

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Jesus cautioned Martha about allowing work to distract her. He encouraged Mary her sister for taking time to sit and listen to His teachings. When Christ visited them, Martha concerned herself with serving and chores. Mary however sat down next to Jesus and listened to His teachings. Martha became frustrated and asked the Lord to tell Mary to help her, but Christ told Martha she was worried about too many things. Mary on the other hand made proper use of her time by spending time with Jesus Christ while He was visiting.

This doesn't mean a person should neglect their responsibilities and go to church all day. The Bible clearly teaches that everyone should work to support themselves (Pro.13:4, 2 Thes.3:10); but God's children do not allow work to prevent them from spending time with Him.

The Lord Jesus Christ used the Apostle Paul in a mighty way. Paul wrote many New Testament letters and traveled on many missionary journeys preaching the Kingdom's Good News. From time to time Paul worked. Paul did not allow work to prevent him from achieving his call God put on his life (Acts18:3). He still studied and spent time with the Lord Jesus Christ.

Jobs or chores are things that prevent or distract people from spending the appropriate amount of time with the Lord Jesus

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Christ. There are many things that can potentially distract people. To counter this, **you** need to set aside time with God daily. Setting aside is synonymous to consecrate. Consecrate means set apart or holy. Therefore if we've separated ourselves to Jesus Christ as holy, we need to set aside quality time to spend with Him.

Phi.4:7...the peace of God, which passes all understanding shall, guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

One of the benefits of spending time with the Lord is having peace in every situation. If you spend time with Jesus Christ by reading the Holy Bible, praying, and fellowshipping, you will understand God's purpose for your life. Having constant communication with Christ prevents you from getting out of the destiny He has for you.

God's word declares His children are assured peace in their hearts and minds through His son Christ Jesus. This means you don't need to worry about things that are beyond your control. In fact, if you become frustrated, it means you are becoming anxious and out His will (Phi.4:6).

1 Sam.16:14 the Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul, and an evil spirit terrorized him.

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Saul was Israel's first king handpicked by God. Throughout Saul's reign, he continuously rejected God's council given through God's prophet Samuel. God appointed Saul over the nation, but Saul strayed away from His will.

This happened because he was not obedient. As a result of him not spending time with God, the presence of the Lord left him. God was unable to instruct Saul because he would not listen nor worship Him properly. Saul became frustrated and troubled in his mind.

If Saul continued to walk in God's will, the Lord would have sustained his kingdom. Instead, Saul's disobedience caused him paranoia and madness. Whenever you become troubled, discouraged, or frustrated, seek the Lord. Spend time with Him and listen to what He is telling you. Reexamine your position and things you are doing. God won't lie, therefore as His child; you ought to have peace that passes understanding through Christ Jesus.

This sounds good, but some children of God still face challenges finding peace even though they are walking in God's will to the best of their ability. What option do you have as a committed believer in Christ, but you still find yourself worried

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and unwilling to face tomorrow.

Mat.6:34 do not be anxious for tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.

The verse above explains this clearly. You cannot worry about tomorrow because tomorrow will take care of itself. This doesn't mean we don't make plans for a better future. It simply means a child of God must be faithful and continue to be obedient to His word. Tomorrow is another day and God is faithful to take care of His own. Remember the prayer taught by the Lord...

Mat.6:11 Give us this day our <u>daily bread</u>.

Committed believers in Christ don't worry. As long as you operate and comply to His word, His peace will rest upon you and your circumstances. This doesn't negate working to earn a living or planning for future goals you set in your life (Pro.15:22). It simply means after doing all you can possibly do while operating according to His word, His peace comforts you, so you know faith in Him will achieve the rest. His Holy Spirit will lead you to victory because you have kept His commandments.

Spend time with the Lord daily. Give God your best of everything including the time you spend with Him. Don't wait

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conversion to a friend and find a good Bible teaching home. Pray and ask God to place someone in your life to guide you and listen to their instruction. Continue to pray, praise, and study in the Lord Jesus Christ.

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Study Questions

1. A person will experience ______ when they get out of God's will.

a) frustration & anxiety b) blessings from God c) apathy

2. What is the most important command stated by Jesus Christ? a) love the Lord with all your heart, mind, soul, and strength b) go to church as much as possible c) tithe ten percent of your money

3. God promises ______ for those that do His will

a) peace that passes understanding b) fame & fortune c) misery

True or False

4. A person should worry and be nervous about tomorrow.

5. Children of God do not need to plan their future.

6. It is necessary that children of God spend time with the Lord Jesus Christ.

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