

A Week In The Name Of Jesus Series

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#2 – Monday: Work Day

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Understanding Work...

Sacred vs. Secular

Slave vs. Free

What the Bible says about WORKING...

1. Work

2 Thess. 3:10-15 earn what you eat
1 Thess. 4:12 don't be dependent on others
1 Tim. 5:8 provide for your family

2. Work Whole Heartedly

Eph. 6:5-8 do what you're told
work when nobody is watching
Prov. 6:9-11 get to work early

3. Work with the right attitude

Col 3:22-24 your real boss is Jesus
always do your best
1 Tim. 6:1,2 respect your boss
1 Peter 2:18-20 respect even bad bosses
Ps. 75:6-7 promotions come from God
Phil. 4:4 be positive and pleasant

4. Work for the right reason

1 Peter 2:12 set a good example for unbelievers
1 Tim. 6:1 set a good example of Christianity
Gal. 6:10 serve others / help out
Matt. 5:16 let your light shine for your co-workers
2 Cor. 3:2 realize others are "reading" you

5. When treated unfairly or faced with conflict

Rom. 12:17-21 don't repay evil with evil
seek peace
do good to the one causing the problem
pray for the one causing the problem
Matt. 5:44,45 respond with a gentle answer – not harsh
Prov. 15:1 be patient in affliction
Rom. 12:12 trust the Lord to deliver you
Ps. 34:19

6. Basic Christian work rules

Eph. 4:8 don't steal – anything!
Luke 16:10 be honest
1 Cor. 4:2 be faithful in attendance and punctuality
Ps. 34:13 watch your speech
Gal. 5:4 don't participate in dirty humor
James 3:10 don't use bad language
1 Cor. 15:33 be careful who you hang out with
Prov. 19:20 seek wise counsel – don't listen to losers

7. If you are the boss

2 Cor. 6:14 don't partner with unbelievers
Eph. 6:9 don't threaten – be fair and just