

USING MY TIME WISELY

Using God's Gifts To Me

Part 1

The sermon in one sentence: Time is a gift!

"We all live off His generous bounty, gift after gift after gift."
John 1:16

"This is what God does. He gives his best—the sun to warm and the rain to nourish—to everyone, regardless: the good and bad..."
Matthew 5:45

"What can I give the Lord for all the good things he has given to me?" Psalm 116:12

I. Using my time as a gift takes... the right _____

"Teach us to make the most of our time, so that we may grow in wisdom." Psalm 90:12

Key decision: I will _____

"It's useless to rise early and go to bed late, and work your worried fingers to the bone. Don't you know He enjoys giving rest to those He loves?" Psalm 127:2

"You must work for six days, but on the seventh day you must rest—even during the planting season and the harvest season."
Exodus 34:21

**II. Using my time as a gift takes... the right _____
with the right _____**

"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven." Eccl. 3:1

Key decision: I will _____

1. Work and Rest

2. Schedule and Relationships

3. Discipline and Flexibility

"You don't even know what your life tomorrow will be! You are like a puff of smoke, which appears for a moment and then disappears. What you should say is this: "If the Lord is willing, we will live and do this or that." James 4:14-15

**III. Using my time as a gift takes the right _____
with the right _____ with the right _____**

"We humans keep brainstorming options and plans, but God's purpose prevails." Proverbs 19:21

Key decision: I will _____

"Hour by hour I place my days in your hand..." Psalm 31:15

"God made my life complete when I placed all the pieces before him." Psalm 18:20

"This plan, which God will complete when the time is right, is to bring all creation together, everything in heaven and on earth, with Christ as head." Ephesians 1:10

Next Sermon's Topic

USING MY TREASURES WISELY

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