

FIVE DAY DEVOTIONAL: LOT'S LEGACY

Day 1: Sowing and Reaping in God's Kingdom Reading: Galatians 6:7-10 Devotional: God's spiritual laws are as immutable as His natural laws. Just as a farmer reaps what he sows, our lives produce fruit according to what we invest in. Today, reflect on where you're investing your time, energy, and resources. Are you sowing to please your flesh or to please the Spirit? **Remember**, every small act of kindness, every moment spent in prayer, every sacrifice made in obedience to God is a seed sown for eternal life. Challenge yourself to intentionally sow seeds of faith, love, and service today, trusting that God will bring about a bountiful harvest in His perfect timing.

Day 2: Prioritizing God's House Reading: Haggai 1:1-11 Devotional: The Israelites' neglect of God's temple while focusing on their own homes is a powerful metaphor for our lives. How often do we prioritize our personal comfort and success over our spiritual growth and God's kingdom work? Today, examine your life. Are there areas where you've been saying "not yet" to God? Perhaps it's serving in ministry, deepening your prayer life, or being more generous. **Remember**, when we put God first, He takes care of our needs. Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal any "paneled houses" in your life that are taking precedence over building God's spiritual house in your heart and community.

Day 3: Treasures in Heaven Reading: Matthew 6:19-24 Devotional: Jesus' words challenge our perspective on what truly matters. In a world obsessed with material wealth and earthly success, we're called to a radically different value system. Today, consider what you treasure most. Is it something that can be stolen or destroyed, or is it eternal? **Reflect** on ways you can invest in heavenly treasures - perhaps by cultivating relationships, growing in character, or serving others selflessly. Ask God to align your heart with His priorities and to help you see opportunities to store up treasures in heaven through your daily choices and actions.

Day 4: Stirred by God's Spirit Reading: Ezra 1:1-5 Devotional: The phrase "the LORD stirred the spirit" appears multiple times in today's reading, reminding us that true revival and change begin with God's initiative in our hearts. Are you feeling a stirring in your spirit lately? It could be God calling you to a new level of commitment, service, or faith. Pay attention to these promptings and don't dismiss them as mere emotions. God often uses these stirrings to guide us into His perfect will. **Today**, spend time in quiet reflection, asking God to stir your spirit and reveal any areas where He's calling you to step out in faith or obedience.

Day 5: Being God's Messenger Reading: Haggai 1:12-15 Devotional: Haggai's bold proclamation of God's truth sparked a revival among the people. In our increasingly secular world, speaking God's truth with love and conviction is more crucial than ever. You may not be a prophet, but God has placed you in your sphere of influence for a reason. **Today**, consider how you can be God's messenger in your daily life. It might be through words of encouragement, acts of kindness, or simply living out your faith authentically. Remember, when we faithfully deliver God's message, He promises to be with us. Ask for courage to speak truth when needed and wisdom to do so with grace and love.