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RELATIONSHIPS

PART FOUR

EPHESIANS 6:5-9

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⁸ knowing that whatever good anyone does, this he will receive back from the Lord, whether he is a bondservant or is free.

⁹ Masters, do the same to them, and stop your threatening, knowing that he who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and that there is no partiality with him.

“What Paul’s letters do is to bring us into an atmosphere where the institution of slavery could only wilt and die”

F.F. BRUCE

1. NEW BOSS

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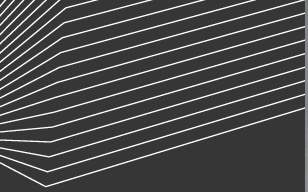


1. NEW BOSS

COLOSSIANS 3:23

²³ Whatever you do, work heartily, as for the Lord, and not for men. Knowing that from the Lord you will receive the inheritance as your reward. You are serving the Lord Christ.





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2. NEW GOAL

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“Christians are to be fully engaged at work as whole persons, giving their minds, hearts, and bodies fully to doing the best job possible on the task at hand.”

TIMOTHY KELLER

3. NEW REWARD

EPHESIANS 6:8

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