

STRESS IS BAD

MAKING CHANGE: EPISODE 2 OF 4

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MAIN IDEA: FINANCIAL SUCCESS INCLUDES NOT BEING A SLAVE

WE DO NOT WANT TO BE A SLAVE TO SOMEONE ELSE

3 PRAYERS TO PRAY WHEN GETTING OUT OF DEBT

1. GOD, GIVE ME SELF-CONTROL

Like a city whose walls are broken down is a person who lacks self-control. Proverbs 25:28

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and <u>self-control</u>. Against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23

WE ARE GOING TO SAY "NO" NOW IN ORDER TO SAY YES THE REST OF OUR LIVES

2. GOD, GIVE ME UNDERSTANDING

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge... Hosea 4:6

- IF YOU PAY \$250 PER MONTH ON \$16,000 DEBT AT 19% INTEREST, IT WILL TAKE 40 YEARS TO PAY OFF AND YOU WILL PAY \$105,000 IN INTEREST.
- IF YOU INVEST \$250 OR \$16,000 AT 12% INTEREST OVER 40 YEARS, YOU WILL HAVE JUST UNDER \$1,500,000.
- IF YOU INVEST \$16,000 AND ADD \$250 PER MONTH AT 12% INTEREST OVER 40 YEARS YOU WILL AMASS OVER \$4M

3. GOD, GIVE ME A PLAN

The plans of the diligent lead to profit as surely as haste leads to poverty. Proverbs 21:5

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YOU CAN WANDER INTO DEBT BUT YOU CAN'T WANDER OUT OF IT

WE WILL BE FAITHFUL TO THE RESOURCES GOD HAS GIVEN US

PAY OFF!

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Owe nothing to anyone except to love one another; for he who loves his neighbor has fulfilled the law. Romans 13:8

BETTER TO HAVE SOME NICE STUFF THAT YOU OWN THEN A BUNCH OF JUNK THAT OWNS YOU

BETTER ONE HANDFUL WITH TRANQUILITY THAN TWO HANDFULS WITH TOIL AND CHASING AFTER THE WIND. ECCLESIASTES 4:6