

Redemption At Work
Developing a Theology of Work

A. Introduction:

Work is:

B. A relationship with Jesus is _____ not _____ to achieve God's purpose for your life and God's perspective on your work.

1. Discipleship.
2. DMR

C. Recipients of God's Grace. Eph 2:1-11

D. Three questions to start the day.

E. Getting the most out of this class.

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"A train knows its greatest freedom when _____ Augustus Strong

F. Two types of work:

- 1.
2. This type of work is focused on the most.

G. Distortions

WORK

An activity involving mental or physical activity done in order to achieve a purpose or result

Redemption At Work

Developing a Theology of Work. Discover the Wonder, Beauty, Purpose and Fulfillment Side of Work. Despite the ravages of sin, a relationship with Christ brings hope, purpose and meaning to work. Class Method: Biblical Instruction/Study - Discussion/Discovery - Application/Life Change.

Properly applying the word of God to our cultural context

**A relationship with Jesus Christ is essential ~~not optional~~
God's purpose for your life and God's perspective on your work.**

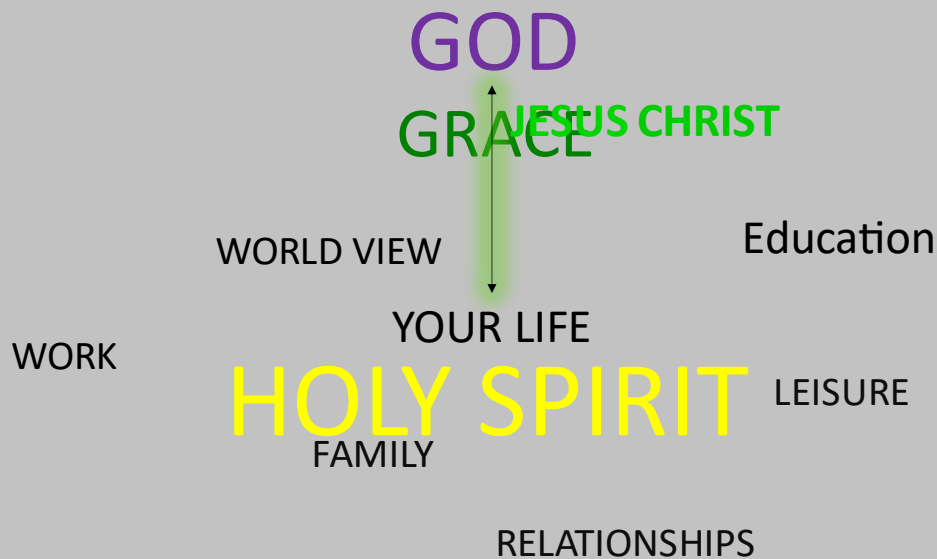
What kind of relationship? Discipleship? OR

D M R

Daily Minimum Requirement

Many Christians define themselves by what they do not believe.

A personal relationship with Jesus Christ to ~~priority~~



Three Questions to Start the Day

Will I be trusting God today?

Obey God and surrender the outcomes. 1Peter 2:23

Will I grieve over my own sin?

Don't walk in shame, walk in hope and gratitude. 1Jn 1:9

Will I be forgiving fellow sinners?

Lighten your load. 2Cor 5:14-16

A train knows its greatest freedom when it is running on the tracks. Augustus Strong

Give me a teachable spirit.

Learning from **everything**

Help me to grow in my faith.

Faith affects **everything**

Help to see things as they really are.

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Compensated

WORK

Uncompensated

activity involving mental or physical effort done in order to achieve a purpose or result.

Also, the means by which we get our total personal identity, meaning in life, significance, sense of importance, admiration of others, status, power and influence over others, first among equals, (if we do it right there will be no equals), and lots of cash, cars, homes, ATW, Boats, and everything else God wants for us.

Want: **Verb A desire to possess or do something** We want for ourselves.

Noun A lack or deficiency of something

Christian Materialism

Truck

House

Car

Swimming Pool

Boat

Big Screen TV

Bigger Screen TV

2nd car

Airplane

Credit Cards

401K

ATV

Pets

Roomba

Vacations

Lots of nice stuff

Alexis

Sorrowful Labor

Labor, Toil

Hebrew Word: מַעֲשֵׂה ma-aseh To