

IN IT TO WIN IT

Small Group APPLICATION QUESTIONS

“Do not merely listen to the Word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says!” (James 1:22 NIV)

SUMMARY

We examined 1 Timothy 6:1-2 as Pastor Frank brought his teaching “Good to Great in God’s Eyes” in our *In It to Win It* series. In this teaching, we see where the gospel meets us, how the gospel keeps us, and how the gospel increases us...regardless of our station in life. We mustn’t fall prey to the enemy’s half-truths, but worship God in our work lives!

APPLICATION

- 1. Don’t make the mistake of judging the past by today’s available light. God didn’t!**
 - How is it possible to learn from the mistakes of the past without passing judgment based on our present understanding?
 - Why is this such a difficult thing to do?
- 2. The Gospel is more than a message to be preached, it’s a lifestyle to be lived!**
 - Which is more challenging for you: Walking the Talk or Talking the Walk? Why?
 - What inspires you to pay more attention to someone: the way they live or the way they speak? Elaborate on your answer.
 - When has a lack of consistency in someone’s speech and actions caused you to question their character? How do you avoid such inconsistencies in your life?
- 3. The Gospel comes to all people, no matter where they are. It transforms not only the individual but the environment they are in as well.**
 - How has Christ challenged you to be better, personally, and not stay the same?
 - What changed in your environment/circumstances because you decided to accept Christ and obey the Gospel? Did others see this transformation? Explain.
 - How can our enemy twist the truth in 1 Corinthians 7:20-24 against point #3 above?
- 4. Go back to work this week...for God’s glory! [Read Colossians 3:22-24]**
 - What is the [next] best thing you can do at your job to glorify God in your work?
 - When have you been slack in your work? How did you justify it in your mind?
 - With what frequency do you pray for your boss, company, and employees?
 - How can this group pray for you in your work?

PRAYER

Pray to be a Christ-filled witness to everyone you work with.
Ask the Lord to transform yourself and your environment to glorify Him more.



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