"Where the Road Ends...Ministry Begins"



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The Judgment Seat of Christ Part V

When I stand at the Judgment Seat of Christ,
And He shows the plans He had for me,
The potential of my life as it should have been,
Had He had His way-and I see
How I resisted Him here, and rebelled against Him there,
And I would not yield my will,
Will there be grief in my Savior's eyes,
Grief though He loves me still?
Would He have me rich and I stand there poor,
Stripped of all but His grace,
While memory runs like a hunted animal
Down the paths I cannot retrace?
Lord, of the years that are left to me,
I give them to thy hand;
Take me, break me and mold me

Matt. 7: 24-27 = the wise man & the foolish man

Lesson: Be careful how you build your life message

I. How can you be a "wise master builder" (1st Cor. 3:10)

1. The wise person has the **fear of the Lord** in his/her heart= **Proverbs 9:10** "*The fear of the Lord is the beginning of Wisdom*."

2. The Wise person takes God & **His Word seriously**. See James 1:21, 22 the foolish man is too proud to listen to God or His words.

3. The wise person desires to **please God** on "that day." 2 Cor. 7:1 "*Perfecting holiness in the fear of God*." Prov. 28:14 "*Blessed is the man who fears the Lord always, but he who hardens his heart will fall into calamity*."

4. The wise person is acutely aware of time. **Ephes. 5:15-17** "*Look carefully how you walk, not as unwise men but as wise, making the most of the time, because the days are evil.*"

II. Live in the Light of your Purpose & Vision

- 1. Find your Life Purpose/vision 1.) Clue, it will be in the direction of your spiritual gifts and talents.
- 2. It will be in the direction of your Calling

Example: A life goal or purpose might be; "To know, love, and glorify God. And to be used of Him to raise up laborers in significant numbers to help fulfill the Great Commission in my lifetime."

3. Have goals to fulfill your Life purpose.

Goals are measurable objectives that direct you toward your vision, they enable you to reject the superfluous and concentrate on your purpose.