

“Six Days Shall You Labor”

Labor is a gift from God.

Genesis 1:1 NIV

In the beginning God created....

..... And God saw that it was good.

Genesis 2:15 NIV

The LORD God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to **work it** and take care of it.

Exodus 20: 9,11 NIV

Six days you shall labor and do all your work, ... For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but he rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

Ecclesiastes 3:13 NIV

That each of them may eat and drink, and find satisfaction in all their toil--this is **the gift of God.**

God gave each of us gifts to labor.

Ephesians 2:10 NIV

For we are **God’s handiwork**, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God **prepared in advance** for us to do.

1. Your Gifts

1 Corinthians 7:17 NIV

Nevertheless, each person should live as a believer in whatever situation the Lord has assigned to them, just as God has called them.

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1 Corinthians 7: 17 Phillips

Each man should live his life with **the gifts** that God has given him and in the condition in which God has called him.

2. Your **Passions**

Matthew 6:21 NLT

Wherever your treasure is, there the desires of your heart will also be.

3. Your **Past**

Galatians 6:4 MSG

Make a careful exploration of who you are and **the work you have been given**, and then sink yourself into that. Don't be impressed with yourself. Don't compare yourself with others. Each of you must take responsibility for doing the creative best you can with your own life.

Colossians 3:23 NIV

Whatever you do, **work at it** with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters.

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James 4:2 NLT

...you don't have what you want because you don't ask God for it.

Philippians 4:12 NIV

...I have learned the secret of being **content** in any and every situation...

Philippians 2:14 NIV

Do everything **without** grumbling or arguing.

Hebrews 10:36 NIV

You need to **persevere** so that when you have done the will of God, you will receive what he has promised.

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