

# THE WORTH OF YOUR WORK

## Advancing Your Career - Part 1 of 6

**Ecclesiastes 3:9** "What does the worker gain from his toil?"

### WHY WORK?

#### 1. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.

**Genesis 1:26-28** "... so God created man in his own image... male and female ... and God said to them, `... Fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over it ..."

**John 5:17** (Jesus) "My Father is always at his work to this very day, and I too am working."

#### 2. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.

**2 Thessalonians 3:7-8** "We were not idle when we were with you ... On the contrary, we worked night and day, laboring and toiling so that we would not be a burden to any of you."

**2 Thessalonians 3:10** "If a man will not work, he should not eat!"

**1 Timothy 5:8** "If anyone does not provide for his relatives, and especially for his immediate family, he has denied the faith, and is worse than an unbeliever."

#### 3. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.

**Luke 16:10-12** "Whoever can be trusted with very little can be trusted with much ... If you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches? And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else's property, who will give you your own?"

**4. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Ephesians 4:28 (GN)** "... (We) must work, doing something useful with our own hands, so that we may have something to share with those in need."

**5. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.**

**1 Thessalonians 4:11 (GN)** "Make it your aim to live a quiet life, to mind your own business, and earn your own living ... In this way you will win the respect of those who are not believers..."

**6. WORK \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Proverbs 22:29 (LB)** "Do you know a hard-working man? He shall be successful and stand before kings."