

HOW TO INVEST YOUR LIFE
What Every Christian Needs to Grow - Part 4

7 PRINCIPLES FOR INVESTING MY LIFE

1. OWNERSHIP: _____.

Psalm 24:1 "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof."

Matthew 25:14 "Again, it will be like a man going on a journey, who called his servants and entrusted his property to them."

2. ALLOCATION: _____.

Matthew 25:15 "To one he gave five TALENTS of money, to another two talents, and to another one talent, each according to his ability."

Romans 12:6 "We each have been given different gifts, according to the grace given us."

3. ACCOUNTABILITY: _____.

Matthew 25:19 "After a long time, the Master of those servants returned and settled accounts with them."

Romans 14:12 "So then, each of us will give an account of himself to God."

4. UTILIZATION: _____.

Matthew 25:16 The first man, "The man who had received five talents went at once and put his money to work and he gained five more."

Matthew 25:17 The second man, "So also the one with two talents gained two more."

Matthew 25:18 The third man, "But the man who had received the one talent went off, dug a hole in the ground and hid his master's money."

Matthew 25:26 "His master said, `You wicked, lazy servant."

Matthew 25:27 "You should have at least put my money on deposit with the bankers so that when I returned, I'd have received it back with interest."

5. MOTIVATION: _____.

Matthew 25:26 "I was **afraid** and went out and **hid** your talent in the ground."

Proverbs 29:25 "The fear of man is a snare."

Matthew 25:24 "Master, I knew that you were a hard man, harvesting where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered..."

6. APPLICATION: _____.

Matthew 25:28 "Take the talent from him and give it to the one who has ten talents."

7. COMPENSATION: _____.

Matthew 25:23 "His Master replied, `Well done good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things - I will put you in charge of many things. Come and share your Master's happiness!"

Matthew 6:20 "Store up for yourselves treasure in heaven"