

Mid-Week Stewardship Thought

Thanks be to God

As stewards, we are exhorted to manage faithfully all that God has given us. We are urged to use our time wisely, because we don't know how long our time on earth will be (Psalm 90:10, 12). We realize that God has given talents to each of us and that the more wisely we use them, the greater will be the benefit to the Church (1 Peter 4:10). Our relationships with others are gifts from God and provide opportunities for us to be stewards of the Gospel wherever we find those relationships – at home, at work, in church, in our neighborhoods. Our financial resources are only on loan from God, and we are to use them for His glory (Luke 12:48). All of these activities, all of these attitudes, however, are only responses. If we "act" and "feel" in these appropriate "Christian" ways out of obedience without faith, we are certainly lost creatures. *"And without faith it is impossible to please Him"* (Hebrews 11:6).



Prayer: Our Father in Heaven, I thank You for Your indescribable gift: my Savior Jesus. I thank You that You do not treat me as I deserve, but that You continue to forgive my sin against You and those around me. Amen.

Blessings on your journey as a steward!