

Chapter 8 "Time is Not Ours"

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"God has given me this day to use it as I will. I can waste it--or use it for good, but what I do today is important, because I am exchanging a day of my life for it!" ~ Heartsill Wilson

1. Read Job 9:25-26

*Are you finding joy in your day?

*Do you see the things that God is doing on a daily basis?

If every morning your bank credited your account with \$86,400 but every evening canceled whatever part of the amount you failed to use, what would you do? Spend every cent --- of course! Well, you have such a bank account --- it is called TIME. Every day it credits you with 86,400 seconds. At midnight, whatever you failed to use is lost. A balance is not carried over to the next day and you're not allowed overdrafts. Each day the bank named TIME opens a new account with you. Each night it burns the records of the day. If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours. ~ Comedian Robert G. Lee

2. Read 1 Chronicles 29:14-18

*How are you spending your bank account?

*Do you realize that your days here on earth are but a shadow compared to eternity? Spend each moment wisely.

3. Read Psalm 84:10-11

*What does this mean to you? Who are you living your day for?

4. Read Philippians 4:4

*This is a great way to start your day. Before you even get out of bed, rejoice in who the Lord is! Find a way to start your morning right!

5. Read Psalm 43:4-5

*David made a decision to put his hope in God. Will you make the same decision even when your heart is downcast?

*How will you play music to the Lord? David played his harp, how will you worship God?

6. Read Matthew 5:13

*Do you like salt, seasonings, etc.? Will you be the spice or seasoning that makes someone's life have meaning?

*How will you add flavor to someone's life this week for God? You are always a reflection of Him, so remember to reflect Him in a positive way.

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