

are we Available to God?



Romans 7:6 KJV

But now we are delivered from the law, that being dead wherein we were held; that we should serve in newness of spirit, and not in the oldness of the letter.

Galatians 5:13 KJV

For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.

John 12:26 KJV

If any man serve me, let him follow me; and where I am, there shall also my servant be: if any man serve me, him will my Father honour.

Revelation 7:15 KJV

Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple: and he that sitteth on the throne shall dwell among them.

SIFTING YOUR LIFE FOR SERVICE:

1. Each of us has a purpose for which God wants to use us.
2. God uses our service to bring us closer to him.
3. When we say we cannot be used by God then we will continue to live our lives as though it doesn't matter what we do because God doesn't want us.
4. We should be careful not to substitute the giving of tithes with the giving of ourselves.
5. Are we giving all the glory to God or are we seeking glory for ourselves?

GOD WILL PREPARE US BEFORE SERVICE:

1. Whenever we're ready, the journey begins, one step at a time.
2. He has given us a talent that we should continually hone or sharpen.
3. He gave us the Holy Spirit to enable us to fulfill our obligation.
4. God sifts our lives to separate that which He cannot use and that which serves his intent.

THE SIFTING PROCESS:

1. Separating worthy from unworthy things in our life.
2. Shake, shock, silent, searching, sterilizing, suffering.

WHAT TO EXPECT IN SERVICE TO GOD:

1. Intimate relationship with God.
2. Clear guidance.
3. Adequate provision.
4. The Holy Spirit, our helper.
5. Confidence to face the trials and tribulations of life.
6. Inescapable conflict.
7. Positive impact on others lives.
8. Life fulfillment and joy in our own life.
9. Eternal - unconditional love.

Sometimes we need to reach the darkest point in order for us to be ready for God to come into our life to deliver His best.