



“I’m So Glad You Did That!”

“Are you seeking great things for yourself? Don’t do it!” Jeremiah 45:5 (NLT)

One of the most common struggles I’ve seen people face over my many years as a financial advisor is a myopic focus on the “now”. Though people realize the long term is important, it’s not urgent. The result? Many, many terrible financial situations that could have been prevented. To raise the urgency, I learned to ask people “What decision could you make now that would make your future self say about your present self ‘I’m so glad you did that!’” When it comes to Kingdom priorities, the long term is more than simply “important” yet seeking great things here on Earth seems to get all of our attention.

“Good is the enemy of great.” | Jim Collins

Similarly, seeking great things for yourself here on Earth is the enemy of seeking greater things for God. I’m sure you’d agree, but **how can you raise your urgency so that your future self says about your present self, "I'm so glad you did that!"**

I've heard it said many times that you never hear someone on their death bed wishing they had more money now. Earthly things are not so important at this point. Instead, connecting and reconciling with loved ones and God rises to the top. In some ways I have felt this way during this COVID 19 crisis. Now, Oregon, California and Washington are on fire and people I know have lost homes. Social media is full of thoughts, "Could this be the beginning of the end times?" Who knows, but it does make you think of such things. I'm feeling my urgency rise!

"So you, too, must keep watch! For you don't know what day your Lord is coming. ⁴³ understand this: If a homeowner knew exactly when a burglar was coming, he would keep watch and not permit his house to be broken into. ⁴⁴ You also must be ready all the time, for the Son of Man will come when least expected. Jesus Christ| Matthew 24:42-44 (NLT)

Perhaps the benefit of these crises is an increase in your urgency too. Jesus was clear, we must be "ready all the time" because his return could be eminent. Oregon uses a 1 – Ready, 2 – Set, 3 – Go system for evacuation. "Set" means, packed ready to go at a moment's notice. **Are you set?**

"Anyone who builds on that foundation may use a variety of materials—gold, silver, jewels, wood, hay, or straw. ¹³ But on the judgment day, fire will reveal what kind of work each builder has done. The fire will show if a person's work has any value. ¹⁴ If the work survives, that builder will receive a reward. ¹⁵ But if the work is burned up, the builder will suffer great loss. The builder will be saved, but like someone barely escaping through a wall of flames. The Apostle Paul| 1 Corinthians 3:12-15 (NLT)

The good news is that salvation is assured to those who have accepted Jesus' generous gift, but there is more in store. Rewards await those who pursue the right work, the results of which will survive the test of fire.

What will be the rewards for your Kingdom work?

Unsure of your Kingdom work? It's not as far away as you might think, and it doesn't mean you have to drop everything to become a missionary in Africa. Make a bold decision now so that your future self will say about your present self "I'm so glad you did that!" Sign-up for our Advisor Guided, Reach New

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"Kingdom work has eternal rewards"

"For the Son of Man is going to come in his Father's glory with his angels, and then he will reward each person according to what they have done."

Jesus Christ| Matthew 16:27 (NIV)

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