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# **1. You Will Give Account For Your Submission To Jesus** **(v12-15, 27)**



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## **2. You Will Personally Give Account For Your Own Efforts** **(v13-15)**



## 2 Corinthians 5

- 9 Therefore we make it our aim, whether present or absent, to be well pleasing to Him.
- 10 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.



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## 1 Corinthians 12

22 No, much rather, those members of the body which seem to be weaker are necessary.

23 And those members of the body which we think to be less honorable, on these we bestow greater honor; and our unpresentable parts have greater modesty,

24 but our presentable parts have no need. But God composed the body, having given greater honor to that part which lacks it,

25 that there should be no schism in the body, but that the members should have the same care for one another.



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During His absence, His servants, believing disciples, need to invest what God has given them for His glory. This parable clarifies that while salvation and entrance into the kingdom come by faith in Jesus, rewards for service rest on the believer's works.

**Paul D. Weaver, Surveying the Gospels and Acts**



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### **3. You Will Give Account For Your Faithfulness In Little Things** **(v16-17)**



Luke 9:46-48  
**Be Great**

1. You Should Want To Be Great (v46)
2. You Should Know How To Be Great (v47)
3. You Have The Opportunity To Be Great (v48)
4. You Can Start Being Great Immediately (v48)



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### **3. You Will Give Account For Your Faithfulness In Little Things** **(v16-17)**



The reward for faithful work is always—more work! But what a compliment to be entrusted with the management of so many cities! How we serve the Lord today will help determine our reward and ministry when He comes to establish His kingdom on earth. Faithfulness now is preparation for blessed service then.

**Warren Wiersbe,** The Bible Exposition Commentary



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## **4. You Will Give Account For Your Diligence In Doing Your Best (v18-19)**



## 1 Corinthians 9

**24** Do you not know that those who run in a race all run, but one receives the prize? Run in such a way that you may obtain it. **25** And everyone who competes for the prize is temperate in all things. Now they do it to obtain a perishable crown, but we for an imperishable crown. **26** Therefore I run thus: not with uncertainty. Thus I fight: not as one who beats the air. **27** But I discipline my body and bring it into subjection, lest, when I have preached to others, I myself should become disqualified.



## Philippians 3

**12** Not that I have already attained, or am already perfected; but I press on, that I may lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus has also laid hold of me.

**13** Brethren, I do not count myself to have apprehended; but one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind and reaching forward to those things which are ahead,

**14** I press toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.



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## **5. You Will Give Account For Opportunities You Neglected** **(v20-26)**



God expects us to use what he gives us to make more for his kingdom. God expects us to use our theology to motivate our actions. We should act on what we know about God. There's no acceptable excuse for not acting on the truth we know about God.

**Thabiti Anyabwile, Exalting Jesus in Luke**



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## 1 Corinthians 3

14 If anyone's work which he has built on it endures, he will receive a reward.

15 If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.



The third servant had everything taken from him. He remained his master's servant, and in his house, but was left with nothing. He proved himself unable to manage his master's things, and was given nothing to manage.

**David Guzik, Enduring Word Commentary**



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The main point of this parable is clear; the kingdom will be delayed, so we must concentrate on being faithful servants in the meantime.

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