

HOW TO WIN AT YOUR WORK

Introduction:

A man's wisdom is revealed in his approach to_____.

Proverbs 16:3 (LB) "Commit your work to the Lord, then it will succeed."

SIX WINNING PRINCIPLES FROM SOLOMON (W.I.N.N.E.R.)

1. W WORK WITH _____.

Proverbs 17:24 (TEV) An intelligent person aims at wise actions, but a fool starts off in many directions.

- Jesus' first public words: "I must be about _____"
- Jesus' last words at cross: "_____".

Proverbs 13:6 (LB) "A wise man thinks ahead; a fool doesn't and even brags about it!"

- If you _____, you _____.
- *Evaluate:* How clear are my work goals?

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2. I INSIST ON _____.

Proverbs 10:9 (NIV) "The man of integrity walks securely; but he who takes crooked paths will be found out."

- World looks at _____; God looks _____.
- The magic word in sales: "variant similitude" _____ of truth.
- *Evaluate:* How honest am I?

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3. N. NEVER MAKE _____.

Proverbs 22:13(LB) "The lazy man is full of excuses. 'I can't go to work,' he says, 'If I go outside, I might meet a lion in the street and be killed.'"

- Rationalizing= rational _____.
- Excuses are _____.

Proverbs 14:23 (LB) "Work brings profit; talk brings poverty."

- *Evaluate:* How often do I excuse my behavior?

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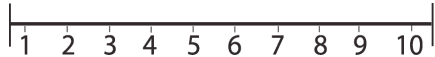
4. N. NEVER STOP _____.

Proverbs 15:14 (TEV) "Intelligent people want to learn but stupid people are satisfied with ignorance."

- Leaders are _____.

- Average worker processes _____ times the information/10 year ago.
- Sources for learning
 1. God's _____(Proverbs 13:13)
 2. Wise _____(Proverbs 15:22)
 3. _____(Proverbs 28:15)

- *Evaluate:* What's my attitude toward learning?

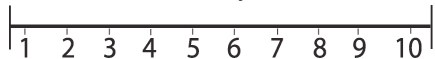


5. **E.** ECONOMIZE YOUR _____.

Ecclesiastes 8:6 (TEV) "There is a right time and a right way to do everything but we know so little."

- Time is an _____opportunity employer.
- Time management is a _____issue.
- Work _____and not_____.

Evaluate: How well did I use my time last week?



6. **R.** RESOLVE TO _____.

Proverbs 22:29 (LB) "Do you know a hard-working man? He shall be successful and stand before kings!"

- Key: Learn from your _____.
- If at first you don't succeed, _____.

CONCLUSION: God has not given up on you!

Matthew 11:28 (Jesus) "Come to Me, all of you who are weary and overburdened, and I will give you rest! Put on My yoke and learn from Me...you will find rest for your souls."