

Labor

"The Son of God reveals Himself in me, and I serve Him in the ordinary ways of life out of devotion to Him."

~Oswald Chambers

"For the Lord your God will bless you in all your harvest and in all the work of your hands, and your joy will be complete."

~Deuteronomy 16:15

"But you, be strong and do not let your hands be weak, for your work shall be rewarded!"

~2 Chronicles 15:7

"He becometh poor that dealeth with a slack hand; but the hand of the diligent maketh rich."

~Proverbs 10:4

Loving God

"Today God's eyes are still running all across America, Canada, Mexico, the islands of the sea, the world... Looking for someone - anyone - who will totally and passionately see Him, who is determined that every thought and action will be pleasing in His sight."

~Jim Cymbala

"The Lord watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy."

~Psalm 145:20

"Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him."

~1 John 2:15

"You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart."

~Deuteronomy 6:5-6

Obedience

"Always remember that when you came to Christ, you became His responsibility. Your part is explicit obedience to everything He tells you to do.. His part is covering all the consequences that result from your obedience."

~Ray Ortlund

"If they hear and serve Him, they will end their days in prosperity and their years in pleasures."

~Job 36:11

"My son, do not forget my teaching, but keep my commands in your heart, for they will prolong your life many years and bring you prosperity."

~Proverbs 3:1-2

"But He said, "More than that, blessed are those who hear the word of God and keep it!"

~Luke 11:28

Patience

"I choose patience... I will overlook the inconveniences of the world. Instead of cursing the one who take my place, I'll invite him to do so. Rather than complain that the wait is too long, I will thank God for a moment to pray."

~Max Lucado

"Be humble and gentle. Be patient with each other, making allowance for each other's faults because of your love."

~Ephesians

"Be glad for all God is planning for you. Be patient in trouble, and always be prayerful."

~Romans 12:12

"Wait on the LORD: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord."

~Psalm 27:14

Peace

"There is a way to inner peace but it isn't through our own sophistication, abilities, talents, or internal makeup; it is through God."

~Roger Palms

"For the Scriptures say, "If you want a happy life and good days, keep your tongue from speaking evil, and keep your lips from telling lies. Turn away from evil and do good. Work hard at living in peace with others."

~1 Peter 3:10-11

"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God."

~Matthew 5:9

"Make every effort to live in peace with all men and to be holy; without holiness no one will see the Lord."

~Hebrews 12:14

Perseverance

"I think and think for months and years, ninety-nine times, the conclusion is false. The hundredth time I am right."

~Albert Einstein

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

~Philippians 4:13

"God blesses the people who patiently endure testing. Afterward they will receive the crown of life that God has promised to those who love him."

~James 1:12

"To those who by persistence in doing good seek glory, honor and immortality, he will give eternal life."

~Romans 2:7

Physical Care

"My deeds will not be measured by my youthful appearance, but by the concern lines on my forehead and the laugh lines around my mouth."

~Erma Bombeck

"Charm is deceitful and beauty is passing, but a woman who fears the LORD, she shall be praised."

~Proverbs 31:30

"Do not judge according to appearance, but judge with righteous judgment."

~John 7:24

"You do not know what will happen tomorrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appears for a little time and then vanishes away. Instead you ought to say, "If the Lord wills, we shall live and do this or that."

~James 4:14-15

Prayer

"Prayer is in very deed the pulse of the spiritual life. It is the great means of bringing to minister and people the blessing and power fo heaven. Persevering and believing prayer means a strong and an abundant life."

~Andrew Murray

"Therefore, I want the men in every place to pray, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and dissension."

~1 Timothy 2:8

"The LORD is near to all who call upon Him, to all who call upon Him in truth."

~Psalm 145:18

"Pray without ceasing; in everything give thanks; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."

~1 Thessalonians 5:17-18

Purity

"Purity isn't something that's reserved for our teens. It's a virtue that we can, and must, exercise long after we say "I Do"."

~Darlene Schacht

"So I advise you to live according to your new life in the Holy Spirit. Then you won't be doing what your sinful nature craves."

~Galatians 5:16

"The body is not meant for sexual immorality, but for the Lord, and the Lord for the body."

~1 Corinthians 6:13

"For this is the will of God, your sanctification: that you should abstain from sexual immorality; that each of you should know how to possess his own vessel in sanctification and honor, not in passion of lust, like the Gentiles who do not know God; For God did not call us to uncleanness, but in holiness."

~1 Thessalonians 4:3-5, 7