

Do Your Job

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“I brought GLORY to your name here on earth by COMPLETING the work you gave me to do.” - John 17:4

Q: If Jesus taught a lesson on Leadership - what would he say?

I think he would say...

1. Do your job.
2. Do it well.
3. Don't quit.

Do Your Job.

- **When You're AFRAID.**

Mark 14

³² They went to the olive grove called Gethsemane, and Jesus said, “Sit here while I go and pray.” ³³ He took Peter, James, and John with him, and he became deeply troubled and distressed. ³⁴ He told them, “My soul is crushed with grief to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with me.” ³⁵ He went on a little farther and fell to the ground. He prayed that, if it were possible, the awful hour awaiting him might pass him by. ³⁶ “Abba Father,” he cried out, “everything is possible for you. Please take this cup of suffering away from me. Yet, I want your will to be done, not mine.” **He prayed this prayer 3 times*

- **When You're ALONE.**

Mark 14

³⁷ Then he returned and found the disciples asleep. He said to Peter, "Simon, are you asleep? Couldn't you watch with me even one hour?" ³⁸ Keep watch and pray, so that you will not give in to temptation. For the spirit is willing, but the body is weak." ³⁹ Then Jesus left them again and prayed the same prayer as before. ⁴⁰ When he returned to them again, he found them sleeping, for they couldn't keep their eyes open. And they didn't know what to say.

- **When You're ACCUSED.**

Luke 23

¹ Then the entire council took Jesus to Pilate, the Roman governor. ² They began to state their case . . .

- **When You're ABANDONED.**

Matthew 27

⁴⁶ At about three o'clock, Jesus called out with a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" Which means, "My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?"

*Your most IMPORTANT job
as a Leader is doing YOUR job.*

Q: Where are you tempted to **envy**?

Do it Well.

- **For GOD's Glory.**

John 17

⁴ I brought glory to you here on earth by completing the work you gave me to do.

- **For THEIR Good.**

Matthew 5

¹⁶ Let your good deeds shine out for all to see, so that everyone will praise your heavenly Father.

*A job WELL DONE might be
your loudest SERMON.*

Q: Where are you tempted to **settle**?

Don't Quit.

- **Because I SENT you there.**

John 17

¹⁵ I'm not asking you to take them out of the world, but to keep them safe from the evil one. ¹⁶ They don't belong to this world any more than I do. ¹⁷ Make them holy by your truth; teach them your word, which is truth. ¹⁸ Just as you sent me into the world, I am sending them into the world. ¹⁹ And I give myself as a holy sacrifice for them so they can be made holy by your truth.

- **Because I'm USING you there.**

John 17

²⁰ I am praying not only for these disciples but also for all who will ever believe in me through their message.

- **Because I'm WITH you there.**

John 17

²⁵ O righteous Father, the world doesn't know you, but I do; and these disciples know that you sent me. ²⁶ I have revealed you to them, and I will continue to do so. Then your love for me will be in them, and I will be in them.

- **Because I didn't quit on YOU.**

John 19

³⁰ When Jesus had tasted it, he said, *"It is finished!"*
Then he bowed his head and released his Spirit.

"It is Finished!" (What's Finished?)

> **Religion is Finished.**

1 Peter 3

¹⁸ Christ died for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God. He suffered physical death, but he was raised to life in the Spirit.

> **Judgment is Finished.**

1 Peter 2

²⁴ He personally carried away our sins in his body on the cross so that we can be dead to sin and live for what is right. By his wounds you are healed.

> **Death is Finished.**

1 Corinthians 15

⁵⁴ "Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is your victory? O death, where is your sting?"
⁵⁵ For sin is the sting that results in death, and the law gives sin its power. But thank God! He gives us victory over sin and death through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Q: Are you ready to say **YES** to Jesus?

Q: Where are you tempted to **quit**?

*The test of your Leadership isn't
how you START - it's how you FINISH.*

Questions.

Q: Where are you tempted to **envy**?

- Marriage
- Family
- Finances
- Friends
- Job
- Church
- Other: _____

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Prayer: Heavenly Father, thank you for sending your son Jesus to take away my sin, cancel my debt, and give me NEW LIFE in him! By your power, I will finish the job you've given me to do. In Jesus name, Amen.