

# The Laws of Spiritual Investment

Matthew 25:14-28

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- When you invest, you give a personal \_\_\_\_\_ (money, time, energy) towards something that you hope will \_\_\_\_\_ in value over time.
- When you \_\_\_\_\_ invest in something or someone, you hope that your investment will result in greater impact for the Lord in the future.
- Countless books have been written about the laws of investment in the financial realm. But did you know that the Bible has provided us clear laws of \_\_\_\_\_ investment as well?
- What are the laws of spiritual investment?

**Gifts are given with the purpose of \_\_\_\_\_. (vs. 15-18)**

- God has given different gifts to each of us. These gifts include:

\_\_\_\_\_ gifts

\_\_\_\_\_ abilities

\_\_\_\_\_

- Whatever gifts God has given you, He expects you to \_\_\_\_\_ them, to \_\_\_\_\_ them, to see them grow. **2 Peter 3:18**

**\_\_\_\_\_ is a limited resource. (vs. 19)**

- The foolish man planned to multiply the talent that he had been given \_\_\_\_\_, but all too soon, his master returned, and his chance to serve his master had passed him by.

- Your window of opportunity to serve the Lord is limited. Someday, time will run \_\_\_\_\_.
- We must remember that we are not guaranteed \_\_\_\_\_. The only time that you can be certain that you have to serve the Lord is now.

**There are no \_\_\_\_\_ investments in God's eyes.  
(vs, 21, 23)**

- Many of us have lofty goals for "big" things that we want to do for God. However, it's important to periodically ask ourselves the hard question, "Am I being faithful in the \_\_\_\_\_ things?"
- Are we being faithful to prayer? Are we faithful to study the Word? Are we faithful to love our spouses? Are we faithful to lead our families? These "small" things are truly \_\_\_\_\_ in the eyes of the Lord. **1 Timothy 3:5**
- Don't focus on how your gifts \_\_\_\_\_ to others, but simply focus on growing whatever \_\_\_\_\_ have been given. This is the attitude of the faithful servant.

- **1 Timothy 6:7** - *"For we brought nothing into this world, and it is certain we can carry nothing out."*
- Our \_\_\_\_\_ riches will soon pass away. What kind of a difference are you making on \_\_\_\_\_?
- **Colossians 3:2** - *"Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth."*



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