

Message Notes

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Work & Rest: God's Design For Work
Genesis 1:26-28; 2:1-15
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- We must _____ these ___ God-designed, life-giving rhythms.
- How we think about _____ determines _____ we _____ our work.

And on the seventh day God finished His work that He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work that He had done. *Genesis 2:2*

Recapturing God's Design For Work

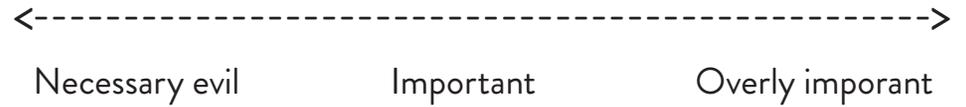
- God makes us in His _____ to be co-workers _____ Him. *Gen 1:26-28*
- God's "cultural mandate" = to _____ - _____ with Him.
- God Himself is a _____: He _____ & _____ from work. *Gen 2:2*
- God _____ a _____ and _____ the man in it. *Gen 2:8,15*
- The man is to _____ for, watch over & _____ the garden. *Gen 2:15*
- In Genesis 1 & 2, the word for "work" = "_____ work."
- In God's _____, even the most ordinary work has _____ & value.
- Work is a _____ thing and a _____ part of our _____.
- We can choose to _____ God and bless _____ . *Col 3:23-24*

Now the Lord God had planted a garden in the east, in Eden; and there he put the man He had formed....The Lord God took the man and put him in the Garden of Eden to work it and take care of it. *Genesis 2:8,15*

Doing Work God's Way

- Begins with a _____ of _____: Do I believe God? *Rom 12:1-2*
- Begins where God's _____ me: Am I honoring Him, blessing others?

How I Think About Work



Jobs I've Had or Work I've Done

(paid or unpaid)
