

TRUSTING GOD

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Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD GOD is an everlasting rock.
ISAIAH 26:4

I. TRUST GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART!

PROVERBS 3:5,6 (NASB) — Trust in the LORD with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight.

PSALM 31:14 — But I trust in you, O LORD; I say, “You are my God.”

PSALM 56:4 — In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I shall not be afraid. What can flesh do to me?

MATTHEW 28:18 — And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.”

JERAMIAH 17:7 — “Blessed is the man who trusts in the LORD, whose trust is the LORD.

II. TRUST GOD WITH YOUR WEALTH.

LUKE 16:13 — No servant can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

1 TIMOTHY 6:17 — As for the rich in this present age, charge them not to be haughty, nor to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly provides us with everything to enjoy.

A. EVERYTHING IS HIS.

PSALM 50:10 — For every beast of the forest is mine, the cattle on a thousand hills.

2 CORINTHIANS 9:7 — Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

B. HONOR GOD IN TITHES AND OFFERINGS.

PROVERBS 3:9,10 — Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the first fruits of all your produce; then your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will be bursting with wine.

DEUTERONOMY 14:23 — Bring this tithe to the designated place of worship—the place the LORD your God chooses for his name to be honored—and eat it there in his presence. This applies to your tithes of grain, new wine, olive oil, and the firstborn males of your flock and herds. Doing this will teach you always to fear the LORD your God.

HEBREWS 7:2a — and to him Abraham apportioned a tenth part of everything.

MALACHI 3:7-10 — From the days of your fathers you have turned aside from my statutes and have not kept them. Return to me, and I will return to you, says the LORD of hosts. But you say, ‘How shall we return?’ Will man rob God? Yet you are robbing me. But you say, ‘How have we robbed you?’ In your tithes and contributions. You are cursed with a curse, for you are robbing me, the whole nation of you. Bring the full tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. And thereby put me to the test, says the LORD of hosts, if will not open the windows of heaven for you and pour down for you a blessing until there is no more need.

LUKE 11:42 (NIV) — “Woe to you Pharisees, because you give God a tenth of your mint, rue and all other kinds of garden herbs, but you neglect justice and the love of God. You should have practiced the latter without leaving the former undone.

PHILIPPIANS 4:13 — I can do all things through him who strengthens me.

PSALM 20:7 — Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the LORD our God.

If a person gets his attitude toward money straight, it will help straighten out almost every other area in his life. — Billy Graham